

# ACTS

## The Meaning of Pentecost

Acts 2:1-13

### Pentecost, the Feasts, and the Plan of God

#### What happened:

Key words: “suddenly”, “like/as of”, “filled with”, and “speak in other tongues” ...

Being \_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit is not the same as being \_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit.

The Baptism of the Holy Spirit is ...

The Filling of the Holy Spirit is ...

The “tongues” of Acts were certainly \_\_\_\_\_, but not \_\_\_\_\_.  
What was spoken was \_\_\_\_\_.

It revered the \_\_\_\_\_!

It \_\_\_\_\_ to follow Christ and join His Kingdom!

*Note: While the people \_\_\_\_\_ the words spoken, they didn't \_\_\_\_\_ them. This required \_\_\_\_\_.*

#### The critical question (then and now): “What does this mean?”

It marks another \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus ...

It \_\_\_\_\_ the Apostles for their \_\_\_\_\_ roles in the development of the Church ...

It inaugurated a \_\_\_\_\_ of the Spirit of God equipping all believers ...

It was the first “\_\_\_\_\_” ...

Ultimately, it's meaning is all wrapped up in the \_\_\_\_\_ they would soon hear proclaimed by \_\_\_\_\_ (2:13-40).

Without Pentecost, there would be no \_\_\_\_\_, no \_\_\_\_\_, no \_\_\_\_\_, no worldwide \_\_\_\_\_, and Jesus would not be \_\_\_\_\_.

Because of Pentecost, we know that we do indeed have God's \_\_\_\_\_. Jesus promised the Holy Spirit would come and He\* did.

Because of Pentecost, we too have \_\_\_\_\_ to accomplish the yet-to-be-fulfilled task of the Great Commission.

Because of Pentecost, we too may seek and receive the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Holy Spirit to say and do remarkable things for the sake of the Gospel and the Kingdom of God in Christ.

Because of Pentecost, every Spirit-baptized believer can and should be “\_\_\_\_\_”.

#### The evidence of the Holy Spirit's powerful filling:

But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them ...