



THE SUPERNATURAL BIRTH OF THE CHURCH

Acts 2:1-13 // Dr. Ron Jones

“I baptize you with water for repentance, but he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire.” MATTHEW 3:11 ESV; MARK 1:8; LUKE 3:16; JOHN 1:33

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. ⁴And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance. ACTS 2:1-4 ESV

The baptism of the Holy Spirit is the _____ that places the believer into the _____.

Baptism vs. Filling of the Holy Spirit

Happens Once	Happens Repeatedly
For All Believers	For Yielded Believers
Justification (past)	Sanctification (present)
Resident in You	President of You
<i>Do you have the Holy Spirit?</i>	<i>Does the Holy Spirit have you?</i>

“What Does This Mean?”

1. You have a new _____.

Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. ROMANS 6:1-5 ESV

2. You are part of a new _____.

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit. 1 COR. 12:12-13 ESV; EPH. 4:3

3. You possess a greater _____.

*“And you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you.” ACTS 1:8
ESV; EPHESIANS 3:19-20*

4. You’ve been given a new _____.

ROMANS 12:6-8; 1 CORINTHIANS 12:8-10; 1 PETER 4:11

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Speaking in tongues is the supernatural ability to communicate in a _____ otherwise not learned.