

Acts: Church Blueprints

“Unwavering Integrity”

Acts 5:1-11

The early church faced much danger in its own generation; but no external persecution was ever as dangerous to the infant church as the threat of internal hypocrisy. A Spirit-filled church displays purity and integrity to the world, especially when it comes to money.

1. Historical Background: What Was the Sin? (vv.1-4)

2. Church Blueprint: Integrity as a Core Value (vv.5-11)

- **What Was the Judgment? (vv.5-10)**
 - ✓ **Revelation over Commendation**

 - ✓ **Death over Dishonesty**

 - ✓ **Church over the Individual**

 - **What are the Implications? (v.11)**
 - ✓ **Holy Spirit Acts as Guardian of the Church**

 - ✓ **God Demands Sincere Church Membership**

 - ✓ **God Expects Integrity in Every Area of Life**
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