



fire

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Elemental Faith: "Consuming Fire, Part 3"

Hebrews 12:28-29; Matthew 3:11; Acts 1:3-5, 8-9; Acts 2:1-4

Pentecost is:

1. Fire _____

- Exodus 19-20; Exodus 3; Romans 7:10, 8:7; Ezekiel 36:27; Ezekiel 11:19-20; Jeremiah 31:33; Acts 2:1

2. Fire _____

- Acts 2:1; Acts 1:4-5

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3. Fire _____

- Acts 15:8-9; Acts 1:8

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"Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, for our 'God is a consuming fire.'"

(Hebrews 12:28-29, niv)

- Re-read through your notes. Review the main points and read the Scripture references that are provided for you.
- Whose "acts" are recorded in the book of Acts?
- What does it mean to be baptized with water? What is the difference between the baptism of water and the baptism of fire? (see Matthew 3:11)
- How is the Holy Spirit like fire?
- What was the original purpose of the Passover Feast?
- What does "Pentecost" mean, and why? What was commemorated at Pentecost?
- How is the Passover fulfilled by Jesus?
- How is Pentecost fulfilled by the Holy Spirit in Acts 2?
- What does it mean to be a disciple of Christ? Would you consider yourself one?
- Are you willing to wait in "yielded obedience"? What does that mean?
- Why is unity so important? Are you practicing unity in your life? In the church?
- How can you better practice unity?
- In what ways does the fire of the Holy Spirit cleanse us?
- What is the power that the Holy Spirit gives us?
- Does sin have power in your life?
- Can you say that you have been filled with the Spirit? You probably won't have the same experience as in Acts (physical fire), but you can have the same results.
- Do you find that you have power to tell others about Jesus? If not, you can!
- Ask God to give you His Spirit!