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Introduction

We stand at a decisive hour in the history of God's people. Just as God brought Israel out of Egypt and opened the door to the Church at Pentecost, God is now calling a people out of the Catholic cult, trinitarian; religious systems that have obscured the simple, powerful message of New Testament salvation according to Acts 2:38. The Lord is calling you out of the Catholic cult, the whore that sitteth upon the waters as mentioned in the book of Revelation 17. Many from trinitarian systems need to seek the truth with a great hunger — to know who the Lord Jesus Christ truly is, to see the oneness of the Godhead, to renounce false doctrine and Trinity and trinitarian baptism, and to be rebaptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

As Scripture warns about the apostate systems of Revelation (see Revelation 17–18), the Lord says, “Come out of her.” This booklet explains the biblical foundation for that call, describes the pattern of salvation revealed in Scripture, and offers practical steps for those who hunger to know the Lord Jesus Christ in truth — to be baptized in Jesus' Name, receive the Holy Ghost, and bear the clear evidence of that baptism: speaking in other tongues.

Part I — The Pattern God Has Given

1. The First Exodus: A Type of Salvation

God's deliverance of Israel from Egypt is more than national history; it is a divinely given pattern of spiritual deliverance.

- Egypt represents the world under bondage (Exodus).
- Moses foreshadows the Lord Jesus Christ (1 Corinthians 10:1–4).
- The blood on the doorposts represents Christ's saving blood (Exodus 12).
- Passing through the Red Sea is a type of baptism and deliverance (Romans 6; 1 Corinthians 10:2 as typology).
- The cloud by day and fire by night represent God's guiding presence (Exodus 13:21–22).

1. The Day of Pentecost: The Birth of the Apostolic Church

On the Day of Pentecost the Church was born by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2). The apostolic pattern of conversion given and practiced in the Book of Acts is:

- Repentance,
- Baptism in the Name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins,

- Reception of the Holy Ghost, with speaking in tongues as the evidence (Acts 2:38–39; Acts 10:44–48; Acts 19:1–6).

1. The Third Exodus: Coming Out into the Light
We believe God is calling a new exodus: multitudes will examine Scripture with hunger and honesty, renounce trinitarian baptism where it conflicts with Acts, be rebaptized in the Name of Jesus, and step into the fuller expression of New Testament salvation. This is a spiritual exodus — liberation from creed and tradition into apostolic truth. The Lord calls His people to come out of apostate systems (Revelation 17–18): “Come out of her.”

Part II — The Oneness of God and the Name of Jesus

1. The Oneness of God in Scripture
The Bible affirms the oneness of God (Deuteronomy 6:4; Isaiah 43:10–11). The New Testament reveals God’s self-revelation in redemption:

- The fullness of the Godhead dwells in Christ (Colossians 2:9).
- Jesus is the express image of the invisible God (Hebrews 1:3; John 1:1,14).
- The Father sent the Son; the Son baptizes with the Holy Spirit (John 14–16; Matthew 3:11).

1. The Name of Jesus and Baptism

Acts records that those who believed were baptized in the Name of Jesus Christ (Acts 2:38; 8:16; 10:48; 19:5). The Name of Jesus is not merely a label but the authority, power, and revelation of the Lord (Philippians 2:9–11). Returning to baptism in the Name of Jesus is a return to the apostolic form.

2. Why Re-Baptism?

When an initial baptism departs from the apostolic example, New Testament practice calls for rebaptism in the Scriptural form. Baptism is a divine ordinance—an outward sign of an inward reality (Romans 6:3–4). Restoration to the apostolic pattern is not novelty but recovery of the first pattern the Lord gave His Church.

Part III — The Holy Ghost and the Evidence of Tongues

1. The Promise and the Gift

The baptism in the Holy Ghost is promised to those who repent and are baptized (Acts 2:38–39; Luke 24:49). The Spirit empowers believers for witness, service, holiness, and supernatural fruit (Acts 1:8; Romans 8).

2. The Sign God Chose: Speaking in Tongues

In the apostolic accounts the initial evidence of Spirit

baptism was speaking in other tongues (Acts 2:4; 10:44–46; 19:6). Mark 16:17 lists tongues as a sign that follows believers. Therefore:

- Speaking in tongues is the evidence God chose as the sign that you have received the Holy Ghost.
- If you have not spoken in tongues, you have not yet received the baptism of the Holy Ghost.

1. Why the Evidence Matters

The tongues experience is prophetic and apostolic confirmation that God still confirms His presence by the same sign used in Acts. It seals the believer, empowers witness, and marks entrance into the apostolic fullness (Romans 8:14–17).

Part IV — Practical Steps for Those Who Hunger

1. Prepare Your Heart

Seek God with humility (James 4:8). Confess sin, be willing to obey, and study Acts 2, Luke 24:44–49, and John 3. Pray for illumination and boldness.

2. Repent

Repentance is a genuine turning from sin and turning to God (Acts 3:19; Acts 2:38).

3. Be Baptized in Jesus' Name

Find a faithful Apostolic, Jesus-Name fellowship that

honors Acts 2:38. Be immersed in water in the Name of Jesus Christ, following the apostolic example.

4. Seek the Holy Ghost

Prayerfully ask God to fill you with the Holy Spirit (Luke 11:13; Acts 1:4–5). Expect the baptism in the Holy Ghost and the evidence of speaking in other tongues. Ask fellow believers to pray with you (Acts 2:4; Acts 8:14–17; Acts 19:6).

5. Walk in Newness of Life

Cultivate worship, Scripture reading, fellowship, and witness (Romans 6:4; Acts 2:42–47). Remain in community with those who hold apostolic teaching and practice.

Part V — Common Questions

Q: Isn't "Jesus' Name" baptism a recent invention?

A: The practice is rooted in the Book of Acts and apostolic teaching. Acts records baptism being administered in the Name of Jesus across different places and circumstances. Restoring the apostolic pattern is restoration, not novelty.

Q: What about Matthew 28:19 ("in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit")? No
False

A: The Great Commission declares the authority and

identity of the Godhead. Under Christ's authority and the Spirit's guidance the apostles applied that commission by baptizing in the Name of Jesus. Acts presents the apostolic application of Christ's commission.

Q: Is speaking in tongues the only evidence of the Holy Spirit?

A: Yes. In the apostolic accounts, speaking in other tongues accompanied the initial outpouring of the Spirit (Acts 2; 10; 19). While Scripture elsewhere describes other works of the Spirit, the Acts narratives show tongues as the initial and chosen sign of Spirit baptism in the apostolic period. Therefore, the evidence God chose for receiving the Holy Ghost is speaking in tongues. If a person has not spoken in tongues, they have not yet received the baptism of the Holy Spirit.

Q: Can a person be saved without these experiences?
No You must obey Acts 2:38 to be Saved

A: Salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus Christ (Ephesians 2:8–9). Nevertheless, Acts presents repentance, baptism in Jesus' Name for remission of sins, and reception of the Holy Ghost as the pattern given for new birth and empowerment for witness. Those who desire the fullness of New Testament salvation should pursue the whole pattern.

Part VI — Dealing with Family, Friends, and Opposition

Expect resistance. When God moves to restore truth, people and institutions may oppose the change (Matthew 10:34–39). Be gentle, patient, and earnest in love (Ephesians 4:15). Let your life testify to the power of the gospel (Philippians 1:27). Seek fellowship with a community walking the apostolic way for strength and accountability (Hebrews 10:24–25).

Part VII — Prayers and Resources

Suggested Bible Passages to Study

Acts 1–4, 8, 10, 19; Luke 24:44–49; John 3:1–8; John 14–16; Romans 6; 1 Corinthians 12–14; Hebrews 1.

Conclusion — An Invitation

If you sense God calling you out of confusion and compromise into the apostolic way, respond today. Turn from what is not in Scripture. Be baptized in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of sins and seek the baptism of the Holy Spirit, evidenced by speaking in tongues. The trumpet in heaven has sounded; the voice of the Lord is calling His people to come out and be separate. Will you heed the call and join the Third Exodus into the

marvelous light of Acts 2:38?

- A congregation-finder list for Apostolic/Jesus-Name churches in your area (provide city or zip).
- A small discipleship study guide for new converts who receive baptism in the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues and have been baptized in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

