

First Words:

A. The _____ of Impact in the Early Church

1. _____ - **Acts 2:4** - *And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.*
2. _____ - **Acts 4:8** - *Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders*
3. _____ - **Acts 6:3–5** - *Therefore, brothers, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we will appoint to this duty. ⁴ But we will devote ourselves to prayer and to the ministry of the word." ⁵ And what they said pleased the whole gathering, and they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and of the Holy Spirit, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolaus, a proselyte of Antioch.*
4. _____ - **Acts 7:54–55, 59-60** - *Now when they heard these things they were enraged, and they ground their teeth at him. ⁵⁵ But he, full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God.... And as they were stoning Stephen, he called out, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." ⁶⁰ And falling to his knees he cried out with a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." And when he had said this, he fell asleep.*
5. _____ - **Acts 8:39** - *And when they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord carried Philip away, and the eunuch saw him no more, and went on his way rejoicing.*
6. _____ - **Acts 9:17–19** - *So Ananias departed and entered the house. And laying his hands on him he said, "Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus who appeared to you on the road by which you came has sent me so that you may regain your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit." ¹⁸ And immediately something like scales fell from his eyes, and he regained his sight. Then he rose and was baptized; ¹⁹ and taking food, he was strengthened. For some days he was with the disciples at Damascus.*

7. _____ - **Acts 11:22–24** - *The report of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. ²³ When he came and saw the grace of God, he was glad, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast purpose, ²⁴ for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were added to the Lord.*

B. The _____ of the Holy Spirit in the Men of Impact

1. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 13:9–10** - *But Saul, who was also called Paul, filled with the Holy Spirit, looked intently at him ¹⁰ and said, "You son of the devil, you enemy of all righteousness, full of all deceit and villainy, will you not stop making crooked the straight paths of the Lord?"*
2. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 1:8** - *But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."*
3. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 4:31** - *And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness.*
4. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 5:3 & 9** - *But Peter said, "Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit and to keep back for yourself part of the proceeds of the land?...But Peter said to her, "How is it that you have agreed together to test the Spirit of the Lord? Behold, the feet of those who have buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out."*
5. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 9:31** - *So the church throughout all Judea and Galilee and Samaria had peace and was being built up. And walking in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit, it multiplied.*
6. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 13:2 & 4** - *While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them." ...*

⁴ So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus.

7. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 16:6-7** - And they went through the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been forbidden by the Holy Spirit to speak the word in Asia. ⁷ And when they had come up to Mysia, they attempted to go into Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus did not allow them.

8. The Holy Spirit _____ leaders for them - **Acts 20:28** - Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood.

9. The Holy Spirit _____ through them - **Acts 21:4** - And having sought out the disciples, we stayed there for seven days. And through the Spirit they were telling Paul not to go on to Jerusalem.

10. The Holy Spirit _____ them - **Acts 28:25** - And disagreeing among themselves, they departed after Paul had made one statement: "The Holy Spirit was right in saying to your fathers through Isaiah the prophet:

C. The _____ for being Filled with the Holy Spirit

1. The role of _____ - **Acts 5:32** - And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit, whom God has given to those who obey him."

2. The role of _____ - **Luke 11:13** - If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

3. The role of _____ - **Ephesians 5:18** - And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit...

4. The role of the _____ - **Colossians 3:16** - Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God.



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