



THE PRESENCE

LIVING LIFE WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

A lighthouse on a rocky cliff with a beam of light shining across a stormy sea.

The Empowering Presence

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Galatians 5 (NLT)

²⁵ Since we are living by the Spirit,
let us follow the Spirit's leading
in every part of our lives.



John 10

¹⁰ The thief comes only
to steal and kill and destroy;
I have come that they may have life,
and have it to the full.





ENEMY: STEAL, KILL, DESTROY

JESUS: LIFE TO THE FULL

John 16

¹³ When the Spirit of truth comes,
he will guide you into all truth.
He will not speak on his own but will tell you
what he has heard.
He will tell you about the future.



Matthew 10

¹⁹ When you are arrested,
don't worry about how to respond or what to say.
God will give you the right words at the right time.

²⁰ For it is not you who will be speaking;
it will be the Spirit of your Father speaking through you.



Luke 24

⁴⁹ And now I will send the Holy Spirit,
just as my Father promised.

But stay here in the city until the Holy Spirit comes
and fills you with power from heaven.



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PHILIP



Community



Acts 6

2... They said, "We apostles should spend our time teaching the word of God, not running a food program.

³ And so, brothers, select seven men who are well respected and are full of the Spirit and wisdom.

We will give them this responsibility.



Acts 6

...⁵ Everyone liked this idea,
and they chose the following:
Stephen (a man full of faith and the Holy Spirit),
Philip...





A lighthouse on a rocky cliff with a beam of light shining across a stormy sea. The lighthouse is white with a dark top section. The sea is dark and turbulent, with white foam from the waves. The sky is filled with dark, heavy clouds, and a bright beam of light from the lighthouse illuminates a path through the clouds. The overall mood is dramatic and atmospheric.

Region



Ascalon (Ashkelon)

Gaza

PEREA

Philadelphia (Rabbah)

Machaerus

ARABIA

Masada



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Acts 8

4 But the believers who were scattered preached the Good News about Jesus wherever they went.



Acts 8

⁵ Philip, for example, went to the city of Samaria and told the people there about the Messiah.

⁶ Crowds listened intently to Philip because they were eager to hear his message and see the miraculous signs he did.



Acts 8

⁷ Many evil spirits were cast out, screaming as they left their victims. And many who had been paralyzed or lame were healed.

⁸ So there was great joy in that city.







Nation





Acts 8

²⁶ As for Philip, an angel of the Lord said to him,
"Go south down the desert road
that runs from Jerusalem to Gaza."



Acts 8

²⁷ So he started out,
and he met the treasurer of Ethiopia,
a eunuch of great authority under the Kandake,
the queen of Ethiopia.



Acts 8

The eunuch had gone to Jerusalem to worship,
²⁸ and he was now returning.

Seated in his carriage,
he was reading aloud
from the book of the prophet Isaiah.



Acts 8

²⁹ The Holy Spirit said to Philip,
"Go over and walk along beside the carriage."

³⁰ Philip ran over and heard the man
reading from the prophet Isaiah.

Philip asked,
"Do you understand what you are reading?"



Acts 8

31 The man replied,
“How can I, unless someone instructs me?”
And he urged Philip to come up
into the carriage and sit with him.



Acts 8

³² The passage of Scripture
he had been reading was this:

“He was led like a sheep to the slaughter.
And as a lamb is silent before the shearers,
he did not open his mouth.



Acts 8

33 He was humiliated and received no justice.
Who can speak of his descendants?
For his life was taken from the earth.”



Acts 8

³⁴ The eunuch asked Philip,
“Tell me, was the prophet talking about himself
or someone else?”

³⁵ So beginning with this same Scripture,
Philip told him the Good News about Jesus.



Acts 8

³⁶ As they rode along, they came to some water, and the eunuch said, "Look! There's some water!

Why can't I be baptized?"

...³⁸ He ordered the carriage to stop, and they went down into the water, and Philip baptized him.



Acts 8

39 When they came up out of the water, the Spirit of the Lord snatched Philip away. The eunuch never saw him again but went on his way rejoicing.



Isaiah 56

3... And don't let the eunuchs say,
'I'm a dried-up tree
with no children and no future.'

Isaiah 56

4 For this is what the LORD says:
I will bless those eunuchs
who keep my Sabbath days holy
and who choose to do what pleases me
and commit their lives to me.

Isaiah 56

⁵ I will give them—within the walls of my house—
a memorial and a name
far greater than sons and daughters
could give.





Generation







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Acts 8

40 Meanwhile, Philip found himself farther north
at the town of Azotus.

He preached the Good News there
and in every town along the way
until he came to Caesarea.



Acts 9

¹ Meanwhile, Saul was uttering threats with every breath and was eager to kill the Lord's followers.





ITALY

Adriatic Sea

MACEDONIA

(Constantinople) Byzantium

BITHYNIA

PONTUS

GALATIA

CAPPADOCIA

ASIA

LYCAONIA

MYSIA

PHRYGIA

CILICIA

GREECE
ACHAIA

Aegean Sea

ASSOS

PISIDIA

LYCIA

PAMPHYLIA

CYPRUS

SYRIA

SICILY

Tyrrhenian Sea

Ionian Sea

MALTA (MELITA)

PHOENIX

CRETE

PHOENICIA

GALILEE

SAMARIA

JUDEA

ARABIA

CYRENAICA

LIBYA

EGYPT

TRIPOLITANIA

- ▶ First Journey (AD 47-50)
- ... Second Journey (AD 53-57)
- - - Third Journey (AD 57-62)
- ▶ Journey to Rome (AD 57-62)
- ★ One of the "Seven Churches"

0 50 100 150 200 km
0 50 100 miles

Cyrene

Alexandria

Damascus

Antioch

Tarsus

Derbe

Iconium

Lystra

Antioch

Sardis

Thyatira

Philadelphia

Hierapolis

Laodicea

Ephesus

Colossae

Perga

Attalia

Myra

Pafos

Cnidus

Cos

Miletus

Trogyllium

Samos

Patmos

Chios

Mitylene

Lesbos

Assos

Samothrace

Neapolis

Philippi

Amphipolis

Berea

Thessalonica

Nicopolis

Delphi

Athens

Corinth

Cenchreae

Sparta

Rhegium

Syracuse

Puteoli

Pompeii

Appii Forum

Three Taverns

Rome

Nicaea

Phoenicia

Sidon

Tyre

Protemais

Caesarea

Antipatris

Joppa

Gaza

Jerusalem

Amman

Salamis

Seleucia

First Journey

Second Journey

Third Journey

Fair Havens

Lasea

Claudia

Salmone

Acts 21

⁸ The next day we went on to Caesarea and stayed at the home of Philip the Evangelist, one of the seven men who had been chosen to distribute food.

⁹ He had four unmarried daughters who had the gift of prophecy.





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2 Timothy 1

⁷ For God has not given us
a spirit of fear and timidity,
but of power,
love,
and self-discipline.



fear and timidity

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HOLY SPIRIT

Power. Love. Self-Discipline.



**Will you trust Him
with your future?**



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