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Believe
What's Greater

Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed? For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; and when we see Him, there is no beauty that we should desire Him.

Isaiah 53:1-2 (NKJV)



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Bible Study Lesson 5: **“When Deacons Serve Well, the Church Grows”**

A Biblical Study of the Deacon's Role in the Local Church

Primary Text: Acts 6:7

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Key Truth

Faithful service produces spiritual multiplication.

The Results

- 1. The Word of God spread**
- 2. The number of disciples multiplied**
- 3. The priests grew in faith**
 - The church gained credibility and influence



Teaching Emphasis

Deacons may work behind the scenes, but **their impact is public.**

Capstone Statement

“When deacons are faithful, the church is fruitful.”



Closing Challenge

Ask each deacon:

- How does my service advance the Word?
- How does my role strengthen unity?
- How does my role as a deacon help the church grow?



Conclusion

Acts 6 shows us that deacons are not crisis managers only—they are God-appointed servants whose faithfulness sustains growth, protects unity, and amplifies the gospel witness.