

Would you like to hear the Good News?

God still loves you. He never stopped loving you. He loved you so much that He sent His Son Jesus to bring you back. All you have to do is let Him bring you back. Will you pray with me?

“Lord Jesus... I want to stop trusting in myself...and what I can do...and start trusting in you...and what you have already done...when you died for me on the cross. I know that I am a sinner...and I am sorry for my sins. I ask you to forgive me...I believe you rose again...and I invite you to come and live inside of me. I want you to be my Savior and Lord...which means being #1 in my life. I want to repent and turn away...from everything you and the Bible call sin...and I totally commit myself...to obeying you...everyday, for the rest of my life. Lord Jesus baptize me in your precious Holy Spirit. Thank you Jesus.”

Now that you have made peace with God, He is ready for you to begin to grow in a personal relationship with Him.

Receiving More Of Jesus? “The Baptism in the Holy Spirit”

1. Did you know that God has a good gift for you – the Holy Spirit?
2. Would you like to ask God to receive the Holy Spirit – Luke 11:13?
3. Do you believe the Bible is the Word of God?
4. Have you heard of the Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit and that all are in agreement with the Baptism of the Holy Spirit? The Father is the One Who Promised – Acts 1:8. Jesus is the One Who Baptizes us in the Holy Spirit – Luke 3:16. The Holy Spirit is the One who gives us the utterance or the words and that this is the “initial sign” of the Baptism of the Holy Spirit – Acts 2:4.
5. Do you believe that the Baptism of the Holy Spirit is speaking in tongues? – Acts 10:44-46, Acts 19:2-6
6. Would you like to know why the Baptism in the Holy Spirit is important?
 - a. Receive the ability or power of the Holy Spirit – Acts 1:8
 - b. Build up your most holy faith – Jude 1:20
 - c. Edify yourself (give yourself a spiritual battery charge) – 1 Cor. 14:4
 - d. Speak mysteries to God – 1 Corinthians 14:2
 - e. When you don’t know how to pray, the Holy Spirit will pray through you the perfect will of God. (When you pray in other tongues) – Romans 8:26-28
7. How is “Salvation” different than the “Baptism in the Holy Spirit?”

Answer: Jesus described the born again experience as a “fountain of water springing up into everlasting life – John 4:14. Salvation is to benefit the believer. When we are born again the Holy Spirit enters our spirit and assures us of eternal life with God. Jesus describes the Baptism in the Holy Spirit as “rivers of living water flowing out of the heart – John 7:38-39.” The Baptism of the Holy Spirit is to benefit those for whom we minister. The Baptism of the Holy Spirit provides us the power that flows out of our spirit to meet the needs of others.
8. The disciples were in the upper room on the Day of Pentecost and when they were in one accord in one place “they were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance – Acts 2:4. Who spoke in other tongues?
9. Do you believe that words are made up of syllables?
10. Will you confess that you have received the Holy Spirit, before you speak in tongues?
11. By faith speak in syllables, and allow the Holy Spirit to have your tongue, to form syllables into a new language or tongue. The Holy Spirit will flow from your heart.
12. Pray for a minute in tongues and stop. The prophet controls his own spirit or his own tongue – 1 Corinthians 14:32.
13. Continue to pray in tongues and worship the Lord.



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Hearing His Voice

Opened Ears

They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony...

Revelation 12:11



Drew Schlagel

I grew up in a Christian home, and gave my life to the Lord when I was seven years old. During elementary school, I told lots of my friends about Jesus. A few even gave their life to the Lord. When my family moved from our home in Lawrence, KS to Frisco, TX, my whole life changed. I attended a public school, which was a culture shock for me. Up until then, I had been going to a private school. I didn’t fit in, and kids made fun of me because I didn’t wear the name brand clothes, or Nike air shoes. I was picked on a lot. I still told people about Jesus, but lost some of my friends as a result. The fire in me began to dwindle, because of the rejection I was facing. I slowly told less people about Jesus.

In ninth grade, I failed my hearing test. The nurse said I was probably stuffed up and should come in again later. When I came again, the same thing happened. She recommended that I go to an audiologist, someone who specializes in the ear. When I went, I found out that I had about thirty percent hearing loss in both ears. They said it was not from loud noise, but probably hereditary. They put me in preferential seating in school, and said I should consider getting a hearing aid. One thing is for sure, I was not going to get a hearing aid!

In school I was treated differently, and the teacher practically yelled at me, thinking I could not hear her. Despite this, I concealed my problem rather well, and very few people knew of

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my disability. As time progressed though, it became more difficult to hear and I suffered depression as a result. My dreams of becoming a pilot had gone out the window, I began to lack motivation in school, and my grades began to suffer as a result. I began to question if God was really real? Why was He allowing this to happen to me? I said “God if you’re real, show me!”

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In the summer of 2003, He did. I went to Youth for the Nations, a summer camp at Christ for the Nations Institute in Dallas, TX. There I was exposed to the gifts of the Spirit, speaking in tongues, and other manifestations. I was introduced to “the Baptism of the Holy Spirit,” which I asked my youth pastor about.

Later that year I rededicated my life to the Lord. I was 16 years old. The next year, I went again and I decided I wanted this “Baptism of the Holy Spirit.” I went up for prayer and a young man came and laid his hands on me, and prayed for me to receive the Holy Spirit. After he prayed he said “You got it!” I looked at him, with an expression like “really?”

Then for the first time in my life I felt the tangible presence of God all around me. It felt as though someone were hugging me, embracing me. It was the most wonderful feeling in the world! I also felt a breeze in the sanctuary.

From that point on, my life has never been the same. The Lord began to give me prophetic dreams and visions, I began to fast and pray, and seek God more than ever before! After visiting several universities, I asked the Lord, “Where do you want me to go?” He showed me in a vision, it was Texas A&M-Commerce. My freshmen year I played lead guitar for Chi-Alpha, and my junior and senior year I led worship for Lift Student Ministries. All the while, I was still hard of hearing. Then in June of 2008, I

decided I was going to get a hearing aid. I was tired of not being able to hear. One night, I was praying and God said “You will be healed on Sunday.” That was on Monday. On July 27, 2008 I was completely healed from hearing loss and asthma!

Surprisingly, I didn’t speak in tongues until July 4, 2009. At first it was just one word. As time progressed, I received more. In February of 2010, God called me to the ministry. Today I’m working with a church in Commerce, TX where I lead worship, and preach for a college and young adult ministry. God has been so good to me! If you seek Him, you will find Him.

*“You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.”
Jeremiah. 29:13*

OUR VISION FROM GOD: Men who are spiritually dead are standing shoulder to shoulder across the globe; hear and receive the message of hope, and are spiritually resurrected from the dead, filled with God’s Holy Spirit, with radiant faces and hands lifted toward heaven praising God.

GOD’S PURPOSE FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

- To reach men everywhere for Jesus Christ with the same social, cultural or business interests.
 - To call men to God: to help men become born again, baptized in the Holy Spirit, operate in the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.
 - To mentor young men who have never had positive male role model by being a spiritual father to them.
 - To provide a basis of fellowship among all men everywhere, regardless of church affiliation.
 - To bring about a greater measure of unity and harmony in the Body of Christ.
 - To train and equip men to succeed in the business world.
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