

FAITH TALKS: PRAYER, GRACE & THE HOLY SPIRIT

Biblical Foundations to Empower Your Faith

PRAYER

A.W. Tozer: "Only those that expect to hear God actually do."

Charles Stanley: "Our intimacy with God is his highest priority and has the greatest impact upon our lives."

Matthew 27:50-51, "Then Jesus shouted out again, and he released his spirit. At that moment the curtain in the sanctuary of the Temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. The earth shook, rocks split apart"

How to Pray with Power.

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Luke 10:19, "Look, I have given you authority over all the power of the enemy, and you can walk among snakes and scorpions and crush them. Nothing will injure you."

GRACE

DEFINITION: *Grace is the goodness of God towards people who could never earn it, don't deserve it and could never pay back for it.*

- Grace for _____
- Grace for _____

To give grace to others, the way Jesus intended, we have to let go of three things:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

We need to help people believe that God cannot love them anymore than he loves them right now.

Grace is not just how we start following Jesus; it is how we keep following Jesus.

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THE HOLY SPIRIT

John 14:16-17, "And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever— the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you"

Who is the Holy Spirit?

The Seven Feasts of the Lord

'These are a shadow of the things that were to come; the reality, however, is found in Christ.' Col 2:17

The Spring Feasts (fulfilled @ Jesus' first coming)				The Autumn (Fall) Feasts (fulfilled @ Jesus' second coming)		
Passover	Unleavened Bread	FirstFruits	Pentecost	Trumpets	Atonement	Tabernacles
Crucifixion Of Jesus	Burial Of Jesus	Resurrection Of Jesus	Coming of the Holy Spirit	Rapture & Resurrection Of Believers	Second Coming Of Jesus	Messianic Kingdom Age
Nisan 14	Nisan 15-22	Nisan 17	Sivan 7	Tishri 1	Tishri 10	Tishri 15-22
Exodus 12 Matt 26:17-27	Lev 23:6-8 I Cor 5:7-8	Lev 23:9-14 I Cor 15:20-23	Lev 23:15-22 Acts 1 & 2	Lev 23:23-25 1 Cor 15:51-52	Lev 23:26-32 Matt 24:29-30	Lev 23:33-44 Rev 20:1-6

Feast Gap Period (fulfilled by Church Age)

————— 'The Days of Awe' —————
Time of Jacob's trouble

Four references used in scripture:

- Fire
- Land
- Wind
- Trumpet

Fire & Wind = _____

The Holy Spirit empowers us to _____

Our power is not based on our qualifications, but on Him who has qualified us!