



In this series, we're going to scripturally unpack what 'life' focuses need to be in your life in order to position yourself to receive all God has for you in 2020. Our heart is for you to arrive at the end of this year completely drenched in God's provision and power for your life.

POWER THOUGHT —> God has SPIRITUAL GIFTS specifically for YOUR life! Those gifts are RELEASED into your life THROUGH the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

ACTS 1:5 ESV

As John baptized with water, you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit...

HOW DO YOU RECEIVE THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

- 1 - HAVE A HUNGER.**
- 2 - GIVE AN INVITATION.**
- 3 - KNOW YOU HAVE IT.**

#1 —> HAVE A HUNGER

We must be careful to keep our hunger in the person of God and not in the things of this world.

HEBREWS 13:14 NLT

For this world is not our permanent home; we are looking forward to a home yet to come.

To get the **right** appetites in your life, you NEED TO begin to starving the **wrong** ones.

THIS IS A RESOURCE FOR YOU TO TAKE THE WORD GOD GIVES US
IN HIS HOUSE TO YOUR HOUSE!

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#2 —> GIVE AN INVITATION

Invite Him to come and He will —> IMMEDIATELY in that moment come upon you. Your responsibility is to INVITE and His responsibility is to RESPOND to your invitation.

ACTS 4:31 ESV

And when (*in the moment*) they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.

ACTS 8:17 NLT

Then Peter and John laid their hands upon these believers, and they received the Holy Spirit.

#3 —> KNOW YOU HAVE IT

Don't over-think it and don't try and over-feel it. Feelings are never an accurate indicator of experience and can deceive us when attempting to interpret reality.

When you ask for the baptism of the Holy Spirit —> you GOT it!

BIBLE THOUGHT —> There are many views on the manifestations that take place in someone's life when the baptism of the Holy Spirit comes upon someone.

Our position rests in the scriptures, which show a variety of manifestations that take place. (*Read Acts 2:1-2; Acts 4:31; Acts 8:17; Acts 19:6; 1 Corinthians 12:30*)

When you pray for the baptism of the Holy Spirit, you are not seeking an experience with a gift, you're seeking an experience with the ONE WHO IS THE GIFT!

OUR ROLE —> Let the HOLY SPIRIT be the leader on the arrival of His baptism of your life!