



¹⁴Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed to them, "Fellow Jews and all you residents of Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and pay attention to my words.



¹⁵For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it's only nine in the morning.



¹⁶On the contrary, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

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¹⁷And it will be in the last days, says God, that I will pour out my Spirit on all people; then your sons and your daughters will prophesy,

your young men will see visions, and your old men will dream dreams.



on my servants in those days, both men and women and they will prophesy.



¹⁹I will display wonders in the heaven above and signs on the earth below: blood and fire and a cloud of smoke.



²⁰The sun will be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the great and glorious day of the Lord comes.



²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.

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words: This Jesus of Nazareth was a man attested to you by God with miracles, wonders, and signs that God did among you through him, just as you yourselves know.



²³Though he was delivered up according to God's determined plan and foreknowledge, you used lawless people to nail him to a cross and kill him.



²⁴God raised him up, ending the pains of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by death.



²⁵For David says of him: I saw the Lord ever before me; because he is at my right hand, I will not be shaken.



²⁶Therefore my heart is glad and my tongue rejoices.

Moreover, my flesh will rest in hope,



²⁷because you will not abandon me in Hades or allow your holy one to see decay.



²⁸You have revealed the paths of life to me; you will fill me with gladness in your presence.



²⁹"Brothers and sisters, I can confidently speak to you about the patriarch David: He is both dead and buried, and his tomb is with us to this day.



³⁰Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn an oath to him to seat one of his descendants on his throne.



³¹Seeing what was to come, he spoke concerning the resurrection of the Messiah: He was not abandoned in Hades, and his flesh did not experience decay.



³²"God has raised this Jesus; we are all witnesses of this.



to the right hand of God and has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit, he has poured out what you both see and hear.



³⁴For it was not David who ascended into the heavens, but he himself says: The Lord declared to my Lord, 'Sit at my right hand



³⁵until I make your enemies your footstool.'



36"Therefore let all the house of Israel know with certainty that God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Messiah."



³⁷When they heard this, they were pierced to the heart and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what should we do?"



³⁸Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, each of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.



³⁹For the promise is for you and for your children, and for all who are far off, as many as the Lord our God will call."



⁴⁰With many other words he testified and strongly urged them, saying, "Be saved from this corrupt generation!"



⁴¹So those who accepted his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand people were added to them.





1. How Do You Stand?



¹⁴Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice, and proclaimed to them, "Fellow Jews and all you residents of Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and pay attention to my words.

Acts 2:14





2. Where Do You Share?



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⁴Then they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them.

Acts 2:4



When they had prayed, the place where they were assembled was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak the word of God boldly.

Acts 4:31



⁸Then Peter was filled with the Holy Spirit and said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders:

Acts 4:8



⁸But Elymas the sorcerer (that is the meaning of his name) opposed them and tried to turn the proconsul away from the faith.



⁹But Saul — also called Paul — filled with the Holy Spirit, stared straight at Elymas



¹⁰and said, "You are full of all kinds of deceit and trickery, you son of the devil and enemy of all that is right. Won't you ever stop perverting the straight paths of the Lord?

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¹¹Now, look, the Lord's hand is against you. You are going to be blind, and will not see the sun for a time." Immediately a mist and darkness fell on him, and he went around seeking someone to lead him by the hand.



¹²Then, when he saw what happened, the proconsul believed, because he was astonished at the teaching of the Lord.

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¹⁷Ananias went and entered the house. He placed his hands on him and said, "Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus, who appeared to you on the road you were traveling, has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit."



¹⁸At once something like scales fell from his eyes, and he regained his sight. Then he got up and was baptized.



¹⁹And after taking some food, he regained his strength.
Saul was with the disciples in Damascus for some time.



²⁰Immediately he began proclaiming Jesus in the synagogues: "He is the Son of God."



⁵⁵Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven. He saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God.

Acts 7:55



⁴¹When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped inside her, and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit.



⁴²Then she exclaimed with a loud cry, "Blessed are you among women, and your child will be blessed!



⁴³How could this happen to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?



⁴⁴For you see, when the sound of your greeting reached my ears, the baby leaped for joy inside me.



45Blessed is she who has believed that the Lord would fulfill what he has spoken to her!"



⁶⁷Then his father Zechariah was filled with the Holy Spirit and prophesied:



68Blessed is the Lord, the God of Israel, because he has visited and provided redemption for his people.



69He has raised up a horn of salvation for us in the house of his servant David,



⁷⁰just as he spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets in ancient times;



⁷¹salvation from our enemies and from the hand of those who hate us.



⁷²He has dealt mercifully with our ancestors and remembered his holy covenant —



⁷³the oath that he swore to our father Abraham, to grant that we,



⁷⁴having been rescued from the hand of our enemies, would serve him without fear



⁷⁵in holiness and righteousness in his presence all our days.



⁷⁶And you, child, will be called a prophet of the Most High, for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways,



⁷⁷to give his people knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins.



⁷⁸Because of our God's merciful compassion, the dawn from on high will visit us



⁷⁹to shine on those who live in darkness and the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.





3. What is the Message?





4. What are the Results?

