

# Local Church



## THE POWER GOD HAS

In an 1885 sermon delivered to the Adventist Church in Denmark, Ellen White described how we are called to be a peculiar people in the world we live. What does it mean to peculiar? More often than not, our practicing Christianity can make us appear strange or crazy to non-believers, nothing more so than the giving of tithe! To the secular world the idea of giving 10% can seem ridiculous!

We are called to be a peculiar people. To be crazy for the world means to be wise for God and to inherit eternal life! And this is the power God has! The world does not understand what we do, but we do it by faith in His Word! To be faithful to our God; to keep the Sabbath; to return tithe and give offerings—all behaviours that are contrary to our natural impulses and tendencies--are evidences that our eyes are fixed far beyond earthly realities!

### Appeal

Let's be crazy for God today, as we gratefully worship Him by returning our tithes and giving offerings!

### Prayer

Dear Father, please make us crazy for the world and wise for You! Give us the privilege of being partakers in building Your kingdom and saving others!

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