

# MOMENTUM

...An Unstoppable Force



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## Acts 1:8

The main feature of this promise is to receive the power needed to serve God's purposes.



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# The Holy Spirit arrives – as promised!

## Acts 2:1-4

This is supposed to be how it is when you receive the Holy Spirit. It is suppose to be an experience like none other.



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Notice what Peter said on the day of  
Pentecost **Acts 2:38-39**



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... The Holy Spirit arrives – as promised!

The baptism of the Holy Spirit is a gift to us,  
just as much as salvation is.

It's up to us to receive that gift of the Holy  
Spirit with the initial evidence of speaking in  
other tongues (*heavenly language*)

**Acts 2:4**

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# The Church becomes an Unstoppable Force

Notice in the book of Acts that;

**The Holy Spirit's work demonstrated that  
Christianity was supernatural.**



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... The Church becomes an Unstoppable Force

The New Testament church, we know from the book of Acts that it grew very rapidly.

**Acts 21:20**



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## ... The Church becomes an Unstoppable Force

The word used in the Greek "*urias*" which literally means "*tens of thousands*" Jews had believed in Jesus Christ.

In 20-25 years the Jerusalem church had grown from about 120 people up to 100,000 people.



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## ... The Church becomes an Unstoppable Force

Christianity spread from believing Jews to non-Jews in 39 cities and 30 countries, islands or provinces.

There was momentum with the inspired presentation of the good news of Christ.  
The Church was an unstoppable force!



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# Receiving the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is a gift. God has already given the Holy Spirit to us and all we have to do is receive Him.

After we have repented of our sins and asked Jesus to come into our life (*Salvation*) then we are ready for the Holy Spirit.



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## ... Receiving the Holy Spirit

### Acts 2:38

*Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."*



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## 5 things to know in receiving the Holy Spirit;

1. You're not seeking tongues, you're seeking the Holy Spirit.
2. The Holy Spirit is a gift already given by God, and it's up to us to receive Him.



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3. If you have repented of your sins you are ready today, to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.
4. When the Holy Spirit comes He will move upon your lips first, and then He will want to speak, but you have to be the one who speaks.



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5. You must come with faith, and come prepared to yield yourself totally to Him. Your mouth, your lips, your body, and your mind.



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