

The Holy Spirit | Week 5
What's born again?

2 Corinthians 5:17—Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things have become new.

1 Corinthians 6:17 (Amp)—But the person who is united to the Lord becomes one spirit with Him.

1 Thessalonians 5:23

Genesis 1:26

John 4:4

Hebrews 4:12

2 Corinthians 4:6-7 For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. 7 But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.

Romans 8:11 But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwells in you.

Where's the Power?

Mark 4:13-25

Heed: be watchful; observant—1 Peter 5:8—not intoxicated; free from illusion

Hear: listen to; let in, let pass—2 Corinthians 10:3-5—Gate keeper; arrest a trespasser

Measure: determination for what is enough; acceptable.

Mark 6:1-3, 5-6

Offended: to fall into a trap—they would not let it pass

Who determines the acceptable level of God's power in your life?--Example: Gates of a dam

1 Corinthians 2:14 (BSB) But the natural man does not accept the things of the Spirit of God; for they are foolishness to him, and he is not able to understand them, because they are spiritually discerned.

2 Corinthians 4:4 Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Word of God. They don't understand the message about the glory and power of Christ.

Proverbs 23:7 As a man thinks in his heart, so is he—think—accept, allows to enter.

There is a spiritual battle raging for your consent, your permission, and your agreement.