

John 3:8

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"The wonder & the work of the Holy Spirit"

Subject: The work of the
Holy Spirit within us

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THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT WITHIN US
(The Blessing of the Holy Spirit upon us) →
To describe it, Rich uses similes, simple metaphor.
With reference to this world; with reference to the world that is to come.

I. Here in this world

1. Wind [17], IT IS OUR LIVING SPIRITUS*

(Breath)

John 3:8 invisible in essence, but no less real.
Our modern scientific world makes no concession to the idea
- atoms, molecules, viruses
- ether waves (atmospheric forces and radio, etc.)
- light, thought & electricity, pressure, the spectrum from red to
violet. But also invisible forms: about us red, before us
- gravity. Various tides of the atmosphere to earth's surface
John 3:8 "He breathed on them & wind breatheth now where he is not. But in God life"
Acts 2:2 "rushing mighty wind, filled all the house" Acts 2:2
"ever seat, active, soul. moved in"
II Peter 1:11 vision of a ship driven by the wind

2. Fire (the fire word ^{of} ^{30:9})
Isa. 4:5 "the spirit of burning" ⁽¹⁾ fire, flame, sacrifice, fervor, earnestness
"the spirit of God like fire" ⁽²⁾ ^{11:20}
Rev. 4:5 "the seven lamps .. seven spirits .."
Ex. 40:34-38 to fill Israel with holiness; I K. 8:10, "over the temple"
Acts 2:3 "the promised power."
(a) the story of the fiery furnace

3. Clothing,
Ex. 28:42 "and you shall put on the ephod, the breastplate, and the robe of the ephod." ^{an ornate robe with the twelve stones}
Judges 6:18 "spirit of the Lord clothes him directly with his coat"
II Chron. 28:20 "seen again in vision of Acts 26:24, 25 Paul, Festus, Agrippa" ^{"In chariot"}

II. There is the world to come.

1. Seal of payment ^{is seal}

Accepted Christ, saved. Purchase by the Blood, Christ, Redeemed.
But ten thousand pitfalls. Satan. Shall I make a mark in him?
The answer: 3 times in the NT the Holy Spirit is represented
as a seal of the believer's redemption. If Cor. 1:22; Eph. 1:13; 4:30

A seal among men:

(I) Ownership, a spiritual transaction Jer. 32:9
(II) Security Matt. 27:66; Rev. 20:3 Ezra 9:1-19

So with God

(III) Ownership. II Tim. 2:19. God marks them as His property
Rev. 7, 14, 2

(IV) Security - 144,000 in Rev. 7:2
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The Holy Spirit himself is the seal. His presence the sign, seal
of the ultimate fulfillment of God's purpose of grace in us.

2. Earnest deposit ^{or pledge}

3 times in the NT II Cor. 1:23, 5:5; Eph. 1:14
A pledge, token payment, that the rest will be paid.
The NS himself is the pledge, tokens, that all the table has provided will
(a) Be recognized him as such. Two Gentlemen were to meet. Some
one, our neighbor, did not. Did you see no and no? No,
But you just passed him, looked at him. Did not see?
Was just to a nation. See prediction now? "
no, were all day, nobody passing, but we see
was not he was in reality?"

Of what is the Spirit an earnest?

1. Our resistance I Th. 1:4, 5 Our inability place. Then
^{so} II Cor. 2:9, 10

2. Our identity of person with Christ. John 17:11, 24; Phil. 1:6; 4 Thess.
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III "Down, down in
between rails of
spotted at either end, place of all"

[seen on the cross]
will not be seen in lower set
as first or poor
seen in the
on one or other set

a poem?

that you have breed with other plants?
or I have breed to show off
up to me not as off
in the can help pride the country.
grows with other sets
mixes with them ready.