Title: Breaking intimidation

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Effect of intimidation

- Self-consciousness
 - Loss of joy
 - Lost perspective
 - Dormant gifts
 - Ineffective strengths
 - Loss of boldness & confidence

Psalm 91:1-2 (NKJ) He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the Lord, "He is my refuge and my fortress; My God, in Him I will trust."

Breaking free

2 Timothy 1:7 (NIV) For God has not given us a spirit of <u>timidity</u>, but of <u>power</u> and of <u>love</u> and of a sound mind.

For God has not given us a spirit of intimidation, but gives us the power to choose love, which will lead to a sound mind.

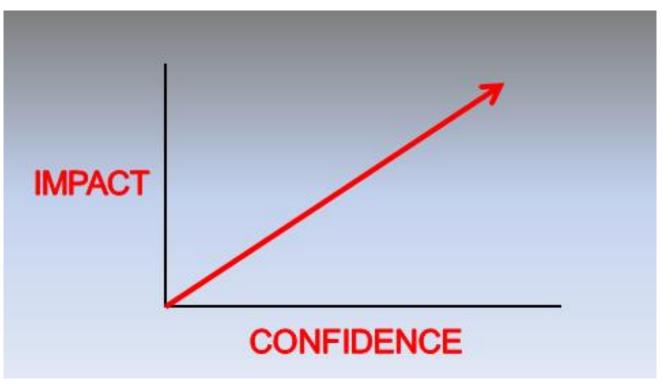
- 1. Equip yourself
- 2. Give it another try
- 3. Do it afraid
 - Courage is not the absence of fear, it is action in the presence of fear
- 4. Knowing that God is with you
- 5. The Holy Spirit

Acts 1:8 (AMP) But you shall receive power (<u>ability, efficiency, and might</u>) when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you shall be My witnesses

Acts 4:31 And when they had prayed, the place where they were assembled together was shaken and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and they spoke the word of God with <u>boldness</u>.

Boldness - Outspokenness, unreserved utterance, <u>cheerful courage</u>, the opposite of cowardice, timidity or fear.

This boldness is not a human quality but a result of being filled with the Holy Spirit.



Proverbs 28:1 (NJK) The wicked flee when no one pursues, but the <u>righteous</u> are as <u>bold as a lion</u>.