

The Christian life that is filled with the Holy Spirit is cleansed and filled with power. This new life bubbles over and flows out to other people. Do you want to be filled with the Holy Spirit? Here are four steps to follow:

- 1) Acknowledge your need for inner purification.  
(Acts 15:8-9)
- 2) Give your whole life to God. (Romans 13:1-2)
- 3) Ask God to give you the Holy Spirit in his fullness. (Luke 11:13)
- 4) Receive the Holy Spirit by faith. (Acts 15:8-9)

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

***And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit;  
Ephesians 5:18***



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## FILLED WITH THE SPIRIT OF GOD

*Text to memorize: Ephesians 5:18*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

How many times does Christians say that they want to do more for the Lord but they don't have the spiritual power to do so? There is only one answer to this problem – the Christian must get more of God's power through the Holy Spirit. This is why Paul said to the Christians of his time "be filled with the spirit". (Ephesians 5:18)

1. Jesus spent a lot of time teaching His disciples about the Holy Spirit, John recorded a lot of this teachings.
  - a) Whom, did Jesus say, will give us an abundant experience with God ("out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water")?  
(John 7:38-39)  
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  - b) Who will teach us all things? (John 14:26)  
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  - c) Of whom does the Holy Spirit testify? (John 15:26)  
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d) At what moment in a person's life, does the Holy Spirit work for the first time? Acts 2:38, Titus 3:5 (John 3:5)

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2. When did the apostles receive the necessary power to testify? (Acts 1:8)

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3. Accept for Paul's order in Ephesians 5:18 how do we know that we need to be filled with the Holy Spirit? (Acts 9:17)

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4. The things that keep us from living a spirit filled life can be seen in the church of the Corinthians. They had wrong attitudes, such as jealousy and spite, which shows that they were still: (1 Corinthians 3:1-3)

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

5. What do you call the work that the Holy Spirit does in us when he removes all sin from us and makes us totally devoted to God? (1 Peter 1:2)

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6. What did God do with the impurity in the hearts of the early Christians when He filled them with His Spirit? (Acts 15:8-9)

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7. What must we do with all sinful and unclean attitudes? (2 Corinthians 7:1)

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8. How must God sanctify and preserve us? (1 Thessalonians 5:23)

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

9. For the law of \_\_\_\_\_ hath made me free from the law of sin and death. (Romans 8:2)

10. The wrong attitude of the Corinthians (1 Corinthians 3:1-3) showed that they didn't have the most important Christian characteristic (1 Corinthians 13:13)

Namely \_\_\_\_\_.

11. I receive the love of God through: (Romans 5:5)

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12. How should my relationship with God be after being filled with the Holy Spirit? (Romans 8:4)

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