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Can Dead Bones Live? (Relational Renewal) **Ezekiel 37:1-10**

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The motto at the University of Texas says, "What starts here changes the world." Nowhere should this motto be truer than the church.

However, many in our churches today find themselves spiritually dry and relationally divided. There is a great need for renewal in both the personal and relational dimensions of our spiritual lives.

In our text, God led Ezekiel the prophet to a valley of dead bones to witness a miraculous revival by a mighty movement of God's Spirit.

The Main Thought...

➔ *We are in need today of a _____ movement of God's Spirit.*

1. In the presence of the _____ God all things are possible (v. 1-3).

Gen. 18:14a; Jer. 32:27; Lk. 1:37; Mt. 19:26

2. By the preaching of the _____ of God amazing things can happen (v. 4-8).

Isa. 55:11; Heb. 4:12; 2 Tim. 4:1-5

3. By the power of the _____ of God dead things come to life (v. 9-10).

- Dead bones can come back to _____ (v. 9-10a).
- Dead bones can come back _____ (v. 10b).

Eph. 2:4-5; 4:1-6, 15-16

We must pray...

- *Let's pray for the very _____ who are very dry.*
- *Let's pray for a mighty _____ of God's Spirit.*
- *Let's pray for the Spirit of God to revive and _____ the people of God to do a great work for God.*