



Misconceptions of the Holy Spirit

1. You are not saved unless you are baptized in the Holy Spirit & speak in tongues.
2. Tongues are not for everyone.
3. You can't pray in tongues at will.
4. Tongues are of the devil.
5. All tongues are for prayer only.
6. Tongues are just the ability to speak in a foreign language.
7. Tongues ceased when the last of the 12 disciples/apostles of Jesus died.
8. Tongues are used to do warfare with demons.
9. If God wants you to speak in tongues he will give them to you.
10. You can be baptized in the Spirit and not speak in tongues.
11. You must tarry for the Holy Spirit.

BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT (from BHW-Statements of Faith)

The Baptism in the Holy Spirit and fire is a gift from God as promised by the Lord Jesus Christ to all believers in this dispensation and is received subsequent to the new birth. This experience is accompanied by the initial evidence of speaking in other tongues as the Holy Spirit Himself gives utterance (Matt. 3:11; John 14:16,17; Acts 1:8; Acts 2:38,39; Acts 19:1–7; Acts 2:1–4).