



EPHESUS AND THE SUPERNATURAL

Acts 19:1-7
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Acts 1-2: AD 30

Acts 19 covers a time span from _____

(Paul to the Ephesians) *...night and day for a period of three years I did not cease to admonish each one with tears. - Acts 20:31 (NASB)*

(vv.1-3)

Paul meets some Disciples: Paul doesn't question whether they _____, but recognizes that something is _____

They knew enough to be _____, but not about the _____

**Paul's question implies we can know _____ we _____
His Holy Spirit**

(v.6) **This implies that someone can believe and then _____
the Holy Spirit _____**

"Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?" - Acts 19:2 (NKJV)

Almost _____ years earlier

*Now when the apostles who were at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had received the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them, who, when they had come down, prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit.
- Acts 8:14-15 (NKJV)*

Tongues: Speaking to _____

*For he who speaks in a tongue does not speak to men but to God...
- 1 Corinthians 14:2 (NKJV)*

(Paul) *For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays, but my mind is unproductive.
- 1 Corinthians 14:14 (NASB)*

**Prophecy: Forthtelling the heart of God more than foretelling
Prophecy is speaking to _____**

But everyone who prophesies speaks to men for their strengthening, encouragement and comfort. - 1 Corinthians 14:3 (NIV)

On the Day Jesus was Raised:

The Disciples were _____
And when He had said this, He breathed on them, and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit." - John 20:22 (NASB77)

**Approximately _____ later to the Disciples who had _____
the Holy Spirit, Jesus promised they would be baptized with the Holy Spirit:**

(Jesus) *"...John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now...you will receive power (dunamis) when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses (martus) both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth." - Acts 1:5 & 8 (NASB95)*

Purpose: Power to be His _____

The promise of the Holy Spirit is for _____ generation

Whatever the Holy Spirit was doing _____, He's doing _____

But this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: And it shall come to pass in the last days, says God, That I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your young men shall see visions, Your old men shall dream dreams. - Acts 2:16-17 (NKJV)

For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call. - Acts 2 (NKJV)

The Result:

This took place for two years, so that all who lived in Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks. - Acts 19:10 (NASB)

_____ years later Jesus writes to the church in Ephesus

*To the angel of the church in Ephesus write... "I know your deeds and your labor and perseverance...and you have put those who call themselves apostles to the test, and they are not, and you found them to be false; and you have perseverance and have endured on account of My name, and have not become weary. But I have this against you, that you have left your first love. Therefore, remember from where you have fallen, and repent, and do the deeds you did at first; or else I am coming to you and I will remove your lampstand from its place—unless you repent."
- Revelation 2:1-5 (NASB)*