



The

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Life

Series

- Lesson 5: The Holy Ghost -

In the Greek there is only 1 word used for Holy Ghost

_____ - a spirit; a wind; breath

There is no difference between _____ and

There are many references to the Holy Ghost in the

_____ scriptures.

- **Isaiah 28:11-12**, *For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to this people. 12, To whom he said, This is the rest wherewith ye may cause the weary to rest; and this is the refreshing: yet they would not hear.*
- **1 Corinthians 14:21**, *In the law it is written, With men of other tongues and other lips will I speak unto this people; and yet for all that will they not hear me, saith the Lord.*
- **Joel 2:28-29**, *And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions: 29, And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit.*
- **Isaiah 32:15**, *Until the spirit be poured upon us from on high, and the wilderness be a fruitful field, and the fruitful field be counted for a forest.*

_____ is quoted by all four Gospel writers saying that Jesus Christ would baptize with Holy Ghost and with fire (Matthew 3:11; Mark 1:8; Luke 3:16; John 1:33).

_____, Himself, also prophesied about the Holy Ghost outpouring. He said that it would be like four things:

1. A river of _____ bringing eternal life - John 4:10-14.
2. Being _____ into the kingdom of God - John 3:1-8.
3. A _____ which would help us - John 14:16-17.
4. The _____ of God in us - Acts 1:8.

• **John 7:37-39**, *In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. **38**, He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water. **39**, (But this spake he of the Spirit, which they that believe on him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)*

• **Verse 39 TLB**, *(He was speaking of the Holy Spirit, who would be given to everyone believing in him; but the Spirit had not yet been given, because Jesus had not yet returned to his glory in heaven.)*

When Jesus ministered, the people were still _____, which accounts for why no one received this wonderful experience until Acts chapter 2

Descriptions of the Holy Ghost

1. _____ - Romans 8:9-11.
2. A spiritual _____ - I Corinthians 12:13.
3. A _____ - John 3:1-8.
4. A _____ from the King of Kings - Ephesians 4:30.
5. The earnest (first part) of our _____ - II Corinthians 1:22.
6. A _____ - Isaiah 28:11-12.
7. Spirit of _____ which makes God our Father - Romans 8:15.
8. _____ - I Corinthians 10:1-4.
9. _____ from heaven - Acts 1:8.
10. The _____ - John 14.

_____ in scripture, that someone received the Holy Ghost, they spoke in a language that they had never learned or studied as God moved through them

- **Acts 2:1-4**, *And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place. 2, And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. 3, And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. 4, And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.*

- **Acts 8:14-18**, Now when the apostles which were at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent unto them Peter and John: **15**, Who, when they were come down, prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost: **16**, (For as yet he was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.) **17**, Then laid they their hands on them, and they received the Holy Ghost. **18**, And when Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money.
- **Acts 10:44-47**, While Peter yet spake these words, the Holy Ghost fell on all them which heard the word. **45**, And they of the circumcision which believed were astonished, as many as came with Peter, because that on the Gentiles also was poured out the gift of the Holy Ghost. **46**, For they heard them speak with tongues, and magnify God. Then answered Peter, **47**, Can any man forbid water, that these should not be baptized, which have received the Holy Ghost as well as we?
- **Acts 19:6-7**, And when Paul had laid his hands upon them, the Holy Ghost came on them; and they spake with tongues, and prophesied. **7**, And all the men were about twelve. Notice that the men also prophesied.

Some people falsely teach that _____
(speaking anointed words from God in a known language) is also a sign of receiving the Holy Ghost

The _____ are NOT the Holy Ghost, but merely a sign to the seeker that they have received the Spirit of God within them.

There are 5 ways that God uses tongues in scripture

1. The _____ of the infilling of the Holy Ghost. (as we have just studied)
2. A _____ of the Holy Ghost. (Titus 3:5, Acts 4:31)

3. _____ in the Holy Ghost, building up our most holy Faith. (Jude 1:20)
4. _____ Prayer, while praying for others (Romans 8:26-27)
5. The Gift of Tongues _____, when God wants to speak directly to a church congregation. (I Corinthians 12:10; 14:1-40)

There are ten "expressions" that all refer to receiving the Holy Ghost. They are used throughout scripture and all mean the same thing:

1. _____ of the Holy Ghost - Ephesians 4:5; Matthew 3:11; Mark 1:8; Luke 3:16; Acts 1:5; I Corinthians 12:13.
2. _____ with the Holy Ghost - Acts 2:1-4; 9:17.
3. _____ of the Holy Ghost - Acts 2:38; 8:20; 10:45; 11:17; Romans 5:5; 6:23.
4. _____ the Holy Ghost - Acts 8:15-19; 10:47; 19:2; John 7:37-39.
5. Holy Ghost _____ you - Acts 1:8; 19:6.
6. _____ out - Joel 2:28-29; Acts 2:17; 10:45.
7. _____ from heaven - I Peter 1:12.
8. _____ from heaven - Acts 2:2.
9. Holy Ghost _____ - Acts 8:16; 10:44; 11:15.
10. _____ on us - Titus 3:5-6; Acts 2:33; Romans 5:5

- **John 3:5**, *Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.*

- **John 7:38-39**, *He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water. 39, (But this spake he of the Spirit, which they that believe on him should receive: for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)*

The word translated "should" here literally means "to have the _____" in the Greek.

- **Acts 2:38, 40**, *Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. 40, And with many other words did he testify and exhort, saying, Save yourselves from this untoward generation.*
- **Romans 8:9-11**, *But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of his. 10, And if Christ be in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the Spirit is life because of righteousness. 11, But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you.*
- **Titus 3:5**, *Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to his mercy he saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Ghost.*

The word "regeneration" means "to bring _____ again."

- **Luke 11:13**, *If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children: how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?*
- **Acts 2:38b-39**, *ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. 39, For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call.*

There are only 4 things that can cause a person not to receive the Holy Ghost when they seek it:

1. Failure to truly _____ - You must be willing to change anything in your life!
2. _____ - Doubt that God can really do it for you.
3. Failure to _____ God completely and outwardly
4. Seeking to _____