

But you will receive power
when the Holy Spirit comes
on you; and you will be
my witnesses in Jerusalem,
and in all Judea and Samaria,
and to the ends of the earth.

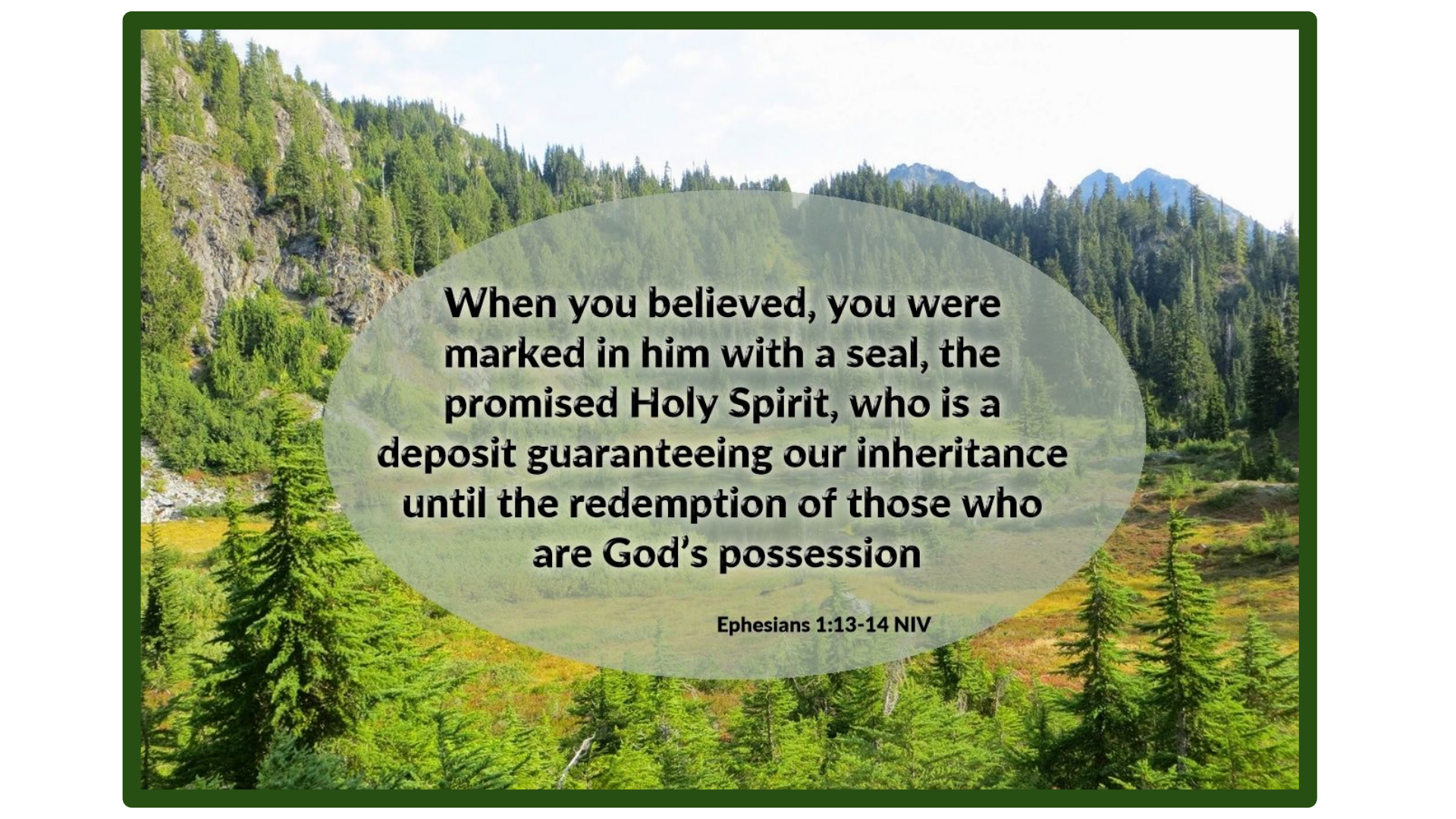
Acts 1:8



You Will Have Power

Chapter 12 Unshakable Hope

[Same Power - Jeremy Camp \(lyric video\) - YouTube](#)



**When you believed, you were
marked in him with a seal, the
promised Holy Spirit, who is a
deposit guaranteeing our inheritance
until the redemption of those who
are God's possession**

Ephesians 1:13-14 NIV



The Giver of life

■ **The power for life comes from God's Spirit**

– **When God removes his Spirit, we die:**

Job 34:14-15

**"If He should determine to do so,
If He should gather to Himself His
spirit and His breath, All flesh would
perish together, And man would
return to dust."**



“Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.”

John 3:5 (KJV)

John 3:5-8 The Message (MSG)

⁵⁻⁶ Jesus said, “You’re not listening. Let me say it again. Unless a person submits to this original creation—the ‘wind-hovering-over-the-water’ creation, the invisible moving the visible, a baptism into a new life—it’s not possible to enter God’s kingdom. When you look at a baby, it’s just that: a body you can look at and touch. But the person who takes shape within is formed by something you can’t see and touch—the Spirit—and becomes a living spirit.

⁷⁻⁸ “So don’t be so surprised when I tell you that you have to be ‘born from above’—out of this world, so to speak. You know well enough how the wind blows this way and that. You hear it rustling through the trees, but you have no idea where it comes from or where it’s headed next. That’s the way it is with everyone ‘born from above’ by the wind of God, the Spirit of God.”





Titus 3:4-7

BUT WHEN THE KINDNESS AND LOVE OF GOD OUR SAVIOR APPEARED,
HE SAVED US, NOT BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUS THINGS WE HAD DONE,
BUT BECAUSE OF HIS MERCY. HE SAVED US THROUGH THE WASHING OF
REBIRTH AND RENEWAL BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, WHOM HE POURED OUT ON US
GENEROUSLY THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR SAVIOR, SO THAT,
HAVING BEEN JUSTIFIED BY HIS GRACE, WE MIGHT BECOME HEIRS
HAVING THE HOPE OF ETERNAL LIFE.

A photograph of a sunset over the ocean. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright glow and long, dark shadows on the beach. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds. The water is dark, and the beach is a mix of sand and rocks.

And we,
who with unveiled faces
all reflect the Lord's glory,
are being transformed into his likeness
with ever-increasing glory,
which comes from the Lord,
who is the Spirit.

{2 Corinthians 3:18}



How do we bear this kind of fruit?

What role does the Holy Spirit play in our bearing fruit?

1 Corinthians 12:8-10

8 for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, 9 to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by [a]the same Spirit, 10 to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues.

The Holy Spirit unites us

1 Corinthians 12:12-14

¹² Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³ For we were all baptized by one Spirit so as to form one body—whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free—and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. ¹⁴ Even so the body is not made up of one part but of many.



The Holy Spirit comforts us

Then the churches throughout all Judea,
Galilee, and Samaria had peace and were
edified. And walking in the fear of the
Lord and in the comfort of the Holy
Spirit, they were multiplied.

∞ Acts 9:31



The Holy Spirit guides us into all truth

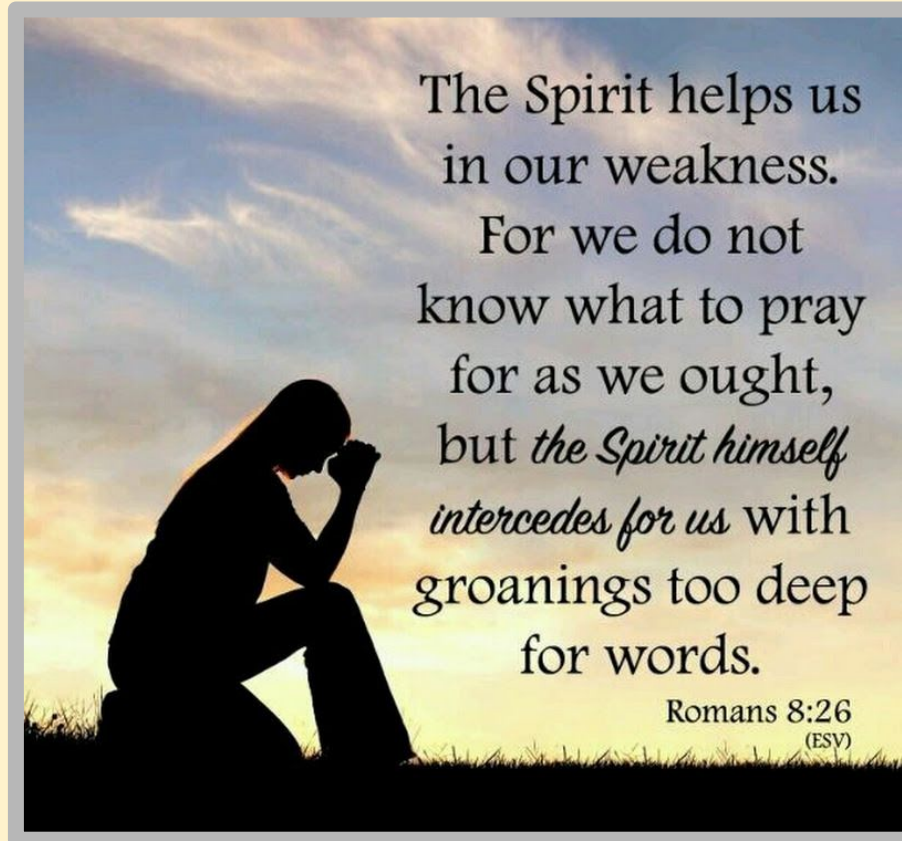
When the Spirit of truth comes,
He will guide you into all the truth.
For He will not speak on His own,
but He will speak whatever He hears.
He will also declare to you what is to come.
John 16:13

HCSB, meditationsbyapril.com

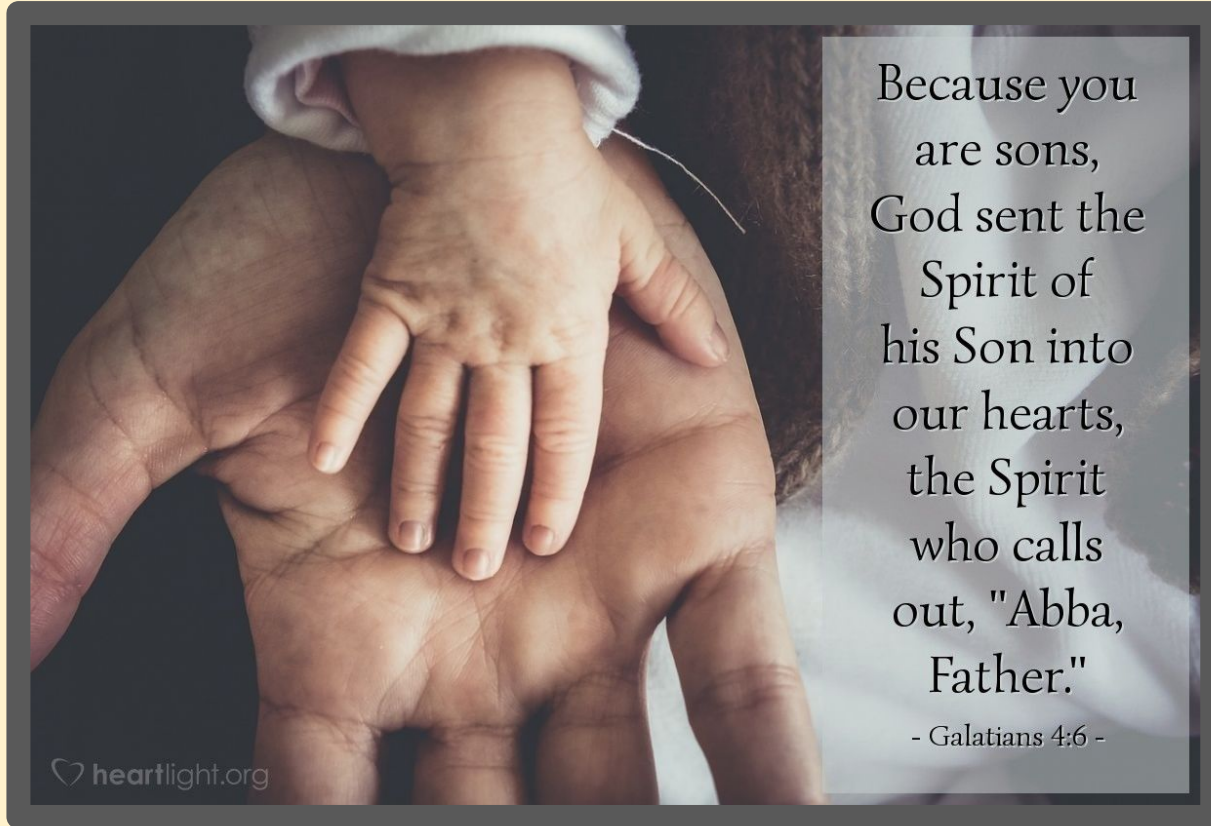


He reveals the things that are still to come

The Holy Spirit offers prayers of intercession




The Holy Spirit bears witness that we are saved



Because you
are sons,
God sent the
Spirit of
his Son into
our hearts,
the Spirit
who calls
out, "Abba,
Father."

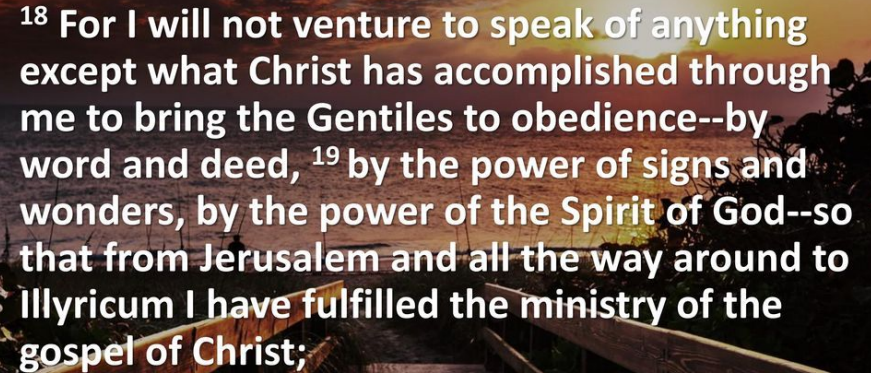
- Galatians 4:6 -

The Holy Spirit attests to the presence of God with signs and miracles



And God confirmed the message by giving signs and wonders and various miracles and gifts of the Holy Spirit whenever he chose.

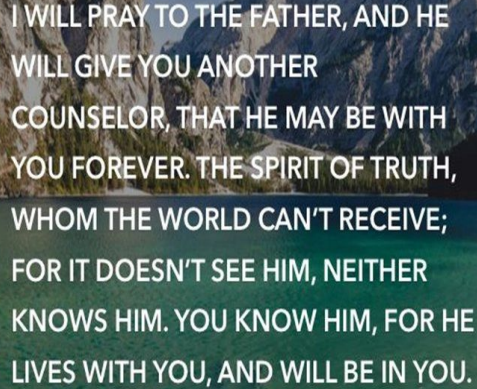
- Hebrews 2:3-4, NLT -



¹⁸ For I will not venture to speak of anything except what Christ has accomplished through me to bring the Gentiles to obedience--by word and deed, ¹⁹ by the power of signs and wonders, by the power of the Spirit of God--so that from Jerusalem and all the way around to Illyricum I have fulfilled the ministry of the gospel of Christ;

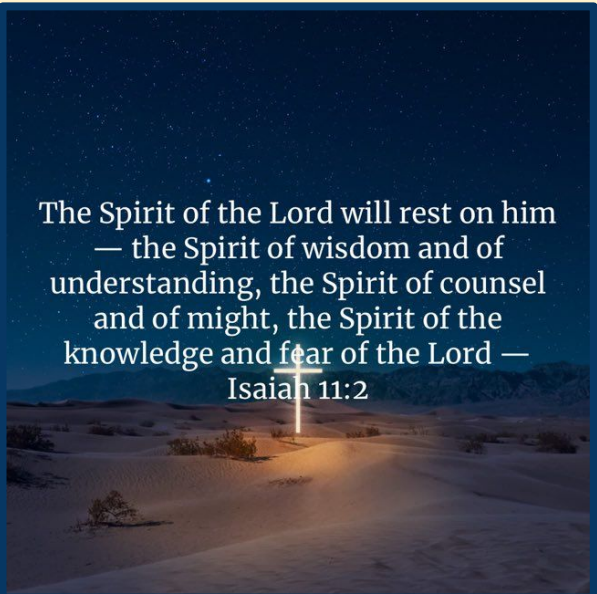
Romans 15:18-19 ESV

The Holy Spirit creates a Godlike atmosphere of truth, wisdom, and freedom




I WILL PRAY TO THE FATHER, AND HE
WILL GIVE YOU ANOTHER
COUNSELOR, THAT HE MAY BE WITH
YOU FOREVER. THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH,
WHOM THE WORLD CAN'T RECEIVE;
FOR IT DOESN'T SEE HIM, NEITHER
KNOWS HIM. YOU KNOW HIM, FOR HE
LIVES WITH YOU, AND WILL BE IN YOU.

JOHN 14:16-17

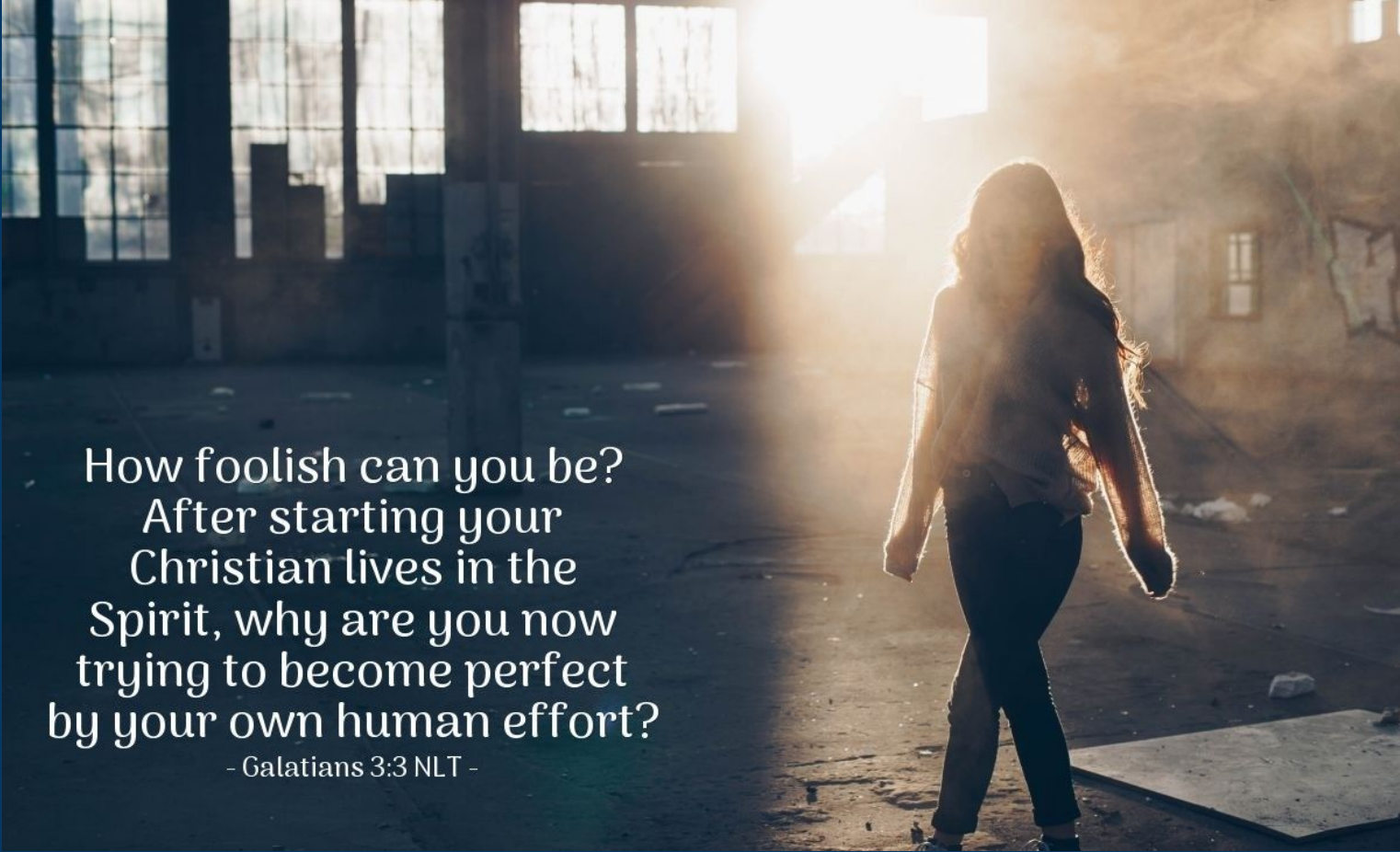


The Spirit of the Lord will rest on him
— the Spirit of wisdom and of
understanding, the Spirit of counsel
and of might, the Spirit of the
knowledge and fear of the Lord —
Isaiah 11:2



NOW THE LORD IS THE
SPIRIT, AND WHERE THE
SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS,
THERE IS FREEDOM.

2 CORINTHIANS 3:17



How foolish can you be?
After starting your
Christian lives in the
Spirit, why are you now
trying to become perfect
by your own human effort?

- Galatians 3:3 NLT -

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the desire
and the power
to do what pleases Him*

*Philippians
2:13*