

Promises Not Panic Day 36 5/4/2020

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Acts 1:4-5 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."

Beloved- we're going to spend the next several sessions unpacking what Jesus said about the Holy Spirit... "you have heard from Me."

Tozer- if Jesus walked in the room, we wouldn't be scared, we'd weep for joy, fall at His feet, want everything He came for. Same with Spirit, no need to fear, it's the Spirit of Jesus and the promise of the Father. Nothing to fear and everything to embrace!

Joh 14:16-17 And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever—the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you.

a) **with you-** convicting, convincing, converting, leading you to Jesus! **Jn 16:8**
convict of sin, righteousness and judgement.

b) **in you-** once you're saved, sealing you, **Eph 1:13-14** In Him you also trusted, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise, who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory.

Act 1:8 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."

a) **upon you-** **Act 2:1-4** 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.

Important- when the Spirit comes **upon-** He fills! **He fills with power to be a witness!**

Notice-

a) power to preach, teach, testify- personally or publicly.

b) power to lead people to Jesus- 3000 first day and first sermon.

c) power to heal, walk in all manner of the supernatural- visions, dreams, deliverance, miracles of all kinds.

d) power to be bold, courageous and faithful in adverse circumstances- harassment to martyrdom. **Rev. Laurence White- Sin of Silence**

e) power over the demonic- in your own life, messenger of Satan to buffet me, or others.

Communion-

Prayer-

Share-

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