

	Without Measure	Baptism of HS	Miraculous Gifts	Gift of Holy Spirit
Who Received Spirit in this way?	Only Jesus John 3:34	Apostles (and later Cornelius, the world's first gentile convert) Acts 2 and 10	First Century Christians Acts 8:12-18 Acts 19:6	All the Saved Acts 2:38
Was the Spirit Promised or Commanded?	Promised through Old Testament Prophecy Isa 61:1,2	Promised by John the Baptist Matt 3:11 and Jesus Lk 24:49; Acts 1:2-5,8	Promised by OT Acts 2:17	Promised to those who obeyed the commands of God Acts 2:38; Acts 5:32
Who Provided Spirit?	God Himself Anointed Jesus with the Spirit Matt 3:16 (Isa 61:1,2) Jno 1:32-34 (Isa 11:2)	Christ Himself gave Spirit's baptism to the Apostles Matt 3:11 John 1:33	Apostles gave spiritual gifts to Christians, Rom 1:11, through the laying on of hands, Acts 19:6	God gives Spirit when a believer repents and is baptized Acts 2:38
What Did 'Having Spirit' Indicate?	Showed that Jesus was Messiah Jno 2:11 Jno 2:30,31	Showed God was with apostles at establishm't of church (and then with first gentile convert, 11:15). Spirit guided apostles into all truth Jno 14:26; 16:13	Showed that Christians' gospel message was true. Mark 16:20; Heb 2:3,4 Provided the complete knowledge of God's will, 'til NT was written down 1 Cor 12:7-11; 13:8-11	Shows Christians belong to God Eph 1:13,14
Did 'Having Spirit' Save?	No, Jesus was sinless so had no need of being saved. Still, Spirit led Him, Matt 4.	No, Acts 11:14, Cornelius still needed to be saved (baptized)	No, this gift was separate from salvation Acts 8:12; 19:5,6	No, this comes after salvation (remission of sins first, then the gift) Acts 2:38
Did 'Having Spirit' End?	Jesus was/is/will be always with the Spirit Hebrews 13:8	Ceased by approx 64 AD because Paul says there is only one baptism, Eph 4:5.	Ceases by approx 95 AD because last apostle dies, so means to receive stops, and NT is referred to as "perfect" "complete" etc James 1:25, Jude 3 and 2 Peter 1:3	Does Not Cease Gal 4:6