## UNDERSTANDING SPEAKING WITH TONGUES

## I. Receiving the Promise and Power of the Holy Spirit

- A. Different descriptions/Same experience
  - 1. Baptized with the Holy Ghost Acts 1:5; Filled with the Holy Ghost Acts 2:4; Received the Holy Ghost Acts 19:2
  - 2. Jesus baptizes you; Holy Ghost fills you; and You receive
- B. Acts 2:4; 1 Cor. 14:2, 14, 15; Eph. 6:18; Jude 20

## II. Why speak words you don't understand you are saying?

- You are speaking directly to God 1 Cor. 14:2
- You are speaking mysteries (NT Truths) 1 Cor. 14:2
- You are praying according the will of God Rom. 8:26
- You are edifying yourself & stimulating your faith 1 Cor. 14:4; Jude 20
- You are giving thanks well 1 Cor. 14:15-17
- You are entering into spiritual rest & refreshing Is. 28:11, 12