

TOOL BOX

Jesus is asked to describe the Holy Spirit...

John 3:8 – The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. (NIV)

TCC -The kingdom of God has come to earth and its different....Very different... completely other than we know

Acts 2:1-4 – On the day of **Pentecost** all the believers were meeting together in one place. 2 Suddenly, there was a sound from heaven like the roaring of a mighty windstorm, and it filled the house where they were sitting. 3Then, what looked like flames or tongues of fire appeared and settled on each of them. 4And everyone present was filled with the Holy Spirit and began speaking in other languages, as the Holy Spirit gave them this ability. (NLT)

Acts 2 – The coming of the Holy Spirit upon the life of believers.... Led to 3000 people being saved that day...

TCC- If you were the devil wouldn't you try to sow, confusion, doubt and frustration... among believers concerning the power behind the church!!

The gift that we receive is not tongues

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Q. Why languages? To reach people for Jesus... remember **Acts 1:8... power is for witness**

Acts 2:5-12 Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. **6** When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because **each one heard them speaking in his own language.** **7** Utterly amazed, they asked: "Are not all these men who are speaking Galileans? **8** Then how is it that each of us hears them in his **own native language?**...— we hear them **declaring the wonders of God** in our own tongues!" **12** Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?" NIV

1 Corinthians 12:1-11-Now about spiritual gifts, brothers, I do not want you to be ignorant... **4** There are different kinds of **gifts**, but the **same Spirit.** **5** There are different kinds of **service**, but the **same Lord.** **6** There are different kinds of **working**, but the **same God works all of them in all men.**

- **Gifts, service, work....Same Spirit. Lord, God... who works all of them in men**

7 Now to each one the **manifestation of the Spirit** is given **for the common good.**

8 To one there is given **through the Spirit** the message of wisdom, to another the message of knowledge **by means of the same Spirit,** **9** to another faith by the **same Spirit,** to another gifts of healing **by that one Spirit,** **10** to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. **11**All these are **the work of one and the same Spirit,** and **he gives them to each one, just as he determines.** (NIV)

Jesus is the one who gives the Holy Spirit to us!!

Matthew 3:11 – "I baptize you with water for repentance. But after me comes one who is more powerful than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to carry. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." (NIV)

Jesus baptizes us with the Holy Spirit!! Yes we have salvation in His name and By His blood and now he baptizes us in the Holy Spirit!!

TCC- We can be **born** of the Spirit... **filled** with... **empowered** by... given supernatural **gifts**... **led** by the spirit... walk in the **fruit** of the Spirit... **warned by** Him **protected by** Him... it never ends!!

The Holy Spirit is: ... He is the package

- Holy Spirit (96x)
- Spirit of the Lord (28x)
- Spirit of God (26x)
- Eternal Spirit (Heb 9:14)
- Helper (4x By Jesus in the gospels)
- Comforter
- Holy One (Psm 78:41)
- The Lord (2 Cor 3:17)
- Spirit of Truth (4x)
- Spirit of Christ (2x)
- Spirit of Jesus Christ (Phil 1:19)
- Spirit Of Counsel (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of Knowledge (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of Might (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of Understanding (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of Wisdom (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of the Fear of the Lord (Isa 11:2)
- Spirit of Your Father (Mt 10:20)
- Spirit of Glory (1 Pet 4:14)
- Spirit of Grace (2x)
- Spirit of Judgment (Isa (4:4)
- Spirit of Burning (Isa 4:4)
- Spirit of Life (Rom 8:2)
- Spirit of Love (2 Tim 1:7)
- Spirit of Power (2 Tim 1:7)
- Spirit of a sound mind (2 Tim 1:7)
- Spirit of Prophecy (Rev 19:10)
- Spirit of Revelation (Eph 1:17)
- Spirit of Holiness (Rom 4:1)
- Spirit of the Holy God (4x in Daniel)
- And /yes 1 Cor 12.... 9 gifting's of the Holy Spirit

We are anointed with the Holy Spirit.... Look at the multiplied, multifaceted, aspects to Him

Luke 11:13 – So if you sinful people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him." (NLT)

TCC- The Holy Spirit... He is the third person of the Trinity... He is God and He is our greatest gift... given by Jesus

So yes I believe we believe in the Baptism of the Holy Spirit!!
Why wouldn't I?
It's in the Bible