

We want to keep **CONNECTED** and **ENCOURAGE** “Retired/re-aligned/reassigned/etc” Pastors and International Workers in their respective district.



POWER Team came into being from the “grass roots” and not from the District or National Office. A group of people made up of “retiring” pastors, IWs, DS’ cared for those of our family who had or were transitioning out of “full-time paid” ministry but still wanted to be connected. There were also those whose ministry ended due to challenges in ministry. They may even have transitioned into a new ministry in a para church organization or other denomination but still desire to be connected to the family.



POWER Team has slowly developed where today we have over 500 on our list. Within the next decade that could easily reach to over 1300 in Canada. This has been fully supported and encouraged by all of our DS’s as well as President David Hearn as we desire to:

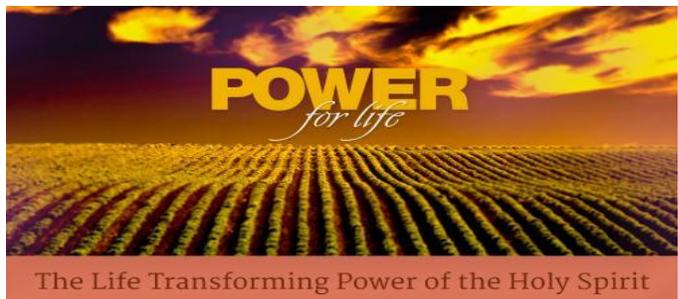


- prepare those who in the next decade may “retire”
- keep you **Connected** to the family and
- provide Kingdom ministry opportunities for these last 15-20 years should

the Lord grant them to us.

That is why we call ourselves the **POWER Team**

1. The Gospel is the **POWER** of God unto Salvation -we have experienced that
2. Jesus commissioned us to “go” but then “not to go” until we are endowed with **POWER** from above -we trust each one of us have experienced that.
3. We have chosen to serve with the C&MA and its Doctrinal Emphasis of Christ our Sanctifier which is **POWER** for holy living and service -we have years of ministry scars/trophies to show for this



We use **POWER** as an acrostic

Step #1

POWER = **P**reparing **O**ur **W**orkers **E**ntering
Retirement/re-alignment

- a. The Big Transition
- b. Planning, Saving & Investing for the Future
- c. Retiral Kit <https://www.cmacan.org/ministries/ministry-networks/>

-scroll down to **POWER Team**, then to bottom Resources: Retiral Kit

Step #2

POWER = **P**roviding **O**ur **W**orkers **E**xcellence in **R**etirement

- a. How to be a Christian when not in charge
- b. How to have our identity in Christ and not in our ministry -By Sunder Krishnan
- c. How to be the next generations greatest cheerleaders -by Shyamala Krishnan

Step #3

POWER = **P**roviding **O**ur **W**orkers **E**xcellent **R**esources

-retirees are the “resources” with decades of experiences and the present pastors and IWs are the “workers” that we desire to come along side for encouragement, wisdom and be their cheerleaders

Video Resources for the above can be found at

<https://www.cmacan.org/ministries/ministry-networks/>

CONNECTOR issues: -scroll down to **CONNECTOR** issues

-here you can see back issues

-this is one of our **CONNECTING** points for the **POWER Team** family

RETIRAL KIT -scroll down to Resources: Retiral Kit

-this action should be part of our preparation when we are 55+



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