HOLY SPIRIT: A DIFFERENCE MAKER

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I. Holy Spirit - A Different Language
   A. Jesus - Mark 16:17-18
   B. Paul - 1 Cor 14:5, 1 Cor 14:18

II. Acts 1:4-5, 8 - Promise of the Holy Spirit
   A. Luke 24:49
   B. John 20:21-22
   C. V8 - Purpose of Holy Spirit is power
      1. John 13:35

III. Acts 2
   A. V32-33, 38-39 — “This” which you now SEE and HEAR

IV. Acts 10:34-36; 40-48
   A. V43 - Whoever “believes” in Him - no mention of water baptism or Holy Spirit Baptism
   B. V44 - Holy Spirit “fell upon all those who heard the word”

V. 1 Cor 14:1
   A. Pursue – dioko — to follow with haste and intensity of effort, to run or chase after in order to catch up with
   B. Love – He said to pursue this kind of love that He had just described in Chapter 13.
   C. Desire - zeloo - To be deeply committed to something, to be zealous for, to burn with desire, to pursue eagerly or intensely.
   D. Spiritual - pneumatikos - Not fleshly or carnal, the things of or belonging to the spirit, Of the Spirit;
      Pertaining to a pattern of life controlled, guided or directed by God’s Spirit.
   E. But - de - Adversative or continuative; Ex: and
      1. Titus 1:1 1 Paul, a bondservant of God and an apostle of Jesus Christ,
   F. Prophesy - propheteuo — to speak under the influence of divine inspiration, with or without reference to future events — to prophesy, to make inspired utterances.
      1. The extent of pursuit and desire is directly proportional to the level of value.
   G. V2 - What is the value/purpose? - Vertical Godward gift not a manward gift.
      1. Tongue - glossa - A naturally unfamiliar language; an utterance having the form of language but requiring an inspired interpreter for an understanding of the content
      2. Mysteries – musterion — the content of that which has not been known before but which has been revealed to an in-group or restricted constituency.
a) **1 Cor 14:2 AMP**

b) **Eph 3:1-5**

c) **When we pray in tongues, we are downloading mysteries from the heavenly server onto our local hard-drive.**

H. **1 Cor 14:4**

1. **Edifies** - to increase the potential of someone or something, with focus upon the process involved — to strengthen, to make more able, to build up. Charge; like a battery!

   a) **Jude 20, 2 Cor 4:16, Eph 3:16**

I. **1 Cor 14:12-15**

1. **Edification** - *oikodome* — the construction of something, with focus on the event of building up or on the result of such an event — to build up, to construct.

2. **Pray** - *proseuchomai* - To pray, is always used of "prayer" to God, and is the most frequent word in this respect,

3. **Eph 6:17-18**

VI. **1 Cor 2:7-15**

A. **1 Cor 2:10 AMP**

VII. **Rom 8:26**

A. **Helps** — *sunantilambanomai* - To take hold together, with and against

B. **Weakness** (Infirmities) – Indicating the inability to produce results.