

When you need a
MIRACLE



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TAKE THE MIRACLES INTO YOUR WORLD Part 4

Matthew 21:21-22 — Jesus replied, “Truly I tell you, if you have faith and do not doubt, not only can you do what was done to the fig tree, but also you can say to this mountain, ‘Go, throw yourself into the sea,’ and it will be done. ²² If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask for in prayer.”

Romans 1:11-12 — I long to see you so that I may impart to you some spiritual gift to make you strong— ¹² that is, that you and I may be mutually encouraged by each other’s faith.

Ephesians 3:16-19 - I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen “ME” with power through his Spirit in “MY” inner being, ¹⁷ So that Christ may dwell in “MY” heart through faith. And “I” pray that “I,” being rooted and established in love ¹⁸ may have power together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, ¹⁹ and to know this love that surpasses knowledge — that “I” may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God!

1st The purpose of **YOU** receiving the miracle working power of God in **YOUR** life is so **YOU** will take those miracles into **YOUR** world.

Luke 10:17 — The seventy-two returned with joy and said, “Lord even the demons submit to us in your name!”

2nd Don’t **NEGLECT** The Gift that is in you. Keep it **STIRRED UP!**

1 Timothy 4:14 — Do not neglect your gift, which was given you through prophecy when the body of elders laid their hands on you.

2 Timothy 1:5-6 — I am reminded of your sincere faith, which first lived in your grandmother Lois and in your mother Eunice and, I am persuaded, now lives in you also.

⁶For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands.

3rd Make sure **YOU** have The **GIFT!**

Acts 8:14-17 — 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.

Acts 19:1-6 — While Apollos was at Corinth, Paul took the road through the interior and arrived at Ephesus. There he found some disciples ² and asked them, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?”

They answered, “No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.”

³ So Paul asked, “Then what baptism did you receive?”

“John’s baptism,” they replied.

⁴ Paul said, “John’s baptism was a baptism of repentance. He told the people to believe in the one coming after him, that is, in Jesus.” ⁵ On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. ⁶ When Paul placed his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they spoke in tongues and prophesied.

THE NINE SPIRITUAL GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

THE BIBLE REFERENCE 1 Corinthians 12:4-11

- THE GIFTS**
1. The word of wisdom
 2. The word of knowledge
 3. The gift of faith
 4. The gift of healing
 5. The working of miracles
 6. The gift of prophecy
 7. The gift to discern spirits
 8. The gift of tongues
 9. The interpretation of tongues

THE SOURCE – THE HOLY SPIRIT 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

THE PURPOSE OF THESE GIFTS

1. According to 1 Corinthians 12:12-31, they were for the benefit of the whole church and were designed to produce faith and not division.
2. According to Ephesians 4:12, they were:
 - a. “For the perfecting of the saints.”
 - b. “For the work of the ministry.”
 - c. “For the edifying of the body of Christ”