

The Holy Spirit and Spirit Baptism

*Acts 1:4-8; 2:1-4*

A. What is Spirit Baptism? Acts 1:8

* Spirit Baptism is a spiritual encounter Different and Separate from Salvation, empowering you with greater Anointing for ministry
* Spirit Baptism happens Five times in the Book of Acts: 2, 8, 9, 10, 19
* The Holy Spirit is now Inside and Outside, surrounding your life

B. Who can receive Spirit Baptism? Acts 2:38-39

* Spirit baptism is promised to Every follower of Jesus by both Jesus (Acts 1:4-5) and Peter (Acts 2:38-39)
* Salvation is the only Prerequisite; anyone who is saved is fully Qualified
* God is not looking for you to become more Spiritual before you receive; receiving the Holy Spirit Now will help you Become more spiritual

C. How can I be Sure that I have received Spirit Baptism? Matthew 28:19

* You will begin to pray in a New language as the Holy Spirit Prompts you; Acts 2:4
* The main outcome of Spirit baptism is Empowered communication

D. How do I receive Spirit Baptism? Acts 2:1-4

* Draw near to Jesus in Prayer
* Jesus will begin to Pour Out His Spirit upon you
* You begin to speak out Loud from the inner urging of the Spirit rather than your Known language and reason
* Like salvation, Spirit baptism is a Free gift; Acts 2:38. Free gifts are not Earned but simply Received; Luke 11:11-13
* The supernatural part of speaking in tongues is not our Speaking but rather What we are speaking

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