

ACTS  
1&2

# By His Spirit

EMPOWERED



‘Not by might nor by  
power, but by my Spirit,’  
says the Lord Almighty.

**ZECHARIAH 4:6B**

## ACTS 1:1,2

<sup>1</sup> In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach <sup>2</sup> until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen.



## ACTS 1:1,2

<sup>4</sup> On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: “Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. <sup>5</sup> For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”

Baptize = Immerse



# Three kinds of baptism

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## 1. Baptism into the body of Christ

## 1 CORINTHIANS 12:13 NASB

<sup>13</sup> For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.



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## 1. Baptism into the body of Christ

**PURPOSE: SALVATION**



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## 2. Baptism in the water



## ACTS 2:38

<sup>38</sup> 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.



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## 2. Baptism in the water

**PURPOSE: IDENTIFICATION**



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## 3. Baptism in the Holy Spirit



## ACTS 1:5

<sup>5</sup> For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit.”



## ACTS 2:32,33

<sup>32</sup> God has raised this Jesus to life, and we are all witnesses of it. <sup>33</sup> Exalted to the right hand of God, he has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit and has poured out what you now see and hear.



## ACTS 1:8

<sup>8</sup> But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”



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## 3. Baptism in the Holy Spirit

**PURPOSE: POWER**



## ACTS 2:1-4

<sup>1</sup> When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.



## ACTS 2:1-4

<sup>3</sup> They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. <sup>4</sup> All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.



## ACTS 2:14,15

<sup>14</sup> Then Peter stood up with the Eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: “Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. <sup>15</sup> These people are not drunk, as you suppose. It’s only nine in the morning!



## ACTS 2:16-18

<sup>16</sup> No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: <sup>17</sup> “ ‘In the last days, God says, I will **pour out** my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams.



## ACTS 2:16-18

<sup>18</sup> Even on my servants, both men and women,  
I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they  
will prophesy.





Believe & Receive



