



A N O T H E R

The person and work
of the Holy Spirit

Another: The Work of The Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit Gives Direction

The Holy Spirit isn't interested in getting you where you want, but where He wants!

"The former account I made, O Theophilus, of all that Jesus began both to do and teach, until the day in which He was taken up, after He through the Holy Spirit had given commandments to the apostles whom He had chosen, to whom He also presented Himself alive after His suffering by many infallible proofs, being seen by them during forty days and speaking of the things pertaining to the kingdom of God.

And being assembled together with them, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, “which,” He said, “you have heard from Me; for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”

Therefore, when they had come together, they asked Him, saying, “Lord, will You at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?” And He said to them, “It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority. But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

Acts 1:1-8

His Direction Is Biblical

His Direction Won't Contradict His Directive

His Direction Doesn't Care About Our Feelings

His Direction Doesn't Differ Depending On The Audience

His Direction Is In Steps Not Detailed Outlines/Overviews

His Direction Involves Us Doing Work

The Holy Spirit Empowers Action

The Holy Spirit Gives Opportunity & Ability

"When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting. Then there appeared to them divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. And there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men, from every nation under heaven.

And when this sound occurred, the multitude came together, and were confused, because everyone heard them speak in his own language. Then they were all amazed and marveled, saying to one another, “Look, are not all these who speak Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each in our own language in which we were born? Parthians and Medes and Elamites, those dwelling in Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia,

Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya adjoining Cyrene, visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—we hear them speaking in our own tongues the wonderful works of God.” So they were all amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “Whatever could this mean?” Others mocking said, “They are full of new wine.”

Acts 2:1-13

The Holy Spirit Shakes Things Up

The Holy Spirit Inspires Utterance & More!

"Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant: You know that you were Gentiles, carried away to these dumb idols, however you were led. Therefore I make known to you that no one speaking by the Spirit of God calls Jesus accursed, and no one can say that Jesus is Lord except by the Holy Spirit. There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord.

And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all. But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all: for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit,

to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills.”

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Gifts of The Holy Spirit
Spiritual Gifts Increase Admiration For Him
His Gifts Are For His Glory & Others' Good
Gifts Are For Seasons & Circumstances

The List

Word of Wisdom

Word of Knowledge

Faith

Healing

Miracles

Prophecy

Discernment

Tongues

Interpretation

"Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Men and brethren, what shall we do?" Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call." And with many other words he testified and exhorted them, saying, "Be saved from this perverse generation."

Then those who gladly received his word were baptized; and that day about three thousand souls were added to them. And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers. Then fear came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were done through the apostles. Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common, and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need.

So continuing daily with one accord in the temple,
and breaking bread from house to house, they ate their
food with gladness and simplicity of heart, praising God
and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to
the church daily those who were being saved.”

Acts 2:37-47

Actions He Empowers
The Holy Spirit Brings Conviction
Which Causes Action
The Holy Spirit Fuels Our Longevity
The Holy Spirit Inspires Unity & The
Unexplainable

The Evidence

"Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law. And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit. Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

Galatians 5:19-26

The Holy Spirit Gears Us
Toward Generosity

The Holy Spirit Gives Us A Heart
For Making An Impact

The Holy Spirit Builds Boldness

Direction and action do little without courage

"And it came to pass, on the next day, that their rulers, elders, and scribes, as well as Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and as many as were of the family of the high priest, were gathered together at Jerusalem.

And when they had set them in the midst, they asked, “By what power or by what name have you done this?” Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, “Rulers of the people and elders of Israel: If we this day are judged for a good deed done to a helpless man, by what means he has been made well, let it be known to you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by Him this man stands here before you whole.

This is the 'stone which was rejected by you builders, which has become the chief cornerstone.' Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved." Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated and untrained men, they marveled. And they realized that they had been with Jesus."

Acts 4:5-13

Boldness To The Believer

**The Holy Spirit Brings Courage To The
Conversation**

**The Holy Spirit Gives Us Meaningful Messages
Not Manipulating Ones**

The Holy Spirit Guides Our Understanding

3 Takeaways For Today

1. He Is Here To Direct Our Steps
2. He is Here To Activate Our Actions
3. Here is Here To Embolden The Believer

**The Holy Spirit's Works Are Working
Together Something Great**

"Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God. These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

1 Corinthians 2:12-14

The Spirit-filled life creates not an awe of an instance or individual action, but an amazement of what God has done through a landscape of lives.

THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT - HE WASN'T JUST LOOKING FOR AN INTRODUCTION

THE HOLY SPIRIT GIVES DIRECTION - ACTS 1:1-8

- HIS DIRECTION IS BIBLICAL
- HIS DIRECTION WON'T CONTRADICT HIS WRITTEN DIRECTIVE
- HIS DIRECTION DOESN'T CARE ABOUT OUR FEELINGS
- HIS DIRECTION DOESN'T DIFFER DEPENDING ON THE AUDIENCE
- HIS DIRECTION IS IN STEPS NOT DETAILED OUTLINES & OVERVIEWS
- HIS DIRECTION INVOLVES US DOING WORK

THE HOLY SPIRIT EMPOWERS ACTION - ACTS 2:1-13; 2:37-47

- THE HOLY SPIRIT SHAKES THINGS UP
- THE HOLY SPIRIT INSPIRES UTTERANCE & MORE
- THE HOLY SPIRIT BRINGS CONVICTION WHICH CAUSES ACTION
- THE HOLY SPIRIT FUELS OUR LONGEVITY
- THE HOLY SPIRIT INSPIRES UNITY & THE UNEXPLAINABLE
- THE HOLY SPIRIT GEARS US TOWARD GENEROSITY

THE HOLY SPIRIT BUILDS BOLDNESS - ACTS 4:5-13

- HE BRINGS COURAGE TO OUR CONVERSATIONS
- HE GIVES US MEANINGFUL MESSAGES
- HE GUIDES OUR UNDERSTANDING

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FOR SOMETHING GREAT!**



