



## "Bible Basics" STUDY

### *Lesson 8 "BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT"*

When we received Jesus as Lord and Savior, the Holy Spirit came to dwell within us (John 14:17). This was God's promise of the new relationship between God and man through Jesus Christ (Ezekiel 36:27); we then became "temples of God" (1 Corinthians 3:16). However, for the Christian there is also an additional experience known as the baptism of the Holy Spirit; where the Holy Spirit comes upon a believer's life to empower him for service. This separate experience from salvation is what we want to study in this lesson.

#### **READY TO GO!**

Before you begin today, stop and pray for God's guidance and wisdom in your efforts to know Him better. The Bible is a spiritual book for spiritual people. Jesus said that the Word of God gives life! (John 6:63). As we are diligent in our studies we will grow in the ways of the Lord.

#### **THE BIBLE SAYS!**

Before beginning your study please read: Luke 24:33-53; Matthew 3:11; John 16:8-12; John 1:32; Acts 2; Acts 9; Acts 10; Acts 19; Luke 11:9-13.

(Answer in your own words)

1. Who is the Holy Spirit? (John 14:16-18)

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2. Who is the Baptizer in the Holy Spirit? (John 1:33-34)

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3. Why be baptized with the Holy Spirit? (Acts 1:8, Luke 24:29)

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4. What must we do to receive the Baptism of the Holy Spirit? (John 7:37-39; Luke 11:9-13)

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5. List some of the things the apostles experienced in Acts 2 in receiving the Baptism of the Holy Spirit. What about Peter?

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6. What was the evidence of receiving the Baptism in the Holy Spirit in the following verses:

Acts 2:4

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Acts 9:17-18

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Acts 10:44-46

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Acts 19:1-7

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7. What are some other manifestations of a Spirit-filled life? (1 Corinthians 12:7-10)

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8. How must we use the gifts of the Holy Spirit? (Galatians 3:2,14; 1 Corinthians 13)

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9. List below the fruits of the Holy Spirit (Galatians 5:22-23)

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10. Do you need to be baptized in the Holy Spirit?

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If your answer is yes, read Luke 11:9-13 again! Here's what you can expect:

- a. Greater power and boldness to witness (Acts 1:8).
- b. A more powerful prayer life (Ephesians 6:18).
- c. Gifts of the Holy Spirit to flow through you for others (1 Corinthians 12:7-13).
- d. Growth in the fruit of the Holy Spirit (Galatians 5:16-25).

**ASK GOD BY FAITH AND RECEIVE HIS POWER TODAY**

**MEMORY VERSE**

"And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for Me with all your heart."  
(Jeremiah 29:13)

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