

How Revival Comes *Not ~ Do It Yourself*

Revival by Definition:

- ◆ an **improvement** in the condition or strength of something
- ◆ an instance of something becoming popular, active, or **important**

Why is Revival Needed?

Christians and Churches have a _____ to become comfortable and content in their level of devotion and service to God. Becoming preoccupied with life, their commitment _____ deteriorates.

Church Conditions in the early church:

- ◇ Forsaking their first love ~ Rev. 2:4
- ◇ Falling for false teachers and temptations ~ Rev. 2:14-15
- ◇ Seemingly alive, yet dead ~ Rev. 3:1-2
- ◇ Lukewarm ~ Rev. 3:15-16

Revival Comes Through the Holy Spirit P_____.

Revival will never alone come through

a Person, a Program or a Process.

It will not come from God like an _____ electricity.

... "Prophecy to these bones and say to them, 'Dry bones, hear the word of the LORD! ⁵This is what the Sovereign LORD says to these bones: I will make **breath** enter you, and you will come to life. ⁶I will attach tendons to you and make flesh come upon you and cover you with skin; I will put **breath** in you, and you will come to life. Then you will know that I am the LORD.'" // ¹⁴I will put my Spirit **in you** and you will live, and I will settle you in your own land. Then you will know that I the Lord have spoken, and I have done it, declares the Lord.'" Ezek. 37:4-6 & 14

What should we be doing? S_____ Him
(Asking of Him)

Revival Comes Through the Holy Spirit's P_____.

The Divine Strength of His Presence _____ things.

We Discover a Completely Different P_____.

When He comes, He will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹about sin, because people do not believe in me; ¹⁰about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; ¹¹and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

¹²"I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³But when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, He will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on His own; He will speak only what He hears, and He will tell you what is yet to come.

John 16:8-13

What should we be doing? S_____ to Him
(His Will be Done)

Revival Comes Through the Holy Spirit's P_____, filling us full.

*All of them were **filled** with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.*

*¹⁶No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: ¹⁷In the last days, God says, I will **pour out my Spirit** on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. ¹⁸Even on my servants, both men and women, I will **pour out my Spirit** in those days, and they will prophesy.* Acts 2:4 & 16-18

What should we be doing? S_____ Him
(Answering His Call)

**Optional Reading: Key words Revive or Restore (7 chapters)
Psalm 51, 71, 80, 85, Isaiah 57 Hosea 6 1 Peter 5**

Key words Filled with the Holy Spirit (7 chapters)
Exodus 31 Deut. 34 Luke 1 & 2 Acts 2, 4, Eph. 5