

Prayer Guide ...Burning Hearts

If you want to be like Jesus *someday*
BE WITH JESUS TODAY!

1. **BEING WITH JESUS** can open **eyes** and make your heart **burn**.

²⁸ As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going farther. ²⁹ But **they urged him strongly, "STAY WITH US, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over."** So he went in to stay with them. ³⁰ When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. ³¹ Then their **EYES WERE OPENED** and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight. ³² They asked each other, "Were not **our HEARTS BURNING within us** while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?" (Luke 24:28-32)

Revelation 2:2-4... *I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance.* ³ *You have persevered and have endured hardships for my name, and have not grown weary.* ⁴ *Yet I hold this against you: You have **FORSAKEN THE LOVE YOU HAD AT FIRST.*** ⁵ *Consider how far you have fallen! Repent and do the things you did at first. If you do not repent, I will come to you and remove your lampstand from its place.*

Reflection...

Ask Holy Spirit, on a scale of 1 cold to 5 white hot, how warm is your hearts love for Jesus?

Prayer...

Ask Jesus to open your eyes to see what he is doing and longs to do in your life.

2. **God blesses those who want to BE WITH JESUS, with **fire** and **wind**.**

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. ² *Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent **WIND** came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting.* ³ *They saw what seemed to be tongues of*

***FIRE** that separated and came to rest on each of them.* ⁴ *All of them were **FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT** and began to **SPEAK in other tongues** (languages in this context) as the Spirit enabled them. (Acts 2:1-4)*

Reflection...

How have you experienced the purifying fire of Holy Spirit. Holy Spirit is there an area you want to increase my holiness, righteousness and purity?

Prayer...

Holy Spirit, I surrender to you. Is there anything I need to confess? Fill me (saturate, speak, guide, anoint, and empower me) to become more like Jesus. Lead me to every person you have lined up for me to serve, bless, or share Jesus with this week. Anoint my heart and gifts to join you wholeheartedly in your kingdom work.

3. **BEING WITH JESUS early in the morning is like **starting a FIRE**.**
4. **BEING WITH JESUS throughout the day is like **tending a FIRE**.** (Every prayer, question asked of Father, act of obedience or love is like adding a log or stoking the fire.

*"If you love me, you will keep my commandments... Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and **MANIFEST MYSELF** to him..."* *"If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will **COME TO HIM AND MAKE OUR HOME WITH HIM.**"* (John 14:15-23)

5. **BEING WITH JESUS at night is like **enjoying a FIRE**.**
6. **Drifting away from BEING WITH JESUS or disobeying is like **putting out a FIRE**.**

¹⁹ *Do not **QUENCH** the Spirit.* ²⁰ *Do not treat prophecies with contempt* ²¹ *but test them all; hold on to what is good,* ²² *reject every kind of evil. (1 Thessalonians 5:19-22)*

7. Make a habit of BEING WITH JESUS together.
Bring your fire to house church, Upper Room and everywhere!!!!

Throw your burning log on the bonfire of faith whenever you are with someone else and, experience the **MANIFEST PRESENCE** of Holy Spirit (wind and fire).

Reflection...

Holy Spirit, am I faithful in preparing my heart to burn white hot in the morning? What would you like me to do in the morning to fix my mind on you, keep in step with you and flow with you?

Lord Jesus, remind me how our love and relationship started and how far we have come. What pleases you? What could I do to love you better?

Heavenly Father, what idols keep circling around me, trying to distract my allegiance from you and your kingdom? Where does the enemy try to get me to self promote, or self protect?

Pray as Trinity leads for yourself, your family, your house church, UGTN, and churches all across the region.



- Writing in 1674, John Owens... There is *no good that we receive from God* but it is brought to us and wrought in us by the **HOLY SPIRIT**. Nor is there in us any good towards God, any faith, love, obedience to his will, but what we are enabled to do by the **HOLY SPIRIT**.

In the following diagram is an overview of ALL that the Holy Spirit does in the life of a Jesus follower!