

# Living Water

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“The Spirit and the Bride are talking, Come!  
Let anyone hearing say, Come!  
Let anyone thirsting, Come!  
Let anyone willing, receive the Water of Life as a gift!” —  
Revelation 22:17

Revelation 22:17 expresses three conditions: hearing, thirsting, and willing; three actions: saying come, coming, and receiving.

But, the hearing is not of the sort that goes in one ear and comes out of the other ear. Hearing and talking are meaningless without full understanding: the hearer must have experienced thirsting and coming, being willing and receiving the Water of Life; the hearer must have experienced that the Water of Life is the incessant communion and communication with the Holy Spirit. Having received the gift of the Holy Spirit the hearer is now competently and completely equipped to say, Come. The hearer now knows what they are talking about.

“Jesus answered and said to her, ‘If you knew the gift of God, and Who it is that said to you, Give Me to drink; you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water.’ ” — John 4:10

“Jesus answered and said to her, ‘Whoever drinks of this water will thirst again: but, whoever drinks of the water that I will give them will never thirst; but the water that I will give them will be in them a well of water springing up into everlasting life.’ ” — John 4:13-14

“But the hour comes, and now is, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in Spirit and in truth: for the Father seeks such to worship Him. God is a Spirit: and those who worship Him must worship Him in Spirit and in truth.” — John 4:23-24

“On the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, ‘If any man thirst, let him come to me, and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his belly will flow rivers of Living Water.’ Now, this He said about the Spirit, which those who believe in Him would receive: for the Spirit was not yet given; because Jesus was not yet glorified.” — John 7:37-39

Only those who have received the gift of the Holy Spirit, remain in incessant communion and communication with Him, and understand the nature and power of His ministry, are qualified to repeat the message, Come. Don't worry, it only takes seconds for the Spirit to make His presence known in your hearts.

Jesus is the Law of God, Who, was walking among us on two feet. By His shed blood, He made the Law a stable foundation for us to walk upon. But, the Spirit writes the Law of God, which describes Jesus in detail upon our hearts.

“Behold, the days come, says the Lord, that I will make a New Covenant with the house of Israel, and with the house of Judah: not according to the covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt; which My Covenant they broke, although I was an husband to them, says the Lord: but, this will be the Covenant that I will make with the house of

Israel; After those days, says the Lord, I will put My Law in their inward parts, and write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they will be my people. They will teach no more everyone their neighbor, and everyone their brother or sister, saying, Know the Lord: for they will all know Me, from the least of them unto the greatest of them, says the Lord: for, I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.” — Jeremiah 31:31-34

“I will give them one heart, and I will put a new Spirit within you; and I will take the stony heart out of their flesh, and will give them an heart of flesh: that they may walk in My statutes, and keep My ordinances, and do them: and they will be My people, and I will be their God.” — Ezekiel 11:19-20

“Forasmuch as you are clearly declared to be the epistle of Christ ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the Living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.” — 2 Corinthians 3:3

Now, we know that covenants are cut, not written; this is bloody and sometimes painful: but, the Holy Spirit is cutting the Law, which is Jesus into our hearts. This is the true meaning of faith. As we become more and more like Jesus, we obey the Law of God, by grace, through faith. If you understand this, you may be qualified and ready to spread the message, Come.

Each spreading of this message is a new birth, a new generation. With the first generation, there are two; with the second, four; with the third, eight; with the tenth, one thousand; with the twentieth, one million; with the thirtieth, one billion; with the thirty-third, eight billion, which is the population of the world.

This is identical to the message of candle light miracles, and candle light services. These are not about wax, string, and fire. Acts 2 shows us that we are the candles, bearing the flame of the Holy Spirit with us. The Beatitudes declare that we are the light of the world. In only thirty-three generations it is possible to reach the world for Christ.

What happens? In only ten generations, the room is filled with light, we have reached the walls, windows, and doors; our task is finished; we put out the candles. In only twenty generations, the amphitheater or stadium is filled with light, we have reached the perimeter and gates; our task is finished; we put out the candles. Some even march around outside their churches: but, they never leave the sidewalk. Others teach that it is wrong to spread such light among pagans: that it is casting pearls before swine and is sinful. The tares among us are screaming, someone will be offended, light is toxic, give us darkness. The lights go out, the message dies.

But the Light of Christ, which the Holy Spirit has cut into our hearts, cannot ever really go out, can it? It will not ever be silenced by walls, perimeters, or screaming protests, will it?

But even confirmation or chrismation is taught as giving correct answers to theological questions, instead of the quest for the Holy Spirit, which it really is. Or candles and lights are taught as a sacramental reality, falsely supplanting the light of the Holy Spirit within us.

Nevertheless, do not let the light of the Holy Spirit in your hearts, declaring Jesus as the Perfect Law of Liberty; do not let anyone or any fear convince you to hide that light under a bushel basket. Hold that light high and let it shine. For you did “receive the Water of Life as a gift”; you were willing, and thirsting, and hearing. You ARE qualified.

Soli Deo Gloria.

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