



# PRAYING IN TOUGH TIMES

Acts 4:23-31

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- *Did not* ignore the challenge

**What is it going to take for  
us to see a great movement  
of God in our church and  
community?**

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# “Sovereign”

- Master
- Supreme authority
- Owner

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# Questions to Ponder:

- Are you seeking God's will in prayer?
- Do you see today's challenges as an opportunity for God to do a great work?
- What is the one thing keeping you from being fully committed to Jesus Christ?

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