

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

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

Revelation 12:11

Running Away



Uriah McGillivray

My name is Uriah McGillivray, and this is my story.

The company I am currently working for is Young Adult Koinonia. We provide safe and sober environments for young adults. This involves everything from helping individuals into treatment programs to doing community outreaches serving the neighborhood.

I don't remember a day growing up and not believing in God. I always knew He existed and that He was real. As far as me accepting Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior, that is different. My family and I didn't always go to church but I do remember church throughout my life.

One thing I remember as I was growing up is all those times I tried so desperately to fit in and be accepted. I would go from one group to another hoping I could fit in and feel like I was accepted. No matter how hard I tried I just could not be accepted by any group of people. Because of this I started to develop a lot of anger. I gave up on searching for acceptance in people and decided that I didn't need people. If I could be strong and careful enough to not make any mistakes, then I wouldn't need help from people. What I didn't realize was that underneath all that anger was a lot of hurt and pain.

After high school I moved away from my Minnesota home to live in Chicago, IL, so I could go to school there. The real reason I moved out is because I

was running away. I was hoping that what I was looking for would be found in a successful career outside of my small Minnesota life. As an independent person, I was devoted to not needing help from people. As soon as college started a lot of things happened that I did not plan or expect. My grades in school were below average even though I was trying so hard. I was barely getting by paying for the bills that are required to live on your own.

All this led up to the moment where it all made sense. I remember walking into the library to find a book to read. I walked down the aisle and this book stood out from all the rest. I couldn't

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figure out why this book seemed so appealing, so I just checked it out. The book was called "Spiritual Warfare," by Chip Ingram. As I was reading this book over the next few days, God was revealing to me the realities of the war that is going on for my soul. He was revealing to me how much I was in need of a Savior. That's when it all hit me at once. I was not strong enough, and I did need help. I realized that the strength I needed could only come from God. It was through this book that I gave my life to Jesus Christ.

I continued working and doing my best in everything I did, but not being a perfectionist anymore. My grades started to get better and my work hours increased so I was able to afford living expenses. I remember waking up in the morning every day to read my bible and actually getting excited and understanding what His Word was saying.

About a year later while I was still going to school and working, I got a phone call from one of the school counselors. I found out that I needed to pay an additional \$5,000 within the next month for tuition. I knew that God would provide so I didn't think about it much. About a week later I had this idea that I wanted to fast. As I was fasting and resting in my apartment, I felt this slight tug to check the mail box. When I opened up the mail box I found a letter that was for a scholarship written to me with just enough money for me to pay off tuition. God proved to me that He is faithful and that I can always run to Him for help.

When I finished with school I moved back home to Minnesota with my family. I tried going to church but I felt like I had no reason to be there. It wasn't until a woman came up and talked to me about being involved with youth ministry. As this woman was sharing with me about youth ministry my heart was pounding with excitement. It was when I got involved that I felt accepted in church. That's when God revealed to me my passion for young people and a love to mentor and disciple young men.

Still today God is using me to pour into younger people. He has also increased my influence beyond young men and to children as well. We all need help, and I am here to help lead people to Our Father in Heaven.

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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