

Would you like to hear the Good News?

God still loves you. He never stopped loving you. He loved you so much that He sent His Son Jesus to bring you back. All you have to do is let Him bring you back. Will you pray with me?

"Lord Jesus... I want to stop trusting in myself...and what I can do...and start trusting in you...and what you have already done...when you died for me on the cross. I know that I am a sinner...and I am sorry for my sins. I ask you to forgive me...I believe you rose again...and I invite you to come and live inside of me. I want you to be my Savior and Lord...which means being #1 in my life. I want to repent and turn away...from everything you and the Bible call sin...and I totally commit myself...to obeying you...everyday, for the rest of my life. Lord Jesus baptize me in your precious Holy Spirit. Thank you Jesus."

Now that you have made peace with God, He is ready for you to begin to grow in a personal relationship with Him.

Receiving More Of Jesus? "The Baptism in the Holy Spirit"

1. Did you know that God has a good gift for you – the Holy Spirit?
2. Would you like to ask God to receive the Holy Spirit – Luke 11:13?
3. Do you believe the Bible is the Word of God?
4. Have you heard of the Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit and that all are in agreement with the Baptism of the Holy Spirit? The Father is the One Who Promised – Acts 1:8. Jesus is the One Who Baptizes us in the Holy Spirit – Luke 3:16. The Holy Spirit is the One who gives us the utterance or the words and that this is the "initial sign" of the Baptism of the Holy Spirit – Acts 2:4.
5. Do you believe that the Baptism of the Holy Spirit is speaking in tongues? – Acts 10:44-46, Acts 19:2-6
6. Would you like to know why the Baptism in the Holy Spirit is important?
 - a. Receive the ability or power of the Holy Spirit – Acts 1:8
 - b. Build up your most holy faith – Jude 1:20
 - c. Edify yourself (give yourself a spiritual battery charge) – 1 Cor. 14:4
 - d. Speak mysteries to God – 1 Corinthians 14:2
 - e. When you don't know how to pray, the Holy Spirit will pray through you the perfect will of God. (When you pray in other tongues) – Romans 8:26-28
7. How is "Salvation" different than the "Baptism in the Holy Spirit?"
Answer: Jesus described the born again experience as a "fountain of water springing up into everlasting life – John 4:14. Salvation is to benefit the believer. When we are born again the Holy Spirit enters our spirit and assures us of eternal life with God. Jesus describes the Baptism in the Holy Spirit as "rivers of living water flowing out of the heart – John 7:38-39." The Baptism of the Holy Spirit is to benefit those for whom we minister. The Baptism of the Holy Spirit provides us the power that flows out of our spirit to meet the needs of others.
8. The disciples were in the upper room on the Day of Pentecost and when they were in one accord in one place "they were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance – Acts 2:4. Who spoke in other tongues?
9. Do you believe that words are made up of syllables?
10. Will you confess that you have received the Holy Spirit, before you speak in tongues?
11. By **faith** speak in syllables, and allow the Holy Spirit to have your tongue, to form syllables into a new language or tongue. The Holy Spirit will flow from your heart.
12. Pray for a minute in tongues and stop. The prophet controls his own spirit or his own tongue – 1 Corinthians 14:32.
13. Continue to pray in tongues and worship the Lord.



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Hearing His Voice

Investing in the Future

They overcame him by the blood of the Lamb
and by the word of their testimony...

Revelation 12:11



John Schmook

John was reared by Christian parents who were very active in their local church, but for some reason, he never accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord. When John started school, it was determined that a major reading deficiency was evident. We now refer to this as a type of dyslexia. Even though his parents and two sisters were extremely intelligent, this reading problem plagued John and motivated him to achieve success through manipulation and usury.

At the age of 16, his mother died of cancer and his father turned the entire farming operation over to him at this early age. At his mother's request, John did go to college. After two years, he met his wife to be, Luella, and they both decided it was time to return to the family farm which was a disaster in many ways. In the next 10 years, three children were born to this marriage and with the exception of the children, every other goal turned out to be a failure.

At the age of 29, he returned to Oklahoma State University and finished two years of coursework in one year's time with excellent grades, even though he could not read. The philosophy of "the harder you drive yourself, the more rewards you receive" became his motto and motivation. During the next 12 years, major successes were accomplished among which John was named Newsmaker of the Year for the State of Oklahoma in exposing the fraud and graft in State Government.

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John pictured with Armenian Fire Team

His motivation to success was based on trying to prove he was not STUPID because he could not read. Every accomplishment was at the expense of his marriage and family. In 1970, after the death of their fourth child, his wife declared that she

could not continue the marriage relationship. At his lowest point, John was willing to ask for God's assistance. It was very apparent at this time that success, recognition, and money did not bring happiness. John and Luella both reached out to God and made Jesus Lord of their lives, and everything began to change. The marriage came back together, the children returned, and a new life began. Both Luella and John received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit six months later.

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Since September 1970, John has had the opportunity of sharing his testimony and teaching God's Word in well over 40 nations which include each of the Fire Teams in the Western Hemisphere as well as England. He has ministered in jails and prisons for over 30 years and has witnessed tremendous life changing effects on the lives of the inmates. Surprising, is the fact that he learned to read after God entered his life at 42 years of age.



John ministering in deliverance prayer

In the family relationships after the death of his youngest son in 1968 and not knowing how to tap the power of God, he was instrumental in seeing the Lord raise his eldest son from the dead. Luella has been healed of cancer 10 times and is now completely healed in the presence of Jesus. John has been completely healed from a stroke in 1988.

In business, John has received the highest designation in real estate appraising and in 40 years of work, he was recognized as one of the best in this area of the United States. His second son Alan now owns Schmook Appraisal Company and has been more successful than his Dad. He is equally well known as a community leader. God's miracles of restoration, healing and enablement seem to follow him wherever he goes.



John praying for the sick in Medan

OUR VISION FROM GOD: Men who are spiritually dead are standing shoulder to shoulder across the globe; hear and receive the message of hope, and are spiritually resurrected from the dead, filled with God's Holy Spirit, with radiant faces and hands lifted toward heaven praising God.

GOD'S PURPOSE FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

- To reach men everywhere for Jesus Christ with the same social, cultural or business interests.
- To call men to God: to help men become born again, baptized in the Holy Spirit, operate in the Gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- To mentor young men who have never had positive male role model by being a spiritual father to them.
- To provide a basis of fellowship among all men everywhere, regardless of church affiliation.
- To bring about a greater measure of unity and harmony in the Body of Christ.
- To train and equip men to succeed in the business world.

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