## Don't Mess With God's Power

(Acts 19:1-20)
What if we could see every manifestation of God's power?

## Background

Keeping Promises (1-7)
Belief still matters!

Clarifying doctrine to confused doctrine
From John's baptism to Jesus
The Holy Spirit, tongues and prophecy
What is Luke's point, then and now?

Pattern and pivot (8-10)
Quick review

Opposition often leads to new direction.

How may God be using difficulty to redirect you?

Impact = all Asia hears the gospel

## Don't try to usurp God's power (19:11-20)

Power of God meets the power of Satan
3 impacts of the power of God
Triumph over the evil one (11-16)
Stealing God's miraculous power is dangerous.

Demons know and recognize

God preserves and protects what is His.

Conviction \& confession lead to substantive life change/obedience (17-19)

Genuine heart-change results in action!
We don't dump the vestiges of the flesh easily or quickly.

Do you have some "garbage" you need to burn?

Satan has power. God's is greater!

The gospel continues to spread mightily

