

2. THE GIFT THAT ACTIVATES HEAVEN 20+ Powerful Benefits To Speak in TONGUES

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1. We received dunamis power when the Holy Spirit came Upon Us

Acts 1:8 *You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me*

We were given the supernatural ability to speak in the tongue of angels. (1 Corinthians 13:1)

- I. This Gift of Speaking in Tongues is One of the Most Powerful Expressions of the Holy Spirit working in our lives. This supernatural gift activates the power of heaven.
- II. Speaking in Tongues is a weapon of the Spirit. When we speak in Tongues we are releasing **dunamis** power, strength, deliverance, and angelic intervention into our lives and into the lives of those we pray for.

2. The Gift of Tongues is the Door into a power-filled life for the believer

The gift of tongues is a **language of heaven** that takes us into the spirit realm where we can access unlimited help, spiritual strength, and divine ability.

3. Praying in Tongues it gives us direct access to God in a Way No Other Form of prayer can

1 Corinthians 14:2 *For he who speaks in a tongue does not speak to men but to God, for no one understands him; however, in the spirit he speaks mysteries.*

Speaking in tongues **bypasses the limits** of our natural human understanding and takes us into God's **supernatural realm** where **all things are possible**.

4. When we Sing in Tongues we are Worshipping and Magnifying God

John 4:24 KJV **God is a Spirit:** and they that worship Him must **worship Him in spirit** and in truth.

1 Corinthians 14:15 *I will pray with the spirit, and I will also pray with the understanding. I will sing with the spirit, and I will also sing with the understanding.*

5. When we speak in Tongues burdens are removed and yokes destroyed because of the anointing

Isaiah 10:27 *It shall come to pass in that day that his burden will be taken away from your shoulder, and his yoke from your neck, and the yoke will be destroyed because of the anointing oil.*

Galatians 5:1 NIV *It is for freedom that Christ has set us free. Stand firm, then, and do not let yourselves be burdened again by a yoke of slavery.*

2 Corinthians 3:17 *... where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.*

6. Speaking in tongues brings Spiritual Rest and Refreshing

Isaiah 28:11-12 *For with stammering lips and another tongue He will speak to this people, to whom He said, "This is the rest with which you may cause the weary to rest, and, this is the refreshing.*

Acts 3:19 *Repent ... and be converted, ... so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord.*

7. Praying in tongues builds up our faith

Jude 20 AMP *But you, beloved, build yourselves up [founded] on your most holy faith [make progress, rise like an edifice higher and higher], praying in the Holy Spirit;*

1 Corinthians 14:4a *He who speaks in a tongue edifies himself ...*

'to recharge, to strengthen, to build up, to encourage, to make progress'

8. Speaking in Tongues, Strengthens us with Might

Zechariah 4:6 NCV ...*This is the word of the LORD to Zerubbabel: **'You will not succeed by your own strength or by your own power, but by my Spirit.'** says the LORD All-Powerful.*

Zechariah 4:6-7a ...**'Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,'** Says the LORD of hosts. ⁷ *'Who are you, O great mountain? Before Zerubbabel you shall become a plain!*

Ephesians 3:16 ... **strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man.**

'strengthened' 'krataioo', 'to grow strong, to increase in strength, to prevail by God's dominating power against opposition'

'might' – 'dunamis', 'miraculous power, inherent power, the power resides with and by virtue of God's nature

Philippians 4:13 *I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.*

AMP *I can do all things [which He has called me to do] through Him who strengthens and empowers me [to fulfill His purpose—I am self-sufficient in Christ's sufficiency; I am ready for anything and equal to anything through Him who infuses me with inner strength and confident peace.]*

9. When we speak in Tongues, we pray Divine Mysteries. Things Concealed Are Revealed by the Holy Spirit

1 Corinthians 14:2 *For he who **speaks in a tongue** does not speak to men but to God, for no one understands him; **however, in the spirit he speaks mysteries.***

1 John 2:20 *But **you have an anointing** from the Holy One, and **you know all things.***

1 John 2:27 *The anointing... teaches you concerning all things.*

10. Tongues opens our heart to Receive Revelation Knowledge from God

1 Corinthians 2:9-10, 12 *'Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.'* **But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit.** *For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God. 12 we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.*

11. Tongues makes us Sensitive to the Leading and Guidance of the Holy Spirit

John 16:13 *When He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth... and He will tell you things to come.* Praying in tongues develops our spiritual sensitivity so we can recognise His voice, His leading, and His promptings.

Isaiah 30:21 *Your ears shall hear a word behind you, saying, **"This is the way, walk in it."***

12. When We Don't Know What or How to Pray, We Pray in Tongues

Romans 8:26-27 *The Spirit helps in our weaknesses. For **we do not know what we should pray for as we ought,** but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. ²⁷ Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because **He makes intercession for the saints according to the will of God.***

Romans 8:28 *And we **know that all things work together for good to** those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.*

13. Tongues prays into manifestation God's Plan for our Lives and Future

John 16:13b *...and He will tell you things to come.*

When we pray in tongues, the Holy Spirit helps us pray beyond our natural understanding that prepares and aligns us with God's perfect will for our future. We are praying **God's plan into manifestation** for our lives.

The Holy Spirit prays through us, to open doors to for us that no man can shut.

14. Tongues is part of our spiritual armour

Ephesians 6:13, 18 ... *take up the whole armour of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day ... Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit.*

15. Speaking in Tongues is a weapon against the enemy

16. When We pray in Tongues, God Arranges Protection and Deliverance

John 16:13b ...*and He will tell you things to come.*

Isaiah 59:19 *When the enemy comes in like a flood **the Spirit of the Lord will lift up a standard against him.***

The word, **standard** (*nuwc*) means 'to put to flight, to make the enemy flee'

We are one spirit with the Lord, so the Holy Spirit so in our hearts we will sense a burden or warning of the Lord.

His warnings comes in the form of a feeling, being unsettled in our spirit, a sense that something is not right, a concern.

As we pray in tongues, the Spirit of the Lord "lifts up a standard against" the plans of the enemy. When the Holy Spirit puts a burden on our hearts to pray, we pray until peace and an inner joy is our empire ... and the burden lifts.

17. When we speak in Tongues angels are activated to work on our behalf

Psalms 103:20 *Bless the LORD, you His angels, who excel in strength, who do His word, heeding the voice of His word.*

1 Corinthians 13:1, *Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels,*

Acts 12 An angel of the Lord delivered the apostle Peter from prison after the church made earnest prayer to God for him.

Acts 16: Paul and Silas were freed when an earthquake opened the prison doors

18. Praying in Tongues gives our spirit Ascendancy over the Old Nature –

Galatians 5:16–17 *Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfil the lust of the flesh.*

19. Praying in tongues, invites the Refining Fire of the Spirit to purify the motives

2 Corinthians 3:18 *We all... are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.*

Matthew 3:11 *He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.*

20. Tongues increases, releases Holy Spirit anointing to flow through our life – (2 Timothy 1:6) stir up the gift of God ...

21. Praying in tongues is the way into the gifts of the Spirit – (1 Corinthians 12:7–11)

22. Tongues empowers us to intercede for believers – (Galatians 4:19, Colossians 4:12)

23. Tongues empowers us to pray for unbelievers – (Mark 11:17, Isaiah 66:8, Romans 8:26)