

THE HOLY SPIRIT



It gave the disciples words
to speak when on trial
(Matthew 10:20; Mark
13:11; Luke 12:12);

Matthew 10:20 (NASB)

20 For it is not you who speak, but
it is the Spirit of your Father who
speaks in you.

Matthew 10:20

For it is not you who will speak,
but the spirit of your Father will
speak through you.

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

Mark 13:11 (NASB)

11 When they arrest you and hand you over, do not worry beforehand about what you are to say, but say whatever is given you in that hour; for it is not you who speak, but it is the Holy Spirit.

Mark 13:11

When they come to arrest you and put you on trial, do not worry about what to say. Just say what you are told at that time, because it will not be you speaking, but the holy spirit.

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

Luke 12:12 (NASB)

12 for the Holy Spirit will teach
you in that very hour what you
ought to say.”

Luke 12:12

The holy spirit will teach you at that time what you need to say.”

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

It enabled Christ to
proclaim justice
(Matthew 12:18);

Matthew 12:18(NASB)

“Behold, My Servant whom I have chosen;
My Beloved in whom My soul is well-
pleased;
I will put My Spirit upon Him,
And He shall proclaim justice to the
Gentiles.

Matthew 12:18

“ This is my servant whom I have chosen, the one I love, who pleases me. I will put My spirit on him, and he will tell the foreigners what is right.”

The One God, the Father, One Man
Messiah Translation:

It empowered the Messiah
to cast out demons
(Matthew 12:28);

Matthew 12:28 (NASB)

28 But if I cast out demons by the Spirit of God, then the kingdom of God has come upon you.

Matthew 12:28

But if I am throwing out demons
through the power of the spirit of
God, then the Kingdom of God
has come to you!

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

It inspired David to write
psalms (Matthew 22:43;
Mark 12:36);

Matthew 22:43-44 (NASB)

43 He *said to them, “Then how does David in the Spirit call Him ‘Lord,’ saying,

44 ‘The Lord said to my Lord,

“Sit at My right hand,

Until I put Your enemies beneath Your feet”’?

Matthew 22:43-44

Jesus then asked them, “But how then can David under inspiration call him ‘lord’? David says, 44‘ The Lord said to my lord, sit down at my right hand until I defeat all your enemies.’

The One God, the Father, One Man
Messiah Translation:

Mark 12:36 (NASB)

36 David himself said in the Holy Spirit,

‘The Lord said to my Lord,
“Sit at My right hand,
Until I put Your enemies beneath Your
feet.”’

Mark 12:36

As David himself declared,
inspired by the Holy Spirit, ‘The
Lord said to my lord, “Sit at my
right hand until I put your enemies
under your feet.”’

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

It caused prophetic
utterances (Luke 1:41, 67)

Luke 1:41 (NASB)

41 When Elizabeth heard Mary's greeting, the baby leaped in her womb; and Elizabeth was filled with the Holy Spirit.

Luke 1:67 (NASB)

67 And his father Zacharias was filled with the Holy Spirit, and prophesied, saying:

Luke 1:41

As soon as Elizabeth heard Mary's voice, the baby jumped for joy inside her. Elizabeth was filled with holy spirit,

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

Luke 1:67

Zechariah, his father, filled with
holy spirit, spoke this prophecy:

The One God, the Father, One
Man Messiah Translation:

It was upon Simeon
(Luke 2:25),

Luke 2:25 (NASB)

25 And there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon; and this man was righteous and devout, looking for the consolation of Israel; and the Holy Spirit was upon him.

Luke 2:25

Living in Jerusalem at that time was a man called Simeon. Simeon lived uprightly and was very devout. He was waiting expectantly for the consolation and restoration of Israel, and the holy spirit was upon him.

The One God, the Father, One Man
Messiah Translation:

It reveals truth about the
future (Luke 2:26)

Luke 2:26 (NASB)

26 And it had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ.

Luke 2:26

It had been revealed to him through the holy spirit that he would not die before he saw the Lord's Messiah.

The One God, the Father, One Man
Messiah Translation:

It empowered Jesus
(Luke 4:14)

Luke 4:14 (NASB)

14 And Jesus returned to Galilee
in the power of the Spirit, and
news about Him spread through
all the surrounding district.

Luke 4:14

Jesus returned to Galilee, fully empowered by the spirit. News about him spread everywhere.

The One God, the Father, One Man Messiah Translation:

and it is given by the
Father to those who ask
(Luke 11:13).

Luke 11:13 (NASB)

13 If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him?"

Luke 11:13

So if you, even as the evil persons you are, still know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give holy spirit to those who ask him?"

The One God, the Father, One Man
Messiah Translation:

God's spirit is His influence, presence, and power at work accomplishing His will in the universe in general and in among His people in particular.

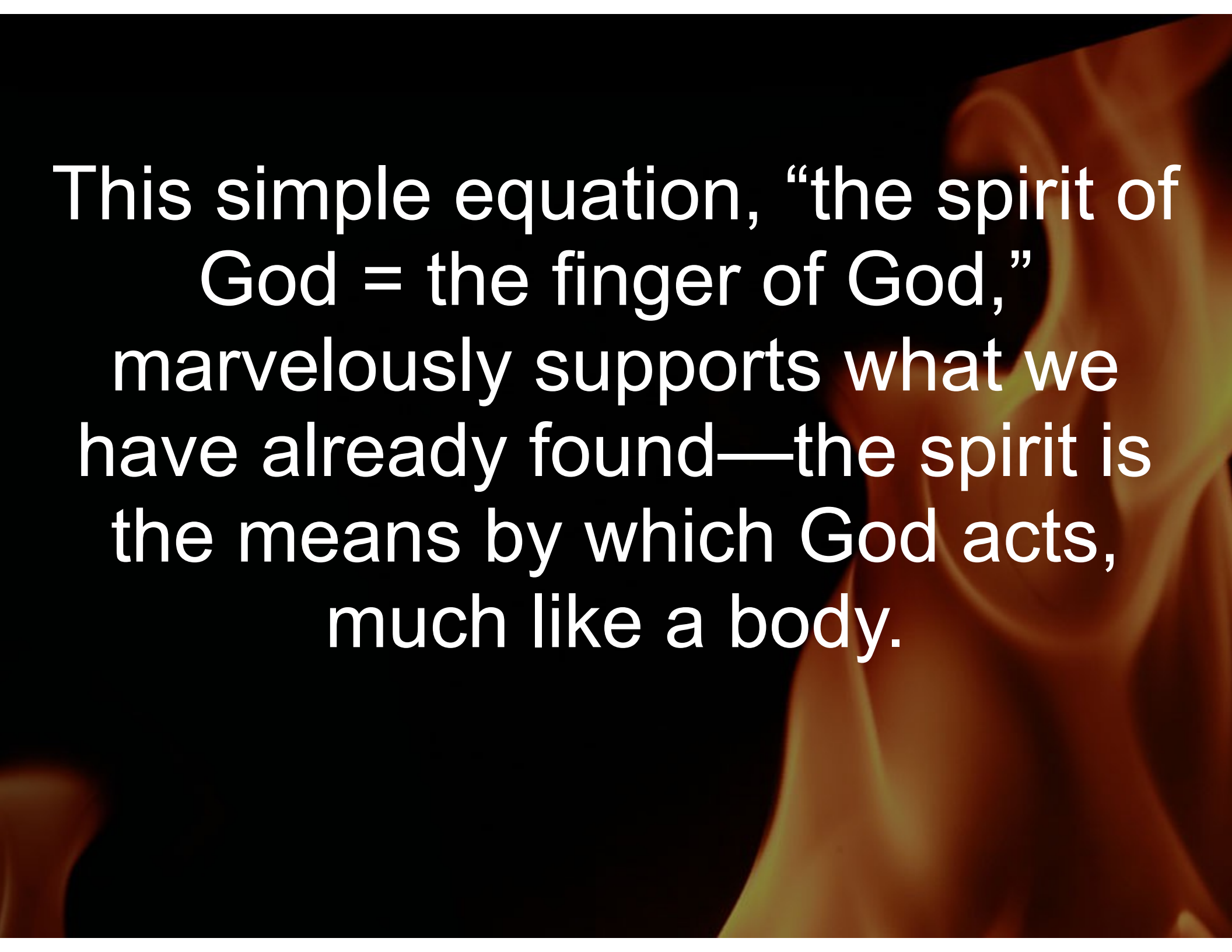
This empowerment made possible the miracles recorded throughout the Hebrew Scriptures as well as in the Gospels. For example, Jesus himself plainly stated God's spirit empowered him to drive out demons:

Matthew 12:28

But if I cast out demons by
the spirit of God, then the
kingdom of God has come
upon you.

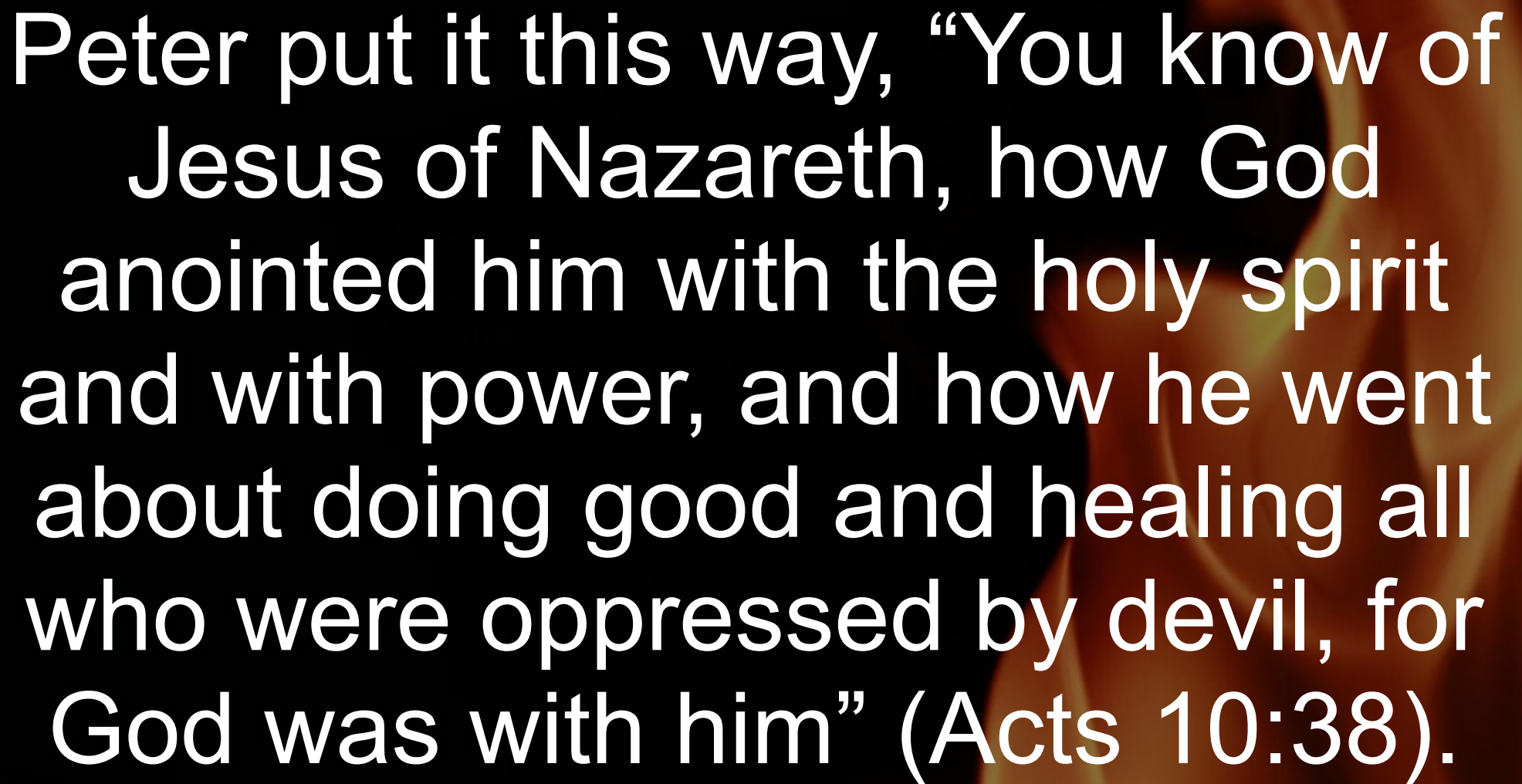
Luke 11:20

But if I cast out demons by
the finger of God, then the
kingdom of God has come
upon you.



This simple equation, “the spirit of
God = the finger of God,”
marvelously supports what we
have already found—the spirit is
the means by which God acts,
much like a body.

I interact with the world through my body. God interacts with the world through His spirit—like a finger. All of what Christ was able to do was a result of the anointing of God's spirit.

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Peter put it this way, “You know of Jesus of Nazareth, how God anointed him with the holy spirit and with power, and how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by devil, for God was with him” (Acts 10:38).