## HOLY SPIRIT

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#### **INTRO**

I Kings 10:1-7 - Queen of Sheba's spirit left her Spirit = breath = ruach (Herbew) Sure enough, when the breath leaves, so does the spirit Hebrew <> high tech language Ruach = breath, spirit, wind, breeze, mind, etc. Cool to think of HS as breath of God Gen 2:7 - God breathed into Adam Our life/breath comes from God

#### WHAT/WHO IS THE HOLY SPIRIT FROM OT?

Hebrew word ruach in many ways Gen 1:2 – Spirit of God moving over the waters = ruach Gen 3:8 - cool of the day = ruach Gen 6:3 -Spirit of God = ruach Gen 6:17 – breath of life = ruach Gen 26:35 - mind = ruachGen 41:8 – Pharaoh's spirit (ruach) was troubled God's ruach/spirit "comes on" someone Num 11:24-29 – God pours out His Spirit on these elders and they prophesied Num 24:2-6 – Spirit of God comes on Balaam and he sees things and prophesies Num 27:18 – Joshua had "the" Spirit IN him Judges 14:5-6 – Spirit of God comes on (rushes on) Samson and he kills a lion II Chro 24:20 – Spirit of God comes on Zechariah General I Sam 10:6-7, 9-10 – Saul prophesies when he is anointed king I Sam 19:20-21 – Saul sends people to prophesy against David Jud 6:34 – the Spirit of the Lord came on Gideon and he delivered the people Jud 14:5-6 – the Spirit of God comes on Samson to kill a lion with his bare hands Jud 15:14-15 – the Spirit of the Lord comes on Samson who kills 1,000 with a jawbone II Chro 20:14 – Spirit of the Lord in the whole congregation II Chro 18:22 – a lying spirit can come from God Psa 51:11 – do not take your Holy Spirit from me Isa 42:1 – God's Spirit put upon Jesus Messiah = Christ = anointed one Isa 61:1 – the Spirit of the Lord is on me because He has anointed me Isa 54:6 – human spirit same ruach as Holy Spirit of God Isa 63:10 – people can cause the Holy Spirit to be troubled Pushing away the Holy Spirit can make Him an enemy Isa 63:11-14 – it was the Holy Spirit that led the Hebrews from Egypt Eze 11:19-20 – God wants to put His Spirit in us and give us a heart of flesh, not stone Also Eze 36:26-27 Eze 39:29 – God pours out His Holy Spirit on the people of Israel Joel 2:28-29 – God promises to pour out His Spirit on all flesh Isa 28:11 – stammering lips will bring rest Acts 2:16-18 – Peter says Joel's prophecy is fulfilled here at Pentecost

#### HOLY SPIRIT IN NT

Spirit = Greek word pnuema Mat 1:18 – Jesus' conception was "by" Holy Spirit Ghost in KJV = spirit in modern English Matt 3:11 – first reference to Baptism WITH the Holy Spirit John's baptism nothing compared to baptism with the Holy Spirit Matt 3:16 – Spirit of God coming down to rest on Jesus Matt 4:1 – Holy Spirit leading Jesus just like He led prophets of old Matt 8:16 – evil spirits use same word pnuema Matt 10:20 – Holy Spirit called Spirit of the Father A promise from Jesus that the same Holy Spirit that lead Him into the wilderness Will lead us in times of trouble Matt 12:26-28 – Jesus cast demons out by the Holy Spirit Luke 11:20 says Jesus casts out demons by the Finger of God So, Finger of God = Holy Spirit Matt 12:31-32 – blasphemy against the Holy Spirit Blasphemy = contemptuous/profane act, utterance or writing regarding something sacred Vilification, especially against someone or something sacred The act of claiming for oneself the attributes of God? Matt 26:41 – seems to be talking about the human spirit? Mark 1:8 – Jesus is the giver of the Holy Spirit Mark 12:36 – Jesus explains that David was anointed by the Holy Spirit saying some things Luke 1:15 – prophecy about Jesus being FILLED with the Holy Spirit Christ = Greek for Anointed One, in Hebrew, Messiah means Anointed One Luke 1:67 – filling with the Holy Spirit causes prophecy Luke 2:25-27 – Simeon sounds like he was filled with the Holy Spirit and stayed that way Luke 3:16 – Jesus will baptize with Holy Spirit and fire What is the fire? Luke 4:1 – Jesus was full of the Holy Spirit and led by same Luke 4:14 – Jesus walked in the power of the Holy Spirit Holy Spirit is not just for wisdom, knowledge, guidance Luke 4:18 – the Spirit of the Lord was on Jesus to do many things Reminds me of Jesus telling the disciples not to minister without filling of Holy Spirit Luke 8:55 – New Testament example of spirit = breath = life Luke 11:13 – Holy Spirit is given by the Father to those who ask Context = Luke 11:5-Luke 12:12 – a purpose of the Holy Spirit in us is to tell us what to say Luke 24:39 – spirits do not have flesh and bones Luke 24:49 – stay in Jerusalem until you be Spirit filled with power John 1:32-33 – Spirit descends on Jesus at His baptism Same Spirit that Jesus baptizes with John 3:5-8 – we must be born of the Spirit John 4:23-24 – true worshippers worship in Spirit and truth John 7:39 – Holy Spirit not given because Jesus not resurrected John 14:17 – Jesus said the Holy Spirit is living with them John 14:26 – Holy Spirit = Comforter John 15:26 – Holy Spirit = Spirit of Truth = testifies of Jesus John 16:13 – Holy Spirit as a Revealer John 16:5-7 – Jesus must leave so the Holy Spirit can come

- John 20:22 Jesus breathes on disciples and commands them to receive the Holy Spirit
- Acts 1:4-8 do not start your ministry until you have been Spirit baptized
- Acts 4:8 Peter's actions informed by being filled with the Holy Spirit
- Acts 4:31 disciples refilled with the Holy Spirit
- Acts 5:32 Holy Spirit acts as a witness how?
- Acts 6:3 qualification for ordaining deacons = full of the Holy Spirit
- Not just acquainted with, or filled once before, but full now
- Acts 7:51 what did they do to resist the Holy Spirit?
- Acts 13:2-4 Holy Spirit active in sending ministers
- How did the Holy Spirit say what He did to them?
- Acts 13:9-11 Paul was filled with the Holy Spirit = anointed to do wonders?
- Acts 13:52 disciples once again refilled with the Holy Spirit
- Acts 15:28 example of Holy Spirit active in church government
- Acts 16:6-7 if we are to preach everywhere, why forbid them to preach in Asia?
- Acts 18:5 what is being pressed in the Holy Spirit?
- Acts 20:23 another reference to the Holy Spirit witnessing

What is this?

- Acts 20:28 another example of the role of the Holy Spirit in church government
- Acts 21:11 example of the Holy Spirit speaking through a prophet
- Rom 1:4 what is this spirit of holiness?
- Rom 2:29 in the spirit = in the spirit realm?
- Rom 5:5 Holy Spirit brings us hope
- Rom 8:1-2 walking after the spirit = Holy Spirit?
- How do we walk after the spirit?
- Rom 15:19 signs and wonders happen through the Holy Spirit
- I Cor 2:4 Holy Spirit demonstrates power

Signs and wonders and miracles?

- I Cor 2:10-14 inaction between God, Holy Spirit, and man's spirit
- I Cor 3:16 we are the Temple of the Holy Spirit
- I Cor 6:11 Holy Spirit sanctifies us

Holy = set apart = sanctified

- I Cor 6:19-20 human body = temple for Holy Spirit
- I Cor 7:40 what does Paul mean, "I have the Spirit of God on this"?
- I Cor 12:3-13 spiritual gifts
  - Early church fathers expected some evidence of Spirit baptism
- I Cor 14:2 Speaking in tongues = speaking mysteries
- I Cor 14:12-19 speaking in tongues vs prophecy
- II Cor 1:22 Holy Spirit = seal = down payment for inheritance to come Also II Cor 5:5
- II Cor 3:16-17 where the Spirit of the Lord is there is liberty
- II Cor 4 imitations of the Holy Spirit?
- II Cor 13:14 blessing that includes "communion of the Holy Spirit"
- Gal 3:2-5 Holy Spirit comes by hearing of faith
- Gal 3:14 promise of the Spirit = ?
- Gal 4:5-6 Holy Spirit allows us to call God Daddy
- Gal 5:16-18, 25 -walk in the Spirit = ?
- Gal 6:8-9 sowing and reaping related to flesh and spirit
- Eph 1:13-14 sealed by the Holy Spirit = ?
- Eph 1:17 spirit = characteristic or Holy Spirit?

Eph 2:2 – spirit = characteristic or spirit of Satan? Eph 2:22 – God is building His House by the Holy Spirit His House =? Eph 3:5 – Holy Spirit working through Apostles and Prophets Eph 4:2-4 – only one Holy Spirit? Eph 4:30 – how might the Holy Spirit be grieved? Eph 5:9 – fruit of the Spirit Eph 5:18 – comparing being drunk with being Holy Spirit filled Eph 6:17-18 – sword of the Holy Spirit = the Bible Phil 3:3 – worshipping God in the Spirit Col 1:8 – how is God's love declared in the Spirit? I Thes 1:5 – is this a list of 3 things or three synonyms? I Thes 4:8 – He gave us His Holy Spirit I Thes 5:19 – quench not the Holy Spirit - ?? II Thes 2:8 – the Spirit of God's mouth - ?? II Thes 2:13 – sanctification of the Holy Spirit - ?? II Tim 1:7 – God has not given us a spirit of fear II Tim 1:14 – keep that good thing by the Holy Spirit

Titus 3:5 – renewing of the Holy Spirit

Heb 2:4 – gifts of the Holy Spirit – a list or synonyms?

Heb 6:4-6 – impossible to restore those who have tasted and fallen away

Jam 4:5 – the Holy Spirit lusts to envy - ??

I Pet 1:2 – sanctification of the Spirit

II Pet 1:21 – OT prophecy from the Holy Spirit

I John 3:24, 4:13 – we know He lives in us by the Spirit He has given us

I John 5:7 – doctrine of the trinity?

Jude 1:20 – praying in the Holy Spirit

Rev 1:10, 4:2 – in the Spirit on the Lord's Day - ??

Rev 3:1, 4:5, 5:6 – seven spirits of God - ??

Rev 19:10 – testimony of Jesus = spirit of prophecy - ??

## HOLY SPIRIT BAPTISM

John 16:5-7 – Jesus must leave so the Holy Spirit can come Mark 1:8 – Jesus is the giver of the Holy Spirit Luke 11:11-13 – Jesus gives the Holy Spirit to those who ask Luke 24:49 – stay in Jerusalem until you be Spirit filled with power Acts 1:4-8 – do not start your ministry until you have been Spirit baptized I Cor 3:16 – we are the Temple of the Holy Spirit Acts 5:15-16 – Peter's shadow heals people Acts 19:11-12 – Paul sends out healing clothes Acts 2:1-4 – first people to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit Acts 9:15-19 – Paul is baptized in the Holy Spirit I Cor 14:18 – Paul thanks God he speaks in tongues the most Acts 10:24-27, 34-35, 44-47 – First Gentiles receive the Holy Spirit Acts 11:15-18 – Peter concludes the Gentiles were saved Acts 19:1-7 – Ephesians receive Holy Spirit after being saved

I Cor 12:8-10 - early church fathers expected some evidence of Spirit baptism

# JESUS THE EXAMPLE OF LIVING A SPIRIT FILLED LIFE

John 2:32-34 – Jesus' baptism and filling with the Holy Spirit
John was told to look for the coming Messiah
And he would know who was Messiah by this sign
The Holy Spirit would come to rest on Him and stay on/with Him
Now today, when that happens to someone
We call it being filled with the Holy Spirit or being baptized in the Holy Spirit
Jesus told His disciples to expect a similar experience after His resurrection
John 14:16-17 – Jesus will send the Holy Spirit to live in them
Not just with them
I think that Jesus was our example of a Spirit-filled man living on this earth
He is telling them here that He wanted this for His followers, too
Notice that Jesus did not start His ministry until after the Holy Spirit came on Him
He tells His followers the THEY should NOT start their ministry
Until after they have been filled with the Holy Spirit
Acts 1:4-5, 8 – Jesus last commands to His disciples
Wait for the Holy Spirit baptism before starting to minister to others
When you receive the Holy Spirit, you will receive power
Mark 16:17-18 – Jesus' expectation for believers
This, too, is right before Jesus ascended into Heaven
He is describing the normal life of the normal believer
He is describing a life of power where He expects every believer to
Lay hands on the sick and see them recover
Story of getting people in line to pray for sick for first time
Story of teenager praying for Jackie who was healed of cancer
Cast out demons
Story of incubus spirit
Speak in tongues
Not be subject to poisons (see Acts 28:3-6)
This is my contention
Jesus wants all we believers to walk in the same miraculous power that He walked in
But the only way we can do that is the way He did it
By first being filled to overflowing with the Holy Spirit of God
Let's look at what happened to the early believers

And what happened to them when the Holy Spirit fell on them

## **BAPTISM/FILLING/INDWELLING OF HOLY SPIRIT IN ACTS**

Baptism = immersion in water = baptisma (Greek) Simple languages means washing a cup = baptism of the cup Church use eventually gave it special meaning of religious significance Terms used = baptized, filled, received, indwelt (lived in) Isa 57:15 – God wants to live inside humble and contrite people Part of His desire to live in us is to comfort and revive us Holy Spirit baptisms and demonstrations in the book of Acts Sometimes called acts of the Apostles Maybe should be called the acts of the Holy Spirit Acts 2:1-11 – first outpouring of the Holy Spirit Pentecost is Greek for the Hebrew word Shavuot Shavuot is the celebration of God giving Torah on Mt Sinai How fitting that God would pour out His Holy Spirit on all mankind At the celebration of God pouring out the Law on the Jews Acts 2:17-18, 33 – Peter claims this experience is a fulfillment of Joel's prophecy Acts 2:38 – Peter expects everyone who gets saved to "receive" the Holy Spirit Acts 3:1-8 – Peter tells this crippled man that he has something better than money What Peter had was the Holy Spirit in Him Just like the Spirit on Moses was distributed to the elders Acts 4:7-8 – when they asked Peter how he did this miracle Acts 4:29-31 – disciples refilled with Holy Spirit Acts 5:15-16 – Peter's shadow heals people Acts 8:14-19 – Samarians receive the Holy Spirit Acts 9:15-19 - Paul is baptized in the Holy Spirit Acts 10:24-27, 34-35, 44-47 – First Gentiles receive the Holy Spirit Acts 11:15-18 – Peter concludes the Gentiles were saved Acts 13:8-11 – Paul also worked miracles because he was already filled with the Spirit Acts 18:24-26 – Apollos taught a "more accurate way" about baptism Acts 19:1-7 – Ephesians receive Holy Spirit after being saved Acts 19:11-12 – Paul sends out healing clothes

Why not speak in tongues?

I Cor 14:4 – speaking in tongues is a personal gift to build up the speaker

Isa 28:11 – stammering lips will bring rest

Jude 20 - praying in the Spirit builds up our faith

I Cor 14:18 - Paul spoke in tongues more than all the Corinthians combined

Real men serve God Real men have a vibrant, daily, deep relationship with Jesus Real men allow the gifts of the Holy Spirit to flow through them People say that sissies serve God (know what a sissy is?) My contention is that it takes a strong and courageous man to server God And to show gentleness and love to his family Let me share some experiences with you as a man Story of putting family through 3 years of financial pain Story of teaching Sandy how to do spiritual warfare riding a bicycle Now that she is grown and has 4 children of her own This has turned out to be an invaluable skill Story of Sandy and family moving into a new house A spirit of fear in the new house began to paralyze Sandy Her first daughter Hannah started being demonized Hannah would get this wild look in her eyes that terrified Sandy The Holy Spirit revealed to Sandy and her husband That they were being attacked by demons in their new house Some missionary friends of ours helped us do a home blessing for them Once we all agreed together and drove off those demons in Jesus' Name Everything calmed down in their house – and with Hannah, too Sandy was telling me that this has become second nature now My wife also taught our daughter how to tattle to God on her husband When they think we men are about to make a bad decision They do not argue with us But go to God and "tell" on their husband You have heard children say, "I'm going to tell on you" When they do that, God protects us from making bad decisions Teach your wives and daughters to do this Story of children praying for healing of Aedan's finger