



Mark 16:17-18 "And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name they will drive out demons; they will speak in new tongues; they will pick up snakes with their hands; and when they drink deadly poison, it will not hurt them at all; they will place their hands on sick people, and they will get well." (NIV)



1. The _____

Acts 1:4 "Jesus gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about."

Luke 24:49 "I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."


Acts 2:39 "The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off-- for all whom the Lord our God will call."




Galatians 3:14 "...so that by faith we might receive the promise of the Spirit.

2. The _____

Acts 2:38-39 "Peter replied, Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call." (NIV)

 _____ of sins through Jesus and
be baptized in water.

 _____ of the Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 1:13-14

Ephesians 5:18 "And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery (will destroy and ruin your life); but ever be filled and stimulated with the Holy Spirit."



3. The _____

1 Corinthians 13:1 "If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal."

1 Corinthians 14:2, 5

Intimate communication with God 14:2 "Anyone who speaks in a tongue...speaks to God."

Edifying the believer's private life 14:4 "Those who speak in a tongue edify themselves."

A beautiful expression of praise 14:14 "I will sing with my spirit, I will sing with my understanding."



4. The _____

Acts 1:8 "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you..." (NIV)

- 1-Promise
- 2-Experience
- 3-Sign
- 4-Power



Remember, do it to grow, not to get done.

Priming the Pump

Memorial Day is Monday May 30. Talk a little bit about how those who have fought in a war (from your extended family) have impacted you.

The Promised Land

If you're doing the daily readings, you will read Exodus 35-36:7 this week. To give you a jump start, read it together as a group. We are often pretty hard on the Israelites for their behavior and attitudes as they were traveling out of Egypt and toward the Promised Land so I wanted to highlight this chapter. Pay attention to the tone of this section (especially compared to others) and to the way the children of Israel responded. What are repeated phrases and outcomes to be celebrated?



Below are listed more verses that note ways we as believers have been identified and marked by His Spirit. Read them either to learn them for the first time or to remind yourselves of these particular marks and how you have experienced God through them...
i.e. how have you experienced being marked by the Spirit and how important has it been that He has marked you in this particular way?



- Galatians 3:14**
- Ephesians 1:13**
- 2 Corinthians 1:22; 3:8; 3:17**
- John 16:7,8**
- Philippians 3:3**
- Romans 5:5, 15:30, 8:16, 14:17**
- 1 Corinthians 2:13**
- Hebrews 2:4**
- Galatians 5:18, 22**
- 1 John 4:1,2**

This is, of course, just a cross section of the verses pertaining to the Spirit's marking us. Can you come up with a few more?



FURTHER READING *(Scripture for Daily Reading)*

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| <i>Day 1</i> Exodus 35 | <i>Day 2</i> John 7 | <i>Day 3</i> Psalms 35 |
| <i>Day 4</i> Exodus 36 | <i>Day 5</i> Psalms 36 | <i>Day 6</i> Exodus 37 |