“*From the FALL to the FINISH*”

*Lesson 11 - Is the Holy Spirit still PROMISED to those that believe?*

1 Corinthians 15:1-4

1. Moreover, brethren, I declare unto you the gospel which I preached unto you,

which also ye have received, and wherein ye stand;

1. By which also ye are saved, if ye keep in memory what I preached unto you,

unless ye have believed in vain.

1. For I delivered unto you first of all that which I also received,

how that Christ *died* for our sins according to the scriptures;

1. And that he was *buried*, and that *he rose again* the third day according to the scriptures:

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*See C. W. Bynum, The Resurrection of the Body in Western Christianity, 200-1336 (1995).*

*Resurrection (Latin = rising again), arising again from death to life. The emergence of Jesus from the tomb to live on earth again for 40 days as told in the Gospels has been from the beginning the central fact of Christian experience and a cardinal feature of Christian doctrine… It was the guarantee not only of Christ's mission and the seal of redemption but also of the resurrection of all men.*

Ezekiel 37:1-14

1. The hand of the LORD was upon me, and carried me out in the spirit of the LORD,

and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones,

1. And caused me to pass by them round about: and, behold,

there were very many in the open valley; and, lo, they were very dry.

1. And he said unto me, *Son of man, can these bones live*?

And I answered, *O Lord GOD, thou knowest*.

1. Again he said unto me, Prophesy upon these bones, and say unto them,

*O ye dry bones, hear the word of the LORD*.

1. Thus saith the Lord GOD unto these bones;

*Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you, and ye shall live*:

1. And I will lay sinews upon you, and will bring up flesh upon you,

and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and *ye shall live*;

and *ye shall know that I am the LORD*.

1. So I prophesied as I was commanded:

and as I prophesied, there was a noise, and behold a shaking,

and the bones came together, bone to his bone.

1. And when I beheld, lo, the sinews and the flesh came up upon them,

and the skin covered them above: but there was no breath in them.

1. Then said he unto me,

Prophesy unto the wind, prophesy, son of man, and say to the wind,

Thus saith the Lord GOD; Come from the four winds,

O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.

1. So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them,

and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, *an exceeding great army*.

1. Then he said unto me, Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel:

behold, they say, *Our bones are dried, and our hope is lost*: we are cut off for our parts.

1. Therefore prophesy and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord GOD;

Behold, O my people, *I will open your graves, and cause you to come up out of your graves*, and bring you into the land of Israel.

1. And ye shall know that I am the LORD, when I have opened your graves,

O my people, and brought you up out of your graves,

1. *And shall put my spirit in you*, and *ye shall live*, and I shall place you in your own land:

then shall ye know that I the LORD have spoken it, and performed it, saith the LORD.

Ezekiel 36:26-27

26 *A new heart also will I give you*, and *a new spirit* will I put *within you*:

and *I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh*, and *I will give you an heart of flesh*.

27 And *I will put my spirit within you*, and *cause you to walk in my statutes*,

and ye shall keep my judgments, and do them.

Isaiah 28:9-12

9 Whom shall he *teach knowledge*? and whom shall he *make to understand doctrine*?

them that are weaned from the milk, and drawn from the breasts.

10 For precept must be upon precept, precept upon precept;

line upon line, line upon line; here a little, and there a little:

11 For with *stammering lips* and *another tongue* will he speak to *this people*.

12 To whom he said, *This is the rest wherewith ye may cause the weary to rest*;

and this is the refreshing: yet they would not hear.

Joel 2:28-29

28 And it shall come to pass *afterward*, that *I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh*;

and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions:

29 And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days

*will I pour out my spirit*.

Acts 2:12-16

12 And they were all amazed, and *were in doubt*, saying one to another,

*What meaneth this*?

1. Others mocking said, *These men are full of new wine*.
2. *But Peter*, standing up with the eleven, lifted up his voice, and said unto them,

Ye men of Judaea, and all ye that dwell at Jerusalem,

be this known unto you, and hearken to my words:

15 *For these are not drunken, as ye suppose*, seeing it is but the third hour of the day.

16  *But this is THAT* which was spoken by the prophet Joel;

17 And *it shall come to pass in the last days*, saith God,

*I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh:*

and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams:

the bible repeats the phrase “…*it shall come to pass*…” **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**?

Matthew 3:11-12

11 I indeed baptize you with water *unto repentance*: but he that cometh after me is mightier than I, whose shoes I am not worthy to bear:

*he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and with fire:*

12 Whose fan is in his hand, and *he will throughly PURGE his floor*,

and *GATHER his wheat into the garner*;

but *he will BURN UP the chaff with unquenchable fire*.

St. John 7:37-39

*37 In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying,*

*If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink.*

*38 He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said,*

*out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.*

*39 (But this spake he of the Spirit, which they that believe on him should receive:*

*for the Holy Ghost was not yet given; because that Jesus was not yet glorified.)*

Acts 1:5

*John truly baptized with water;*

*but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.*

Acts 1:8

*But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you:*

*and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea,*

*and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.*

Acts 2:38-40

38 *Then Peter said unto them, REPENT,\**

***AND*** *be BAPTIZED every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ*

*for the remission of sins,*

***AND*** *ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.*

*39 For the promise is unto you, and to your children,*

*and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call.*

*40 And with many other words did he testify and exhort, saying,*

*Save yourselves from this untoward generation.*

\*(“The ABC’s” of many religions…)

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Acts 5:30-32

30 *The God of our fathers raised up Jesus, whom ye slew and hanged on a tree.*

*31 Him hath God exalted with his right hand to be a Prince*

*and a Saviour, for to give repentance to Israel, and forgiveness of sins.*

*32 And we are his witnesses of these things; and so is also the Holy Ghost,*

*whom God hath given to them that obey him.*

Acts 8:14-16

Now when the apostles which were at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent unto them Peter and John: Who, when they were come down,

prayed for them, that they might receive the Holy Ghost: (For as yet he was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.)

1 Corinthians 2:14

*But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.*

2 Corinthians 1:20

For all the promises of God in him are yea, and in him Amen, unto the glory of God by us.

Galatians 3:22 *But the scripture hath concluded all under sin,*

*that the promise by faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe*.