

**Unstoppable Power Discussion Guide**  
**Unstoppable Power Over Death - Lesson 6**  
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This study guide is based on the message that is available on YouTube.

**Opening Discussion:** If you were a superhero, what kind of powers would you like?

**Dive Deeper:**

1. Read John 11:1-44. How did Jesus respond to hearing that Lazarus was very ill? Was Jesus' response surprising to you? Why or why not? How difficult would Jesus' delay have been for Martha and Mary? How difficult would it have been for Jesus?
2. According to John 11:4 and 11, how did Jesus view this illness that took Lazarus' life? When has a difficult time in your life resulted in glorifying God? If we could approach our trials with the hope that it would lead to God's glory, how would this decrease our pain?
3. Read John 11:20-27. When have you felt powerless, like Martha, and questioned Jesus' timing? What does it mean that Jesus is the Resurrection and the Life? How do you think Jesus' power over Lazarus' death changed Martha's, the disciples', and the surrounding people's beliefs?
4. God's power over death also brought Jesus back to life. Read Hebrews 2:14-15 and discuss why Jesus, who is also God, had to become fully man. According to these verses, what did Jesus break and accomplish by dying?
5. Read 1 Peter 1:3, Romans 1:4, 4:25, 1 John 3:8, and Hebrews 9:22 and discuss why Jesus had to die *and* rise from the dead? Read John 10:18 and discuss Jesus' powerful authority. Scripture states that Jesus is all-powerful, so why do we still struggle to believe in his power?
6. Read 1 Corinthians 15:53-57 and Revelation 1:18. How do these verses remove the fear over death? Discuss ways that believers can exercise this truth with more confidence and live more victoriously.

**Encouragement:** Because of God's power over death and the enemy, neither has a hold over those who believe in Jesus Christ, and we can live a life without fear.

**Application:** How will you apply Sunday's message and this discussion to your life?