

Prayer Concerns:

The Power of the Holy Spirit – Part 1

Selected Scriptures

The Holy Spirit's power over creation:

1. He _____ the _____ in the _____.

“By his Spirit he hath garnished the heavens.” [Job 26:13a KJV]

2. He brought _____ from _____. [Gen. 1:2]

The Holy Spirit's power over death:

1. The Spirit _____ Jesus from the _____. [1 Pet. 3:18]

2. The Spirit raises _____ to _____ in Christ. [Rom. 8:11]

The Holy Spirit's power to transform human hearts:

*“Not by might nor by power, but by my Spirit,
says the LORD Almighty.” [Zech. 4:6b]*

*“And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are
being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory,
which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.” [2 Cor. 3:18]*

Trusting in the Spirit's power:

1. _____ the Spirit is _____, why do we _____?

2. _____ the Spirit to _____.

Personal Study/Growth Group Discussion Questions

Getting started:

1. Can you think of a time when you attempted to accomplish something alone but needed help from another person?

Digging deeper:

1. Read Romans 15:13. What does the Lord promise to those who trust in Him? Who is the source of our hope, joy, and peace?
2. In the King James Version of the Bible, Job 26:13a reads, “*By his Spirit he hath garnished the heavens.*” Read Psalm 19:1-4. How do the heavens declare the glory of God?
3. Read Genesis 1:2. How has the Holy Spirit brought beauty and order from the chaos of your life?

4. Read 2 Corinthians 3:18. What is our role in the Holy Spirit’s work of transforming us into the image of Jesus?

5. If the Spirit is all-powerful, why do we doubt anything? How do you answer that question?

Taking it Home:

1. Are you trusting in the Holy Spirit’s power, or are you doubting Him in a particular area of your life?
2. Read Psalm 139:23-24. Do you need to pray this prayer for yourself?