

Be Filled With the Spirit Ephesians 5:18

Taking deeper

In Luke 11:9-13, Jesus indicates that we need to desire this Spirit filled life. We need to ask, seek and knock, believing that God will give the Holy Spirit. Why might we not want to be filled with the Holy Spirit? (Consider Acts 8:29, 16:6-7, Matthew 4:1)

Application

We saw five things we can do that will open up the way for the Holy Spirit to work as he wishes. There were;

Desire to be filled with the Spirit - Luke 11:9-13

Offer your body to be filled with the Holy Spirit - Romans 12:1-2

Meditate on the Word of Christ - John 6:63

Believe the Word of Christ - Galatians 3:5

Obey the word of Christ - John 14:22-23

What changes will you make in order to put these five things into practice? How can you practically change things, so that you can give room for the Spirit to working your life?

Worship

Jesus said,

John 16:12–15 (ESV)

¹² "I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. ¹³ When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. ¹⁵ All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you.

What aspects of Christ's life, has the Spirit revealed to you, that has caused you to worship Jesus?