

ON FIRE

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The Holy Spirit came down and filled the believers, giving them God's power. The Spirit still fills believers.

- When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place
- And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.
- And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.



- Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven.
- And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language.
- And they were amazed and astonished, saying,

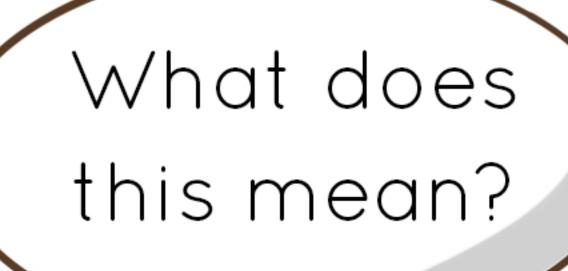
Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?

And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language?

Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome,

both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God."

And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another,







13 But others mocking said:



They are filled with new wine.







DID YOU KNOW



Just before Pentecost, the apostles selected a replacement for Judas Iscariot by casting lots (Acts 1:26), which is similar to flipping a coin or rolling dice. This was how people learned God's will before the Spirit came and filled believers.



The Jewish feast of Pentecost is also called the Feast of Weeks and is described in Leviticus 23:15-22.



It is one of three feasts that Jews were required by the Law of Moses to celebrate (Deuteronomy 16:16). At the time of the apostles, Jews from all over the world had gathered in Jerusalem for the holy day.



The Holy Spirit came down and filled the believers on the morning of Pentecost. Peter mentioned the time as being around 9 a.m. (Acts 2:15).



Read Acts 1:8 in your Bible and write it below. You receive power from the Holy Spirit to be a witness for Jesus just like the apostles did!

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LET'S HAVE FUN 🙏

Draw faces on the people filled with the Holy Spirit. You can also be one of them!

