**Tuff Stuff**

**Part 4   \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_        \_\_            Pastor David King**

(1 Corinthians 2:9-10) **9** However, as it is written: “What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived”— the things God has prepared for those who love him— **10**these are the things God has revealed to us by his Spirit. The Spirit searches all things, even the deep things of God.

(1 Corinthians 2:4-5) **4**My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit’s power, **5**so that your faith might not rest on human wisdom, but on God’s power.

(1 Corinthians 4:20) For the kingdom of God is not a matter of talk but of power.

1. **Baptism into the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

(1 Corinthians 12:13) For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink.

(Galatians 3: 26-27) **26**So in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith, **27**for all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ.

1. **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of my faith.**

(Acts 2:41) Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day.

(Matthew 10:32-33) **32**“Whoever acknowledges me before others, I will also acknowledge before my Father in heaven. **33**But whoever disowns me before others, I will disown before my Father in heaven.

**Baptism \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – Living a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ life.**

(Acts 8:5, 12) 5Philip went down to a city in Samaria and proclaimed the Messiah there. 12But when they believed Philip as he proclaimed the good news of the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ, they were baptized, both men and women.

(Acts 8: 14-17) **14**When the apostles in Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to Samaria. **15**When they arrived, they prayed for the new believers there that they might receive the Holy Spirit, **16**because the Holy Spirit had not yet come on any of them; they had simply been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. **17**Then Peter and John placed their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

(1 John 5:7-8) **7**For there are three that testify: **8**the Spirit, the water and the blood; and the three are in agreement.

1. **The Holy Spirit empowers me to live \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

(Romans 8:9) **9**You, however, are not in the realm of the flesh but are in the realm of the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, they do not belong to Christ.

1. **The Holy Spirit empowers me to live \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

(Acts 10:38) how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him.

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(1 Corinthians 12:7) Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.

1. **The Holy Spirit empowers me to live on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.**

(1 Thessalonians 1:5) because our gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and deep conviction. You know how we lived among you for your sake.

**Being filled with the Holy Spirit doesn’t make me better than you, it makes me better than me.**

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