Holy Spirit Baptism

Holy Spirit Baptism is the Promise of the Father (Acts 1:4-5) Essential - Power to Witness Kingdom (Acts 1:4, 8) Distinct Experience (Jn 20:22) Apostles filled - wind, fire, tongues (Acts 2:1-4) (Acts 8:12-17) Phillip: Samarians believed, baptized, later filled - laying on hands (Acts 10:44-48) Peter: Gentiles filled - tongues, then baptized (surprised) Paul: Disciples filled after baptism - laying on hands, tongues, prophecy (Acts 19:1-6) Repeatable (Acts 4:29-31) Apostles filled again - place shaken, spoke word with boldness (Ep 5:18) And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit, (keep being continually filled) not encouragement to act drunk (context: walk circumspectly, as wise) policy: go for it, no weirder than necessary (control, adding human effort) Tongues: the uncomfortable part - new (1Co 14:2) Sign of Holy Spirit Baptism? - biblical example, experience ex: pastor friend (desire vs control/understand) vs full of self (maturity?) the sign vs a sign: Power to Witness Kingdom (Acts 1:8), can be led (Rom 8:14) all believers can and should desire to Pray in Tongues distinct from Prophetic Tongue/Interpretation (gifts) (1Co 14:4-5, 18-19, 27-28) intent: balance of freedom & order (same for English) (Ep 6:14-18) ¹⁴Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness, ¹⁵ and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; ¹⁶above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one. ¹⁷And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; ¹⁸praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, Praying in the Spirit is Praying in Tongues (1Co 14:13-15) (Jude 20) But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit, don't have to understand to be edified (Peace) being Filled with the Holy Spirit requires Faith (step) (Lk 11:9-13) "So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. 10" For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened. "If a son asks for bread from any father among you, will he give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a serpent instead of a fish? 12"Or if he asks for an egg, will he offer him a scorpion? 13"If you then, being evil, 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!"

my testimony: step, Bible (counterfeit - also healing, prophecy (acts 16) - Source)

not a test - won't make you

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