

The Holy Spirit

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Dedication

This book is dedicated to God Almighty for counting me worthy of His calling.

Acknowledgement

I'm grateful to The Holy Spirit my mentor, guide and friend, whom through the Almighty God has inspired me to write this book.

As you study this book receive ye the Holy Ghost in Jesus Name!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Sophia C. Mackintosh', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

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Preface

But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. Acts 1:8 KJV

As a believer you must witness for Christ, but you need the Holy Ghost to come upon you, empower you and lead you to the harvest of souls into the kingdom of God. We have the mind of Christ and we are ambassadors of Christ here on earth.

Keys to receiving the power of the Holy Ghost

1. Prayer and Supplication

These all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication, with the women, and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brethren. Acts 1:14 KJV

Much prayer, Much Power

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A prayer less Christian is a powerless Christian.
Pray without ceasing in your hearts, homes and offices.
But allow the Holy Spirit to guide you.

2. In one Accord

And when the day of Pentecost was 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 all the house where they were sitting.

And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance. Acts 2:1-4 KJV

Unity is a necessity if you must have the Holy Ghost in you.

1

The Outpouring

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And there were dwelling at Jerusalem Jews, devout men, out of every nation under heaven.

Now when this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language.

Acts 2:1-6 KJV

Peter and the other apostles had an unusual boldness and power on the day of Pentecost, a Divine transformation has taken place in their lives, they were no more ordinary men, they were now operating in the supernatural, the Holy Spirit has enveloped them and compelled the souls of men to come to them so they might be saved.

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. For the promise is unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the LORD our God shall call. And with many other words did he testify and exhort, saying, Save yourselves from this untoward generation. Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same

day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. Acts 2:38-41 KJV

Take a fish out of water the fish dies.
Take a plant out of soil the plant dies.
Take a man out of God the Man dies.

The Holy Spirit is a person, not a dove or a feeling.
But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you. John 14:26 KJV

Prayer of Salvation

If you want to give your life to Christ and be saved, pray this prayer with all sincerity and confidence.

Lord Jesus, I come to you today, I am a sinner, I cannot help myself. Forgive me of all my sins. I believe in my heart that you died for me and you were raised up by God.

Today I accept you, Lord Jesus, as my Lord and
Saviour.

Cleanse me with your precious blood; deliver me from sin and Satan to serve the living God. Thank you, Jesus, for saving me. Now I know I am born again, in Jesus Name.

Amen.

2

Global Evangelism

And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen. Matthew 28:18-20 KJV

This commission is not for pastors alone, it's for every believer. Win one each one, each one tell the world, he that winneth a soul is wise. Soul winning is the heart beat of God.

There are a lot of people in your neighbourhoods that needs the message of salvation, the unadulterated gospel of Jesus.

Benefits of Soul Winning

1. You operate in signs and wonders.

And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned. And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover. And they went forth, and preached every where, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following. Amen. Mark 16:15-18 &20 KJV

We are for signs and wonders; win a soul for God today. Every soul is important to God, find and preserve His lost sheeps.

2. You carry God's nature.

And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God. Ephesians 3:19 KJV

God loves humanity, sending Jesus to us is an act of love.
We too should be like Him.

3. You walk in love

Is it not to deal thy bread to the hungry, and that thou bring the poor that are cast out to thy house? when thou seest the naked, that thou cover him; and that thou hide not thyself from thine own flesh? Then shall thy light break forth as the morning, and thine health shall spring forth speedily: and thy righteousness shall go before thee; the glory of the LORD shall be thy rereward. Then shalt thou call, and the LORD shall answer; thou shalt cry, and he shall say, Here I am. If thou take away from the midst of thee the yoke, the putting forth of the finger, and speaking vanity; And if thou draw out thy soul to the hungry, and satisfy the afflicted soul; then shall thy light rise in obscurity, and thy darkness be as the noon day: And the LORD shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones: and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not. And they that shall be of thee shall build the old waste places: thou shalt raise up the foundations of many generations; and thou shalt be called, The repairer of the breach, The restorer of paths to dwell in. Isaiah 58:7-12 KJV

When you walk in love, you walk in God, for God is love.
Have love for God and humanity.
Love never fails.

4. God equates a soul winner higher on earth

***For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. Romans 1:16 KJV
God is not a man, that he should lie; neither the son of man, that he should repent: hath he said, and shall he not do it? or hath he spoken, and shall he not make it good? Numbers 23:19 KJV***

Don't be ashamed to tell your colleagues, business partners, school mates and friends that you are a Christian in your word and character.

5. You enjoy victory

For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith. 1 John 5:4

In this victory is kingdom wealth, health and answers to prayers. Avail yourself for this great commission. For there is joy in heaven over one sinner that repents.

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Cleanse me with your precious blood; deliver me from sin and Satan to serve the living God. Thank you, Jesus, for saving me. Now I know I am born again, in Jesus Name.

Amen.

3 The Word

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life; and the life was the light of men. And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not. John 1:1-5 KJV

Jesus is the word of God. The Holy Spirit bears witness of Him. We are carriers of His glory, His ambassadors here on earth.

Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgment: because as he is, so are we in this world. 1 John 4:17 KJV

Every born again child of God should be cautious of this scripture; as He is, so are we in this world.

It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life. John 6:63 KJV

God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth. John 4:24 KJV

What the Word does

1. Healing

He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions. Psalms 107:20 KJV

Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed. 1 Peter 2:24 KJV

God's Word is a healing word.

How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing

all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him.
Acts 10:38 KJV

2. Deliverance

***Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler,
and from the noisome pestilence. Psalms 91:3 KJV***

When you believe in God's word your deliverance is sure.

3. Favour

***For thou, LORD, wilt bless the righteous; with favour wilt
thou compass him as with a shield. Psalms 5:12 KJV***

When God favour is upon a man's life he makes his enemies to be at peace with him.

Receive divine favour now in Jesus name!

4. Satisfaction

***Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy
youth is renewed like the eagle's. Psalms 103:5 KJV***

When you speak God's Word into your life, you will get the satisfaction you need to live a life of abundance.

"I am the head and not the tail. I am above and not beneath. I have the mind of Christ. We are more than conquerors."

5. Promotion

***For promotion cometh neither from the east, nor from the
west, nor from the south. But God is the judge: he putteth
down one, and setteth up another. Psalms 75:6-7 KJV***

If God has not lifted you, no man can.

For the heart of a king is in the hand of God.

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Behold He Cometh

Behold, I come as a thief. Blessed is he that watcheth, and keepeth his garments, lest he walk naked, and they see his shame. Revelation 16:15 KJV

Always bear in mind the second coming of Christ Jesus. Live right, eat right, and behave right. Mind the companies you keep. When you die your book is closed.

Mend your ways, save souls for Christ, but save yourself as well.

And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. And he shall send his angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they shall gather together his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other. Matthew 24:30&31 KJV

The second coming of Christ is real, He is coming back again, and no one knows the time of his return, so be watchful and wait, hold fast till he comes.

Signs of the end

Jesus told us of the things that would happen at the end of times.

1. False Christs

For many shall come in my name, saying, I am Christ; and shall deceive many. Matthew 24:5 KJV

2. Wars and rumours of wars

And ye shall hear of wars and rumours of wars Matthew 24:6a KJV

3. Nation shall rise against nation

For nation shall rise against nation Matthew 24:7a KJV

4. Kingdom against Kingdom

and kingdom against kingdom Matthew 24:7b KJV

5. Famines

and there shall be famines Matthew 24:7c KJV

6. Pestilences

and pestilences Matthew 24:7d KJV

7. Earthquakes

and earthquakes, in divers places. Matthew 24:7e KJV

8. Affliction and Killing

Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you Matthew 24:9a KJV

9. Hate and Betrayals

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