

The Gift of the Holy Spirit

Acts 2:1-13

Main Point:

Be thankful for the gift of the Holy Spirit and rely upon Him as you seek to be faithful to Jesus.

1. The Holy Spirit is a gift of the exalted Jesus.
2. The Holy Spirit is a gift given by Jesus to all of His disciples.
3. The Holy Spirit is a gift given by Jesus to equip His disciples for the gospel mission.
4. Be thankful for the gift of the Holy Spirit and rely upon Him as you seek to be faithful to Jesus.

Cross-References and Quotations

Acts 2:33 ³³ "Therefore being exalted to the right hand of God, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, He poured out this which you now see and hear. (NKJV)

Dennis Johnson "These flames marked each believer as a sanctuary on whom the Spirit of God rested ..."

1 Corinthians 12:13 ¹³ For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body-- whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free-- and have all been made to drink into one Spirit. (NKJV)

Dennis Johnson "Luke's catalogue of regions and nationalities sweeps from east (Parthians) to west (Rome), from north (Asia) to south (Egypt and Libya), from island peoples in the center of the sea (Cretans) to desert peoples on the outskirts of the Empire (Arabs)."

Acts 1:8 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." (NKJV)

Dennis Johnson "Even though the news of Jesus is unimaginably good and its messengers strive to make it as plain as day, still the aroma of Christ is the fragrance of life to some and the stench of death to others ..."