## Power Up!

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"By His divine power, God has given us everything we need for living a godly life." NLT

## **Power Up Principle #1** "Accessing God's ongoing supernatural power to live a godly life, requires our ongoing supplemental participation."

Power up with the PEOPLE of God 2 Peter 1:1 - "...with us..." 1:3 - "...given to <u>us</u>..." 1:7,8 - "and to godliness brotherly kindness and to brotherly kindness love."

Power up with the PEOPLE of God The value of righteous relationships vs. 8,9 • "We're Better Together" The value of trustworthy leadership 1:16-21

## **Righteous Relationships are God's Plan** Special Note... Vs. 5 - "...giving all diligence..." Get busy about the business of building strong healthy righteous relationships! This should take priority just like the spiritual disciplines!

**Righteous Relationships are God's Plan 1. For His Ministry of PRODUCTIVITY** vs. 8 - "...you will neither be barren or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

"epignosis" - full and complete knowledge - heart knowledge

**Righteous** Relationships are God's Plan • 2. For His Multilayered Protection - vs.9 Protection from... Spiritual shortsightedness **Spiritual blindness Spiritual forgetfulness** Spiritual deception

**Righteous Relationships are God's Plan** • 3. For His Manifest POWER - Eph. 5:18 - Acts 1 & 2 - Matthew 18 • 4. For His Multiplied PRAISE - Eph. 5:19 - Acts 2 5. For His Manifest PRESENCE - Eph. 2 - Matthew 18:20