



# ACTS ATTACK

## The Last Reformation

Matthew 11:12

### THE REFORMATION HAS BEGUN...

We are in a Reformation! This is a pivotal moment for the Church today! To fully embrace our movement, we have provided this outline for those ready to join us! Historically, the church has undergone reformations, and our current situation is no different. Throughout history, there have been Reformers and Re-Reformers who challenged the church to adjust and realign itself according to the blueprint laid out in the Bible. Previous reforms have successfully fostered a church that is increasingly obedient to the foundational teachings of the Messiah Yahshua and His Apostles. To achieve genuine reform, we must focus on a clear direction, and this document outlines the essential changes needed to reach our objective. This is about following the ACTS BLUEPRINT, which has been ordained and anointed by the Holy Spirit from Elohim [God] for our success. We urge you to read carefully and engage with this transformative journey!

### PART ONE

#### I. Comparison: The Early Church vs. The Modern Church

##### 1. Leadership & Structure

- Early Church (Acts)

- Leadership was decentralized, with apostles, elders, and local believers guiding the church (Acts 6:1-6, Acts 14:23).
  - The Holy Spirit directed decisions (Acts 13:2-3).
  - No hierarchical system—leaders were servants rather than institutional figures (Acts 20:28).
- **Modern Church**
  - Often institutionalized, with pastors, bishops, and denominational structures.
  - Decisions are frequently made through committees rather than direct spiritual guidance.
  - Leadership can become professionalized, sometimes distancing itself from grassroots discipleship.

## 2. Worship & Gatherings

- **Early Church**
  - Met daily in homes and public spaces (Acts 2:46-47).
  - Worship was participatory, with believers sharing teachings, prayers, and testimonies (Acts 4:31, Acts 20:7).
  - No formal church buildings—gatherings were organic and Spirit-led.
- **Modern Church**
  - Weekly services in dedicated buildings.
  - Worship is often structured, with sermons, music, and programs.
  - Congregants are passive listeners rather than active participants.

## 3. Evangelism & Mission

- **Early Church**
  - Evangelism was bold and public, often accompanied by miracles (Acts 3:6-10, Acts 8:4-8).
  - Every believer was actively involved in spreading the gospel (Acts 1:8, Acts 8:1-4).
  - Persecution strengthened the church rather than weakened it (Acts 5:41-42).
- **Modern Church**
  - Evangelism is often event-based or delegated to missionaries.
  - Many believers are spectators rather than active participants.
  - Fear of persecution sometimes leads to compromise or avoidance of bold witness.

## 4. Community & Fellowship

- **Early Church**
  - Believers shared everything in common, ensuring no one was in need (Acts 2:44-45, Acts 4:32-35).
  - Fellowship was intimate, with deep relationships and accountability (Acts 2:42).
  - The church functioned as a family, not an institution.
- **Modern Church**
  - Fellowship is often surface-level, limited to Sunday gatherings.

- **Individualism has replaced communal living.**
- **Many churches struggle with division rather than unity.**

## **II. The Acts Blueprint: A Reformation Plan**

**To return to the Acts model, the modern church must undergo a reformation similar to Martin Luther's break from Catholic traditions. This reformation should focus on restoring biblical practices and reviving the Spirit-led movement.**

### **1. Decentralizing Leadership**

- **Shift from institutional hierarchy to Spirit-led servant leadership.**
- **Empower local believers to lead and disciple others.**
- **Encourage house churches and small gatherings.**

### **2. Restoring Biblical Worship**

- **Move from passive services to interactive gatherings.**
- **Encourage Spirit-led worship, prayer, and testimonies.**
- **Prioritize daily fellowship over weekly meetings.**

### **3. Reviving Evangelism & Mission**

- **Train every believer to be an active disciple-maker.**
- **Emphasize bold, public evangelism.**
- **Prepare for persecution, embracing it as a sign of faithfulness.**

### **4. Rebuilding True Community**

- **Foster deep relationships through shared resources and accountability.**
- **Encourage communal living where possible.**
- **Prioritize unity over denominational divisions.**

## **III. Implementing the Reformation**

- 1. Teach & Train – Educate believers on the Acts model.**
- 2. Decentralize Gatherings – Encourage house churches and small discipleship groups.**
- 3. Empower Every Believer – Shift from clergy-led to Spirit-led ministry.**
- 4. Live Out the Gospel – Restore radical generosity, bold evangelism, and deep fellowship.**

**This reformation is not about destroying the modern church but reviving its original purpose. The Acts church was alive, powerful, and unstoppable—and it can be again.**

## **PART TWO**

### **The Early Church Model (Acts)**

#### **1. Community-Based Discipleship**

- Believers gathered daily in homes and public spaces (Acts 2:46-47).
  - Teaching was interactive, with many contributing wisdom (Acts 2:42, Acts 20:7).
  - Spiritual gifts were actively used to edify the body (1 Corinthians 12:4-7).
2. **Mentorship Through Shared Leadership**
    - Apostles, elders, and mature believers trained others (Acts 14:23).
    - New converts were immediately disciplined and sent out (Acts 8:4).
    - Leadership was decentralized, allowing growth (Acts 6:1-6).
  3. **Multiplication of Mature Believers**
    - Converts were grounded in doctrine and empowered (Acts 19:9-10).
    - The church multiplied rapidly because disciples made disciples (Acts 6:7).
    - Persecution strengthened their faith rather than weakened it (Acts 5:41-42).

## **II. The Modern Church Model**

1. **Institutionalized Discipleship**
  - Most churches rely on one main teacher (pastor or clergy).
  - Teaching is lecture-style, with little interaction.
  - Spiritual gifts are often underutilized or restricted.
2. **Limited Mentorship & Growth**
  - Only 5-7% of American churches actively disciple believers.
  - Many believers remain spiritually immature due to lack of mentorship.
  - Leadership is centralized, limiting multiplication.
3. **Slow Reproduction of Mature Believers**
  - Few believers actively disciple others.
  - Growth is program-based rather than Spirit-led.
  - Many churches struggle with consumer Christianity rather than active participation.

## **III. Why the Early Church Was More Effective**

- Every believer was involved in discipleship, not just a few leaders.
- Spiritual gifts were used to strengthen and multiply the church.
- Persecution refined believers, making them stronger.
- Rapid multiplication ensured the gospel spread powerfully.

To restore the Acts model, churches today must decentralize leadership, empower believers, and prioritize discipleship over programs.

*These Two Outlines Will Bring Our Reformation Into Your Focus And How We Are Moving Toward This Goal, Which Starts With Us So That Many Will See, Understand And Change Their Positions*

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