



"It is the will of God that each believer should be filled with the Holy Spirit and be sanctified wholly, being separated from sin and the world and fully dedicated to the will of God, thereby receiving power for holy living and effective service. This is accomplished through being filled with the Holy Spirit, which is both a distinct event and progressive experience in the life of the believer.

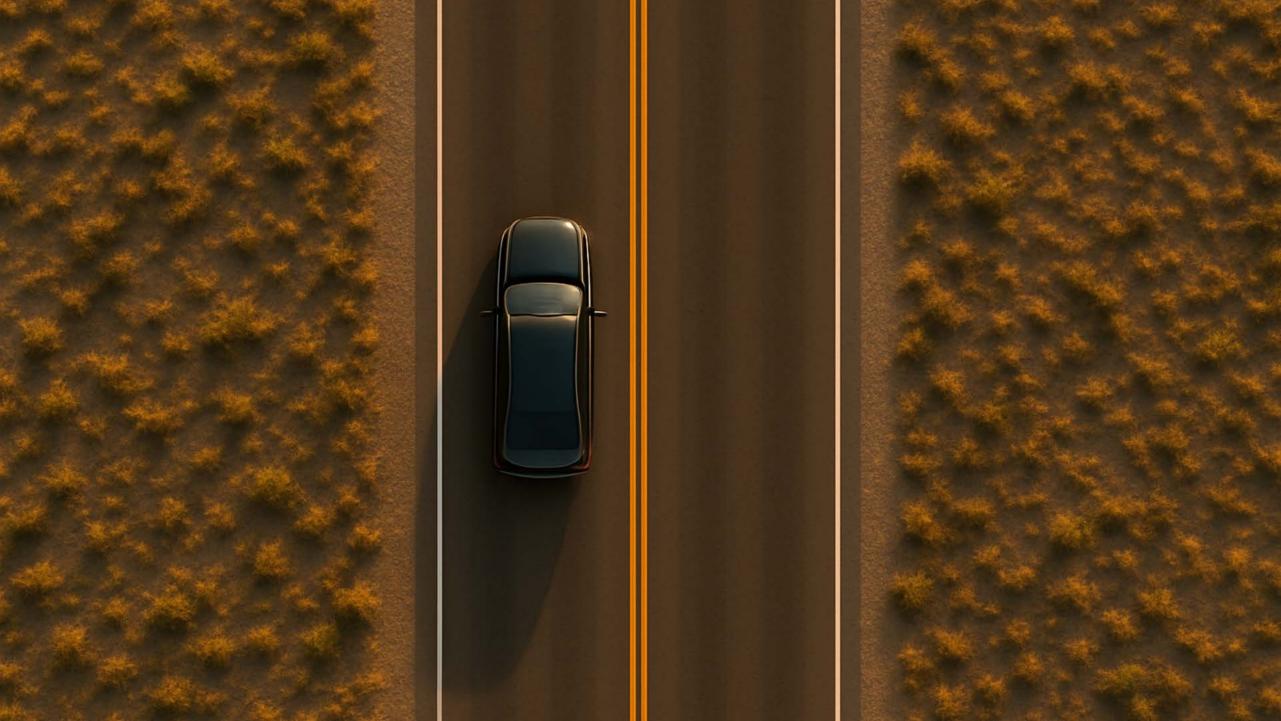
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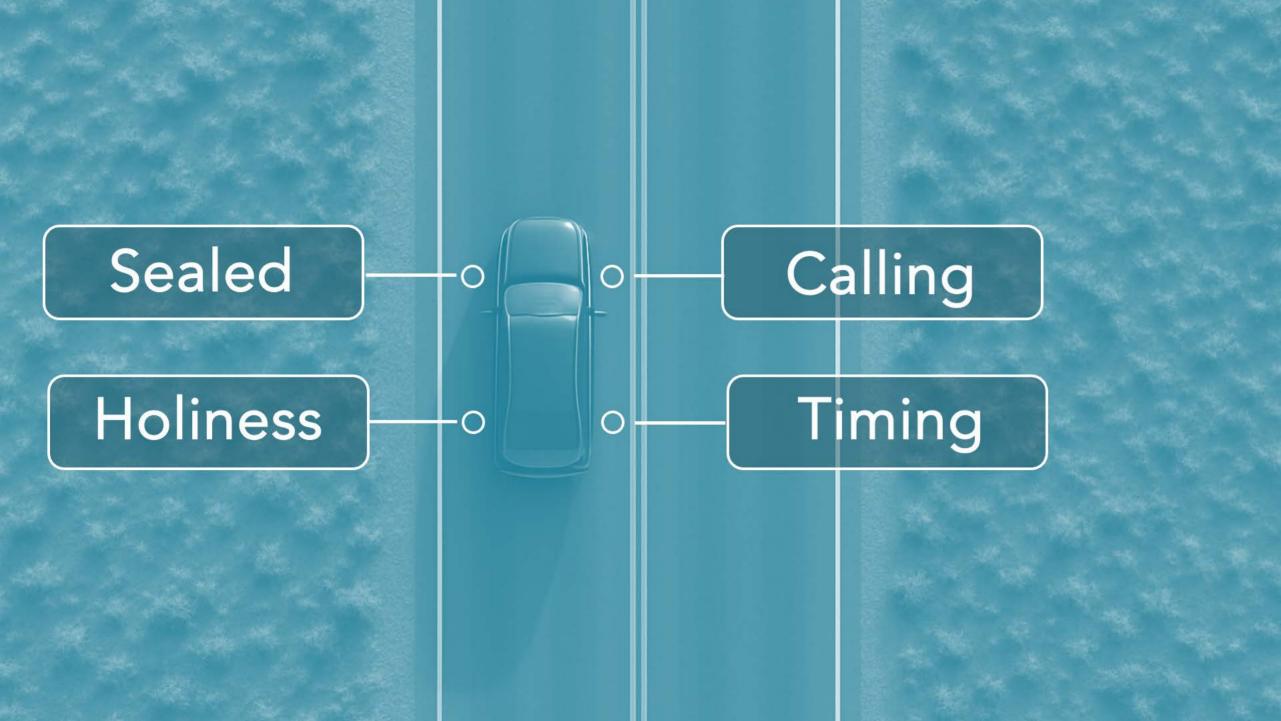
GALATIANS 5:25 (NLT)

Since we live by the Spirit,

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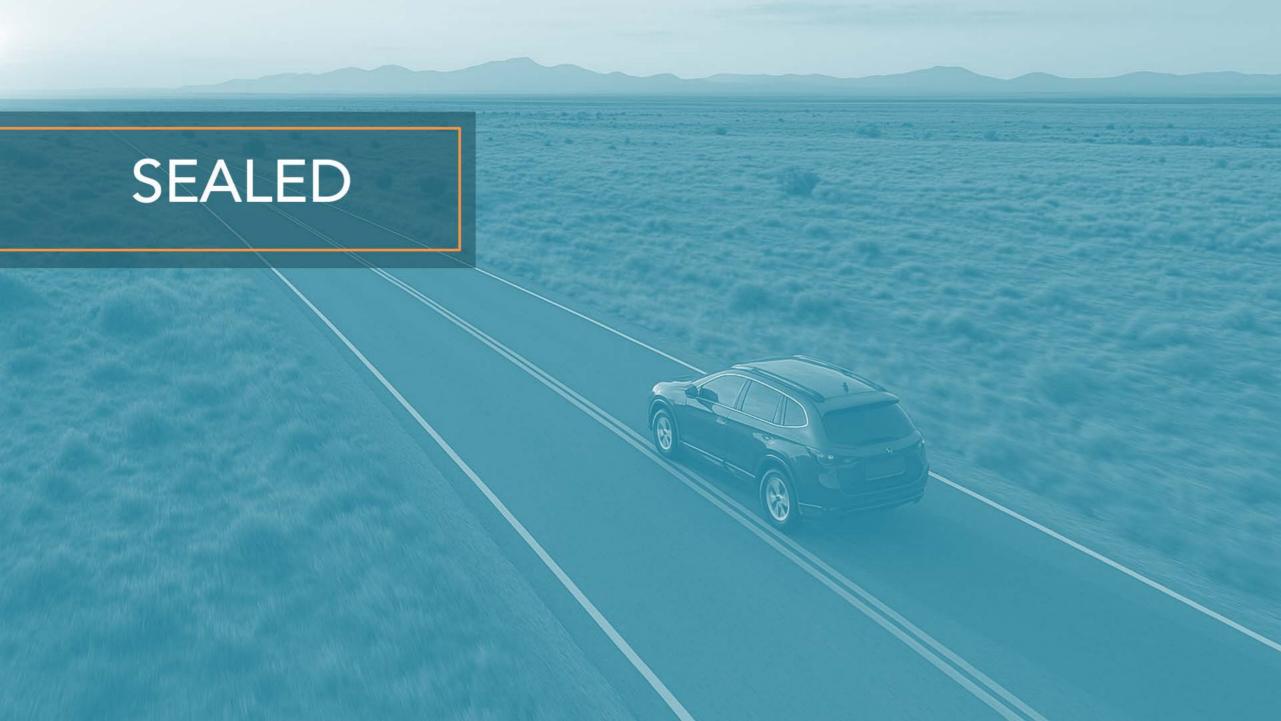












17 So Ananias went and found Saul.
He laid his hands on him and said,
"Brother Saul, the Lord Jesus,
who appeared to you on the road,
has sent me so that you might regain
your sight and be filled with the Holy Spirit."



18 Instantly something like scales fell from Saul's eyes, and he regained his sight. Then he got up and was baptized.

19 Afterward he ate some food and regained his strength.



EPHESIANS 1

And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation.
 When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit,

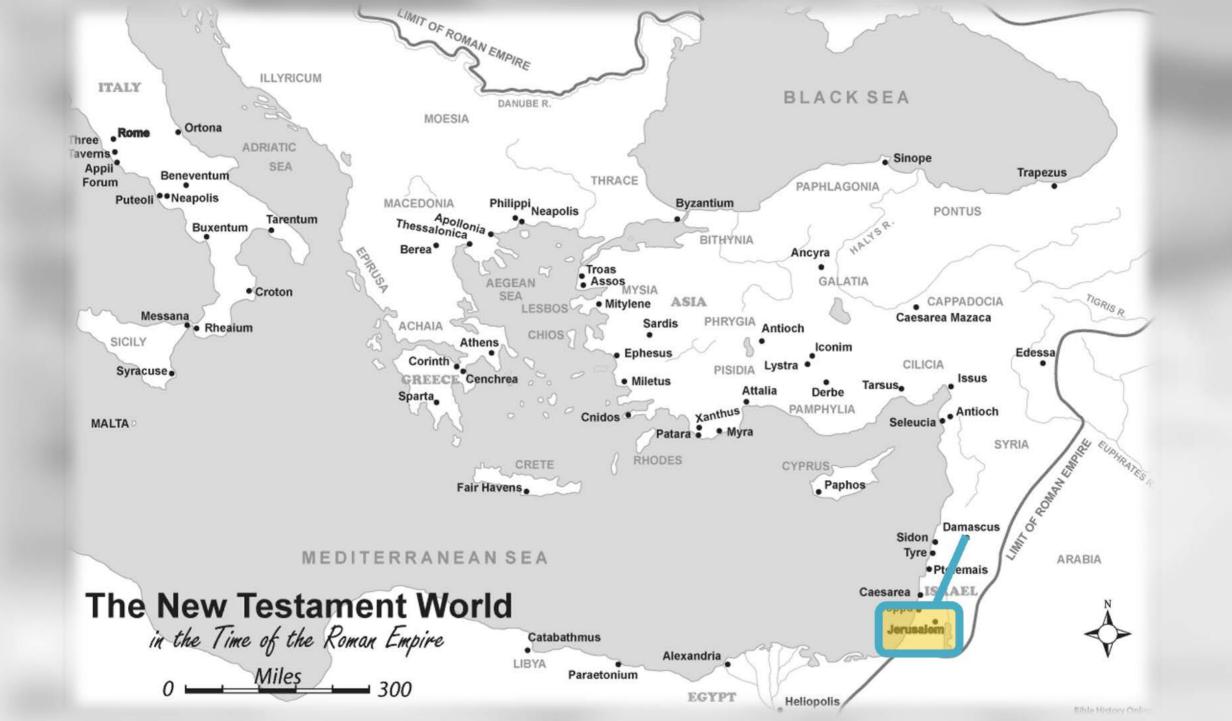


EPHESIANS 1

who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—
 to the praise of his glory.









he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him, not believing that he really was a disciple...



So Saul stayed with them and moved about freely in Jerusalem, speaking boldly in the name of the Lord.
 He talked and debated with the Hellenistic Jews, but they tried to kill him.



³⁰ When the believers learned of this, they took him down to Caesarea and sent him off to Tarsus.



EPHESIANS 5 (NLT)

18 Don't be drunk with wine, because that will ruin your life. Instead, be filled with the Holy Spirit...



EPHESIANS 4

30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.









¹ Now in the church at Antioch there were prophets and teachers: Barnabas, Simeon called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen (who had been brought up with Herod the tetrarch) and Saul.



² While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them." ³ So after they had fasted and prayed, they placed their hands on them and sent them off.



1 CORINTHIANS 12

⁴ There are different kinds of gifts, but the same Spirit distributes them. ⁵ There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord.



1 CORINTHIANS 12

of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.

Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.









⁶ Paul and his companions traveled throughout the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been kept by the Holy Spirit from preaching the word in the province of Asia.



When they came to the border of Mysia, they tried to enter Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus would not allow them to.



8 So they passed by Mysia and went down to Troas.
 9 During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, "Come over to Macedonia and help us."



¹⁰ After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.



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