

We Cannot Be Silent (John 12:9-11)
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Introduction: Above all else, let Open Door be a place where the remedy of Jesus is freely offered to this sin-sick world.

- I. **The Enemy's Plans (Ephesians 6:11; 4:14)**
 - Discourage
 - Discredit
 - Silence
- II. **We all have a need, but to many, Jesus is just a threat**
 - A. Introduce Jesus as a Savior, not just a friend.
 - B. The enemy can't silence the Shepherd. **(John 10)**
- III. **The Plot to Kill Lazarus (John 12:9)**
 - A. There is power in the Testimony of Resurrection
 - B. ***John 12:10-11***
 - C. The oppression runs deep, but His power runs deeper.
- IV. **We have been given POWER**
 - A. ***Acts 1:8***
 - B. We come in the POWER and DEMONSTRATION
- V. **We Cannot Be Silent!**
 - Ask and Receive God's boldness
 - ***Proverbs 28:1***
 - ***Acts 4:31***
 - ***1 Peter 5:8-9***