

ACTS

Suddenly! The Baptism of the Spirit Acts 2:1-13

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1. Leading up to the day of Pentecost, the apostles and other disciples were living in _____ obedience to the Lord.
2. In God's timing, on the day of Pentecost, the Holy Spirit was _____ out on the church.
 - a. The coming of the Spirit was a clear demonstration of God's divine presence and almighty _____.
 - b. The apostles along with all of the other disciples were _____ with the Holy Spirit.
 - c. The tongues of fire were symbolic of the Spirit enabling each believer to _____ miraculously of the wonderful works of God in salvation.
 - 1) In God's providence, Jewish people from every _____ within the Roman empire were present to hear and see this great work of the Spirit.

- 2) As the people of Jerusalem heard of the mighty works of God in their own language some were filled with amazement and confusion, others _____ what they heard.

3. Applications for us in understanding God's work of _____.

"The advent of the Spirit, like the incarnation of God in Christ, had a _____-for-all character. Pentecost, then, is as unrepeatable as the birth of Christ or as His death and resurrection. The event heralded the dawn of a new epoch, and the quality of life which it introduced is characteristic of the entire Christian age."

- Curtis Vaughan

"But ... while the Spirit was permanently given, He was not given permanently in the same measure and degree as was witnessed at Pentecost. So, from Pentecost onward, the work of the Spirit can be viewed in two aspects, the more _____ and the extraordinary." - Ian Murray