

THE HOLY SPIRIT
IS ACTIVE TODAY

THE HOLY SPIRIT

**WE ALL COME FROM DIFFERENT
PLACES ON THIS**

THE HOLY SPIRIT

THE SPIRIT'S PROMISE AND PURPOSE
GOES BEYOND GIFTS AND POWERS.

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS REALLY ABOUT
CLOSENESS WITH GOD.

THE HOLY SPIRIT

WHO IS THE HOLY SPIRIT?

WHAT WAS THE SPIRIT DOING IN OT?

WHAT WAS THE SPIRIT DOING IN NT?

WHAT IS THE SPIRIT DOING TODAY?

HOLY SPIRIT POP QUIZ

1.

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS SCARY,
MAYBE EVEN DEADLY IF YOU
AREN'T VERY CAREFUL.
BETTER TO FOCUS ON
ANGELS, OR ON JESUS.

False

HOLY SPIRIT POP QUIZ

2

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS
AVAILABLE IN LARGER
DOSES IN LUDER, BOWD
CHURCHES

False

HOLY SPIRIT POP QUIZ

3

WHEN I AM HAVING A GOOD
DAY, I HAVE THE HOLY SPIRIT
IN MY LIFE. WHEN I AM IN A
BAD MOOD, OR WHEN I SLEEP, I
DON'T.

False

HOLY SPIRIT POP QUIZ

4

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS TOO HOLY FOR ME. BUT SOME PEOPLE, LIKE BILLY GRAHAM OR MOTHER TERESA, SEEM TO HAVE A LOT OF HIM.

False

HOLY SPIRIT POP QUIZ

5

False

THE HOLY SPIRIT LIKES YOU
BETTER IF YOU HAVE A DOVE
SYMBOL ON YOUR CAR, OR
SHOUT "AMEN!" A LOT, OR
GO TO ONE OF THOSE "HOLY
ROLLED" CHURCHES. IF I'M
A SHY EPISCOPALIAN, I MAY
BE OUT OF LUCK.

WHO IS THE HOLY SPIRIT?

NOT AN **ABSTRACT** CONCEPT

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS A PERSON

HE **KNOWS** THE **THINGS** OF GOD

HE HAS A **MIND**

HE **TEACHES** PEOPLE

HE CAN BE **OFFENDED**

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS A PERSON

HE LOVES

HE **DISTRIBUTES** SPIRITUAL **GIFTS**

THE HOLY SPIRIT IS GOD'S PRESENCE

PRESENT IN **PARTICULAR** PEOPLE FOR **SPECIFIC**
REASONS IN OLD TESTAMENT

PRESENT IN **BODILY** FORM IN JESUS

NOW **LIVING** INSIDE ALL **BELIEVERS**

John 14:16-17

I will ask the Father, and he will
give you another Counselor to be
with you forever- the Spirit of
truth.

THE HOLY SPIRIT: CREATION TO CHRIST

ACTIVE PART OF **CREATION**

CHANGED **HISTORY** THROUGH **CHOSEN** PEOPLE

“SELECTIVE INDWELLING”

EMPOWERED

WITHDRAWN

JOSEPH

SAMSON

JOSHUA

SAUL

DANIEL

NEHEMIAH

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SPOKE **ETERNAL TRUTH** THRU WRITERS AND
PROPHETS

2 Samuel 23:2

The Spirit of the Lord
speaks through me;
his words are upon my tongue.

Matthew 22:43

Then why does David, speaking under the inspiration of the Spirit, call the Messiah 'my Lord'?

2 Peter 1:21

Prophecy never had its origin in the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

THE HOLY SPIRIT: THE LIFETIME OF CHRIST

THE SPIRIT **CONCEIVED** A MIRACLE

Luke 1:35

The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you. So the baby to be born will be holy, and he will be called the Son of God.

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Luke 3:21-22

One day when the crowds were being baptized, Jesus himself was baptized. As he was praying, the heavens opened, and the Holy Spirit, in bodily form, descended on him like a dove.

Luke 4:18-19

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
for he has anointed me to bring
Good News to the poor.

Luke 4:18-19

He has sent me to proclaim that
captives will be released,
that the blind will see,
that the oppressed will be set free,
and that the time of the
Lord's favor has come."

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THE SPIRIT WAS **PROMISED** BY **JESUS**

John 14:16-17

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth.

John 14:16-17

The world cannot receive him, because it isn't looking for him and doesn't recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you."

THE HOLY SPIRIT: THE EARLY CHURCH

THE SPIRIT FILLED THE DISCIPLES AT PENTECOST

Acts 2:2-4

Suddenly, there was a sound from heaven like the roaring of a mighty windstorm, and it filled the house where they were sitting.

Acts 2:2-4

Then, what looked like flames or
tongues of fire appeared and
settled on each of them.

Acts 2:2-4

And everyone present was filled with the Holy Spirit and began speaking in other languages, as the Holy Spirit gave them this ability.

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HE EMPOWERED CHRISTIANS TO SPREAD THE
GOSPEL AROUND THE WORLD

THE HOLY SPIRIT: THE EARLY CHURCH

POWER
UNDERSTANDING
COMFORT
GUIDANCE
INSPIRATION

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

KEY TERMS

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

PENTECOST

THE JEWISH HARVEST FESTIVAL,
THE NT ARRIVAL OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

CHARISMATIC

FROM GREEK WORD CHARISMA, “ANNOINTING.”

THE HOLY SPIRIT ANOINTS THE BELIEVER WITH
PRESENCE AND POWER

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

SPIRIT-FILLED

THE UNHINDERED PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
IN THE CHRISTIAN'S LIFE

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

CESSATIONIST

ONE WHO BELIEVES THE APOSTOLIC AND “SIGN
GIFTS” OF THE HOLY SPIRIT HAVE CEASED

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

CONTINUALIST

**ONE WHO BELIEVES THE APOSTOLIC AND “SIGN
GIFTS” OF THE HOLY SPIRIT CONTINUE
UNHINDERED INTO THE PRESENT**

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

HE IS THE **INITIATOR**

John 16:8

When he comes, he will convict
the world of guilt in regard to sin
and righteousness and judgement.

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HE IS THE **INITIATOR**

HE IS THE **FAMILY NAME**

1 Corinthians 12:13

We were all baptized by one Spirit
into one body- whether Jews or
Greeks, slave or free.

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HE IS THE ETERNAL **GUARANTEE**

2 Corinthians 1:21-22

He has identified us as his own by placing the Holy Spirit in our hearts as the first installment that guarantees everything he has promised us.

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HE IS THE **CHANGE** MAKER

2 Corinthians 1:21-22

Once we, too, were foolish and disobedient. We were misled and became slaves to many lusts and pleasures. Our lives were full of evil and envy, and we hated each other.

2 Corinthians 1:21-22

But—“When God our Savior
revealed his kindness and love, he
saved us, not because of the
righteous
things we had done,
but because of his mercy.

2 Corinthians 1:21-22

He washed away our sins, giving us a new birth and new life through the Holy Spirit. He generously poured out the Spirit upon us through Jesus Christ our Savior.

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HE IS THE INSIDE **SOURCE**

1 Corinthians 3:16

Don't you realize that all of you together are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God lives in you?

Romans 8:9-11

But you are not controlled by your sinful nature. You are controlled by the Spirit if you have the Spirit of God living in you. (And remember that those who do not have the Spirit of Christ living in them do not belong to him at all.)

Romans 8:9-11

And Christ lives within you, so even though your body will die because of sin, the Spirit gives you life because you have been made right with God. The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you.

THE HOLY SPIRIT: AT WORK TODAY

HE IS THE TEACHER

HE IS THE WORSHIP LEADER

HE IS THE NATURE OF CHRIST

HE IS THE WISDOM OF GOD

HE IS THE COMFORT OF HEAVEN

**WHAT ABOUT THE
BAPTISM OF THE
HOLY SPIRIT?**

Acts 1:5,8

John baptized with water, but you
will be baptized with the Holy
Spirit not many days from now.”

Acts 1:5,8

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.”

Acts 2:2-4

And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.

Acts 2:2-4

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.

Acts 10:44-48

While Peter was still saying these things, the Holy Spirit fell on all who heard the word.

Acts 10:44-48

And the believers from among the circumcised who had come with Peter were amazed, because the gift of the Holy Spirit was poured out even on the Gentiles.

Acts 10:44-48

For they were hearing them
speaking in tongues and extolling
God.

Then Peter declared, “Can anyone
withhold water for baptizing these
people, who have received the
Holy Spirit just as we have?”

Acts 10:44-48

And he commanded them to be
baptized in the name of Jesus
Christ.

Acts 8:14-17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent to them Peter and John, who came down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit,

Acts 8:14-17

for he had not yet fallen on any of them, but they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.

Acts 8:14-17

Then they laid their hands on them
and they received the Holy Spirit.

Acts 19:1-6

And it happened that while
Apolllos was at Corinth, Paul
passed through the inland country
and came to Ephesus. There he
found some **disciples**.

Acts 19:1-6

And he said to them, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?” And they said, “No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.”

Acts 19:1-6

And he said,

“Into what then were you
baptized?”

They said, “Into John’s baptism.”
And Paul said, “John baptized with
the baptism of repentance, telling
the people to believe in the one
who was to come after him that is

Acts 19:1-6

On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. And when Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they began speaking in tongues and prophesying.

ACTS_{IS}
DESCRIPTIVE_{NOT}
PRESCRIPTIVE

**FIVE REASONS I AM
NOT A FAN**

**NOT TAUGHT ANYWHERE IN THE NEW
TESTAMENT**

FIVE REASONS I AM NOT A FAN

ACTS 1:5-8

JESUS PROMISED THE HOLY SPIRIT WOULD BRING
POWER TO EVANGELIZE THE WORLD

FIVE REASONS I AM NOT A FAN

9 CONVERSION STORIES IN ACTS... ONLY ONE
WITH THE “TWO-STEP” PROCESS

FIVE REASONS I AM NOT A FAN

NO BIBLE, NEW PEOPLE GROUPS

FIVE REASONS I AM NOT A FAN

1 CORINTHIANS 12:27-30

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Now you are the body of Christ
and individually members of it.

1 Corinthians 12:27-30

And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, helping, administrating, and various kinds of tongues.

1 Corinthians 12:27-30

Are all apostles? Are all prophets?
Are all teachers? Do all work
miracles? Do all possess gifts of
healing? Do all speak with
tongues? Do all interpret?

1 Corinthians 12:27-30

But earnestly desire the higher
gifts.

And I will show you a still more
excellent way.

**EXPERIENCE
VS.
DOCTRINE**

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