The Holy Spirit in the Old Testament

Genesis 1:2 – creation.

- Genesis 41:38 with Joseph in the interpretation of Pharaoh's dream.
- Exodus 31:3 and 35:31 with Bezalel in his ability of workmanship.
- Numbers 11:17, 25-26, 29 with Moses and the 70 elders of Israel chosen to help judge.
- Numbers 24:2 with Balaam as he prophesied.
- Numbers 27:18 with Joshua.

Judges 3:10; 6:34; 11:29; 13:25; 14:6, 19; 15:14 – with Othniel, Gideon, Jephthah, and Samson as they judged (delivered) Israel.

- 1 Samuel 10:6, 10; 11:6 with Saul as he prophesied.
- 1 Samuel 16:13-14 with David and departed from Saul.
- 1 Samuel 19:20, 23 with messengers of Saul and Saul as he was seeking David.
- 2 Samuel 23:2 with David as he wrote/spoke God's word.
- 1 Kings 18:12 Obadiah speaking with Elijah about King Ahab.
- 1 Kings 22:24 Spirit of the Lord.
- 2 Kings 2:16 Elisha looking for Elijah.
- 2 Chronicles 15:1 Azariah the prophet speaking to King Asa.
- 2 Chronicles 18:23 Spirit of the Lord.
- 2 Chronicles 20:14 Jahaziel the Levite speaking.
- 2 Chronicles 24:20 Zechariah, son of the priest speaking.
- Nehemiah 9:20, 30 God testified to Israel through the Spirit by the prophets.
- Job 26:13 Spirit "garnished" or "arranged" the creation.
- Job 33:4 Elihu says the Spirit of God made him.
- Psalm 51:11 David not wanting the Holy Spirit removed from him.
- Psalm 106:33 Israel rebelled against the Spirit.
- Psalm 139:7 cannot escape God's Spirit.
- Psalm 143:10 Your Spirit is good.
- Isaiah 11:2 the Spirit would be with Jesus.
- Isaiah 30:1 not of my Spirit.
- Isaiah 32:15 Spirit poured out.
- Isaiah 34:16 His Spirit has gathered them.
- Isaiah 40:13 who has directed the Spirit of the Lord?

- Isaiah 42:1 the Spirit with Jesus.
- Isaiah 44:3 God would pour out His Spirit.
- Isaiah 48:16 God's Spirit had sent out warnings.
- Isaiah 59:19, 21 a standard lifted; God's Spirit upon Isaiah.
- Isaiah 61:1 the Spirit upon Jesus.
- Isaiah 63:10-11 Holy Spirit with Israel in the wilderness.

Isaiah 63:14 – Spirit of the Lord.

Ezekiel 2:2; 3:12, 14, 24; 11:5 – Spirit spoke to Ezekiel.

Ezekiel 8:3; 11:1, 24; 37:1; 43:5 - visions.

Ezekiel 36:27; 37:14; 39:29 - God's Spirit within Israel after captivity.

Joel 2:28-29 – God would pour out of His Spirit.

Micah 2:7 – is the Spirit of the Lord restricted?

Micah 3:8 – Micah filled with the Spirit of the Lord.

Haggai 2:5 – God's Spirit with Israel post-captivity.

Zechariah 4:6 – the Spirit's power.

Zechariah 7:12 – God had spoken by His Spirit through the prophets.

- 1. Every time the Holy Spirit is present in the Old Testament it is in connection with (1) creation, (2) revelation, or (3) inspiration. In other words, the Holy Spirit is never "just there" with someone. He was always involved with something miraculous.
- 2. There are prophecies in the Old Testament of the Holy Spirit being given to God's servant to come, Jesus. Luke 3:21-23 and Acts 10:38 will shed light on this matter.
- 3. There is also a prophecy of the Spirit being "poured out" upon all flesh. The fulfillment of that prophecy is pin-pointed by Peter as the miraculous abilities given to him and the other apostles on the day of Pentecost as recorded in Acts 2:14-21.

The Holy Spirit in the Gospels

Matthew 1:18, 20; Luke 1:35 – the conception of Jesus.

Luke 1:15 – John the Baptizer to be filled with the Holy Spirit.

- Luke 1:41 Elizabeth filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke.
- Luke 1:67 Zacharias filled with the Holy Spirit and prophesied.

Luke 2:25-32 – Simeon filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke.

Matthew 3:11; Mark 1:8; Luke 3:16; John 1:33 – Jesus to baptize people with the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 3:16; Mark 1:10; Luke 3:22; John 1:32-34 – descended upon Christ at His baptism.

Matthew 4:1; Mark 1:12; Luke 4:1 – Jesus filled with and led into the wilderness by the Holy Spirit.

Luke 4:14 – the power of the Holy Spirit with Jesus.

- Luke 4:18 Isaiah's prophecy of Jesus being anointed.
- Matthew 10:20; Mark 13:11; Luke 12:12 the 12 given the Holy Spirit in order to speak.
- Luke 11:13 the Father giving the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him.
- Matthew 12:28, 31-32; Mark 3:29; Luke 12:10 blasphemy of the Holy Spirit.
- Matthew 12:18 the Holy Spirit upon God's servant (Jesus).
- Matthew 22:43 David by the Spirit.
- Mark 12:36 David spoke by the Holy Spirit.
- Matthew 28:19 baptized into a relationship with the Godhead.
- John 3:5-8 born of the Spirit.
- John 3:34 Jesus' speaking the words of God.
- John 6:63 The Spirit gives (spiritual) life.
- John 7:37-39 the Holy Spirit not yet given.
- John 14:17 the Spirit of truth given to the apostles.
- John 14:26 the Holy Spirit sent to the apostles.
- John 15:26 the Holy Spirit sent from God, to the apostles, to testify of Christ.
- John 16:7-11 the Helper (Holy Spirit) sent to the apostles to convict the world.
- John 16:13-15 the Holy Spirit would guide the apostles into all truth.
- John 20:22 John's "great commission."
 - 1. In the gospels, the Holy Spirit is involved in many miraculous events.
 - 2. Several people are said to have been "filled with the Spirit" which always led to a revelation of something.
 - 3. Very specific promises were given to the apostles in connection with the Holy Spirit all miraculous that they would be guided into all truth by the Spirit after Jesus left the earth.
 - 4. The baptism of the Holy Spirit was a promise spoken to the apostles and fulfilled (Acts 1:8; 2:1-4).
 - 5. The Holy Spirit is said to be involved in the new birth (Jn. 3:3-8).
 - 6. Baptism in water for the remission of sins also puts one into a relationship with all members of the Godhead (Matt. 28:18-20).

The Holy Spirit in Acts

- 1:2 Jesus gave commandments through the Holy Spirit.
- 1:5 baptism of the Holy Spirit to the apostles.
- 1:8 power received from the Holy Spirit.
- 1:16 David spoke through the Holy Spirit.
- 2:4 apostles spoke as the Spirit gave them the ability.
- 2:17-18 God would pour out of His Spirit upon all flesh.

- 2:33 the promise of the Holy Spirit, He poured out this which you now see and hear.
- 2:38 the gift of the Holy Spirit.
- 4:8 Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, spoke.
- 4:31 filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke.
- 5:3 Ananias lied to the Holy Spirit.
- 5:9 Ananias and Sapphira tested the Holy Spirit.
- 5:32 Holy Spirit given to those who obey God.
- 6:3 Seek out men full of the Holy Spirit.
- 6:5; 7:55 Stephen full of the Holy Spirit.
- 7:51 Jews resisted the Holy Spirit.
- 8:15-19 apostles giving Holy Spirit to Samaritans by laying on of hands.
- 8:29 Spirit told Philip to go speak to eunuch.
- 8:39 Spirit caught away Philip.
- 9:17 Saul to be filled with the Holy Spirit.
- 9:31 churches walking in the comfort of the Holy Spirit.
- 10:19 Spirit spoke to Peter.
- 10:38 Jesus was anointed with the Holy Spirit.

10:44-45, 47 – Holy Spirit fell on Cornelius and his household; "gift of the Holy Spirit;" spoke in tongues; received the Holy Spirit "just as we have."

- 11:12 Spirit told me.
- 11:15-16 Holy Spirit fell on them; baptized with the Holy Spirit; same gift.
- 11:24 Barnabas was full of the Holy Spirit.
- 11:28 prophet Agabus showed by the Spirit a great famine.
- 13:2 the Holy Spirit separated Saul and Barnabas.
- 13:4 Saul and Barnabas sent out by the Holy Spirit.
- 13:9 Paul filled with the Holy Spirit, spoke.
- 13:52 disciples filled with the Holy Spirit.
- 15:8 God gave them (Gentiles) the Holy Spirit just like He did us (Jews).
- 15:28 Holy Spirit instruction to Gentiles.
- 16:6-7 travel forbidden by the Holy Spirit.
- 18:5 Paul compelled by the Spirit.
- 19:2 receive Holy Spirit?

- 19:2 don't know if there is a Holy Spirit.
- 19:6 Holy Spirit came upon them and they spoke with tongues and prophesied.
- 20:23 Holy Spirit testifies.
- 20:28 Holy Spirit made overseers of the church.
- 21:4 disciples told Paul not to go to Jerusalem through the Spirit.
- 21:11 the Holy Spirit says.
- 28:25 the Holy Spirit spoke.
 - 1. The miraculous workings of the Holy Spirit are seen throughout Acts.
 - 2. The baptism of the Holy Spirit, as promised by Jesus, was fulfilled in Acts 2 with the apostles and Acts 10 with the Gentiles.
 - 3. The "gift of the Holy Spirit" (Acts 2:38) is often taught as the "ordinary measure" of the Holy Spirit to the Christian today. However, when coupled with Acts 10-11, it is clear that that is not the case. The Gentiles received "the gift of the Holy Spirit" (10:44-46; 11:15-17) which is also called "the same gift He gave us."
 - 4. Acts also demonstrates that the Holy Spirit is a divine being, not a feeling or influence (5:3, 9; 7:51; 8:29; 10:19; 11:12; 16:6-7; 21:11).

The Holy Spirit in Romans

- 5:5 love of God poured out by the Holy Spirit whom He has given to us.
- 8:1-2, 4-5 walk according to Spirit; law of the Spirit.
- 8:9-11 Spirit dwells in you.
- 8:13-16 led by Spirit; Spirit bears witness with our spirit.
- 8:23 first fruits of the Spirit.
- 8:26-27 Spirit makes intercession; mind of the Spirit.
- 9:1 Paul's conscience bearing witness in the Holy Spirit.
- 14:17 joy in the Holy Spirit.
- 15:16 sanctified by the Holy Spirit.
- 15:19 power of the Spirit of God.
- 15:30 the love of the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 1 Corinthians

- 2:4 demonstration of the Spirit and power.
- 2:10-14 God revealed His mind through the Spirit; knows the things of God; Holy Spirit teaches.
- 3:16 Spirit of God dwells in the church.
- 6:11 washed, sanctified, justified by the Spirit of our God.
- 6:19 body is temple of the Holy Spirit.

- 7:40 Paul had the Spirit of God.
- 12:3-4 speaking by the Spirit.
- 12:7-9 manifestation of the Spirit; spiritual gifts given through the Spirit.
- 12:11 spiritual gifts distributed as He (Spirit) wills.
- 12:13 baptized into one body by the Spirit; made to drink into one Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 2 Corinthians

- 1:22 sealed us and given us the Holy Spirit as a guarantee.
- 3:3 you are our epistle, written by the Spirit of the living God.
- 3:6 the Spirit gives life.
- 3:8 ministry of the Spirit.
- 3:17 where the Spirit of the Lord is there is liberty.
- 5:5 God gave the Spirit as a guarantee.
- 6:6 we commend ourselves as minsters of God...by the Holy Spirit.
- 13:14 communion of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Galatians

- 3:2-3 How did you receive the Spirit?
- 3:5 He who supplies the Spirit.
- 3:14 the promise of the Spirit.
- 4:29 Isaac born according to the Spirit.
- 5:5 through the Spirit we eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness by faith.
- 5:16-18, 25 walk in the Spirit, led by the Spirit.
- 5:22 fruit of Spirit.
- 6:8 sow and reap to the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Ephesians

- 1:13 sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise.
- 2:18 access to the Father by one Spirit.
- 2:22 a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.
- 3:5 revealed by the Spirit.
- 3:16 strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man.
- 4:3-4 unity of the Spirit, one Spirit.

- 4:30 don't grieve the Holy Spirit.
- 5:9 fruit of the Spirit.
- 5:18 be filled with the Spirit.
- 6:17-18 sword of the Spirit is the word of God, praying in the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Philippians

- 1:19 supply of the Spirit of Jesus Christ.
- 2:1 fellowship of the Spirit.
- 3:3 worship God in the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Colossians

1:8 – declared to us your love in the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 1 Thessalonians

- 1:5-6 gospel came...in the Holy Spirit, joy of the Holy Spirit.
- 4:8 God has given us His Holy Spirit.
- 5:19 do not quench the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 2 Thessalonians

2:13 – sanctification by the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 1 Timothy

- 3:16 God was...justified in the Spirit.
- 4:1 the Spirit speaks expressly.

The Holy Spirit in 2 Timothy

1:14 - the Holy Spirit who dwells in us.

The Holy Spirit in Titus

3:5 – renewing of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Hebrews

- 2:4 gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- 3:7 the Holy Spirit says.
- 6:4 partakers of the Holy Spirit.
- 9:8 the Holy Spirit indicating.
- 9:14 the eternal Spirit.
- 10:15 the Holy Spirit witnesses for us.
- 10:29 insulted the Spirit of grace.

The Holy Spirit in 1 Peter

- 1:2 sanctification of the Spirit.
- 1:11-12 the Spirit of Christ, preaches the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit.
- 1:22 obeying the truth through the Spirit.
- 3:18 made alive by the Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 2 Peter

1:21 – moved by the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in 1 John

- 3:24 by the Spirit whom He has given us.
- 4:2 the Spirit of God.
- 5:6-8 Spirit bears witness, Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Jude

- 19 not having the Spirit.
- 20 praying in the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit in Revelation

- 1:4; 4:5; 5:6 the seven Spirits.
- 1:10 in the Spirit on the Lord's day.
- 2:7, 11, 17, 29; 3:1, 6, 13, 22 hear what the Spirit say to the churches.
- 4:2 in the Spirit.
- 14:13 says the Spirit.
- 17:3; 21:10 carried me away in the Spirit.
- 22:17 the Spirit says come.

Blasphemy of the Holy Spirit – Matthew 12:22-37; Mark 3:20-30; Luke 12:10

Baptism of the Holy Spirit – Matthew 3:11; Mark 1:8; Luke 3:16; John 1:33; Acts 1:5; 11:16

"Gift of" the Holy Spirit – Acts 2:38; 10:45

<u>"Filled" with the Spirit</u> – Exodus 31:3; 35:31; Micah 3:8; Luke 1:15, 41, 67; Acts 2:4; 4:8, 31; 9:17; 13:9, 52; Ephesians 5:18

"Full of" the Holy Spirit – Luke 4:1; Acts 6:3, 5; 7:55; 11:24