




LIFE TOGETHER

***Learning from everyone God
brings into your life.***



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What kindles a fire within your soul?



THE SPIRIT IN OUR LIVES

The significance of the Spirit in our lives

- **The Spirit convicts us of sin...
(John 16:9)**
- **The Spirit calls us to
repentance, he leads us to
Christ... (John 16:13)**

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- **The Spirit transforms us...
(Titus 3:4-7)**
- **The Spirit gives us assurance
of salvation... (Romans 8:16)**

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Romans 8:9, “If anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Christ.” (NIV)

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1 Corinthians 6:19, “Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God?” (NIV)



THE SPIRIT IN OUR LIVES

The purpose of the Spirit in our lives

Names of the Spirit:

Holy Spirit

Spirit of Truth

Spirit of God

Comforter . . . etc



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Our response to the Spirit in our lives


Romans 8:14, “For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.” (NLT)



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Galatians 5:25, “Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.” (NIV)



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Ephesians 5:18, “Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit.” (NIV)

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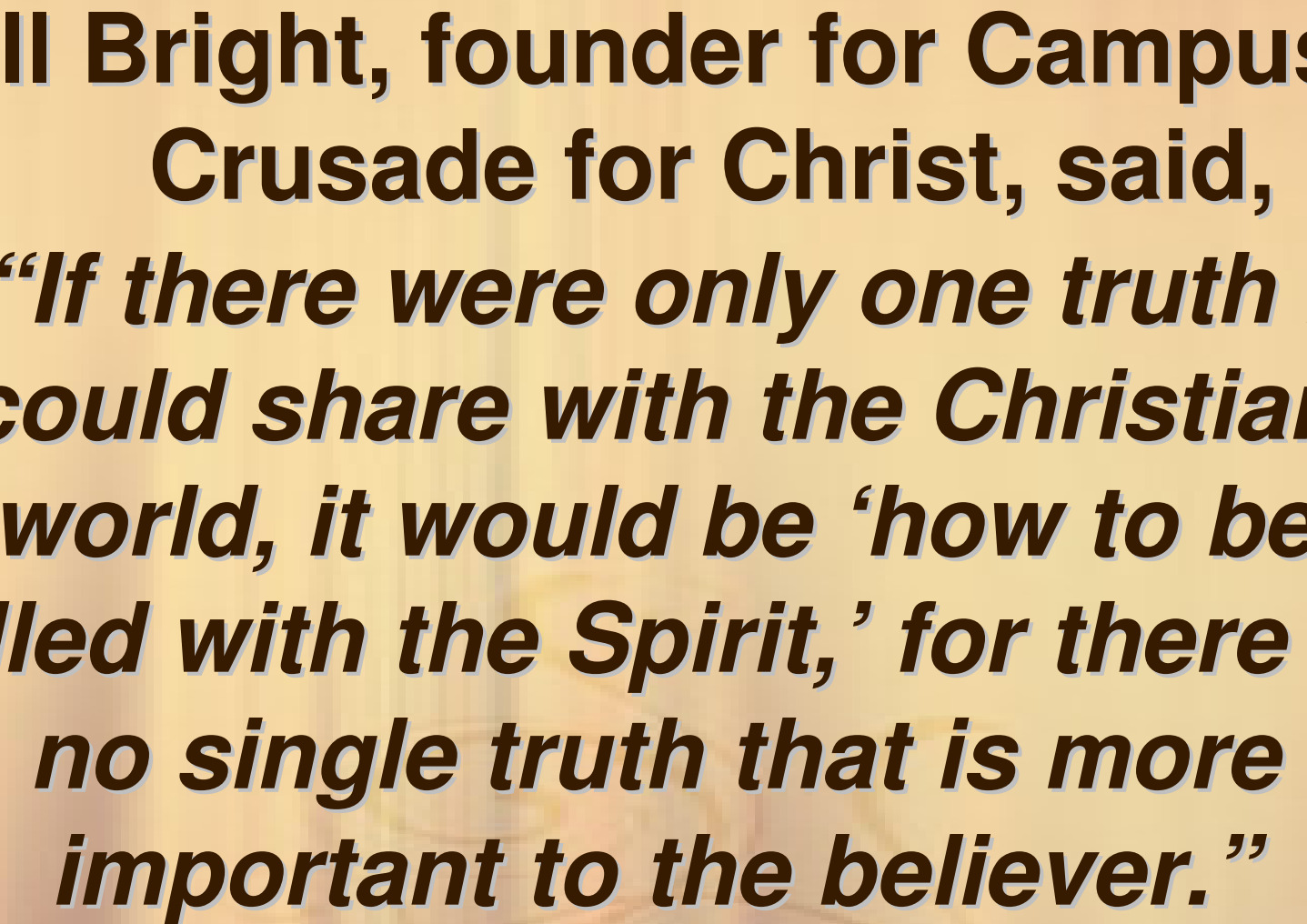
- When you are saved you receive the Spirit—all of the Spirit.
- When you are filled with the Holy Spirit, that doesn't mean you get more of the Spirit...

It means that the Spirit gets more of you!

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Our response to the Spirit in our lives

Galatians 5:16, “Live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature.” (NIV)



Bill Bright, founder for Campus Crusade for Christ, said,
“If there were only one truth I could share with the Christian world, it would be ‘how to be filled with the Spirit,’ for there is no single truth that is more important to the believer.”



**WHAT DOES BEING FILLED
WITH THE SPIRIT LOOK LIKE?**

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Acts 16:9-10, “During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, ‘Come over to Macedonia and help us.’ After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.” (NIV)







**Life Together with the Spirit Lessons
from this passage:**


- **The Spirit's timing is always right.**

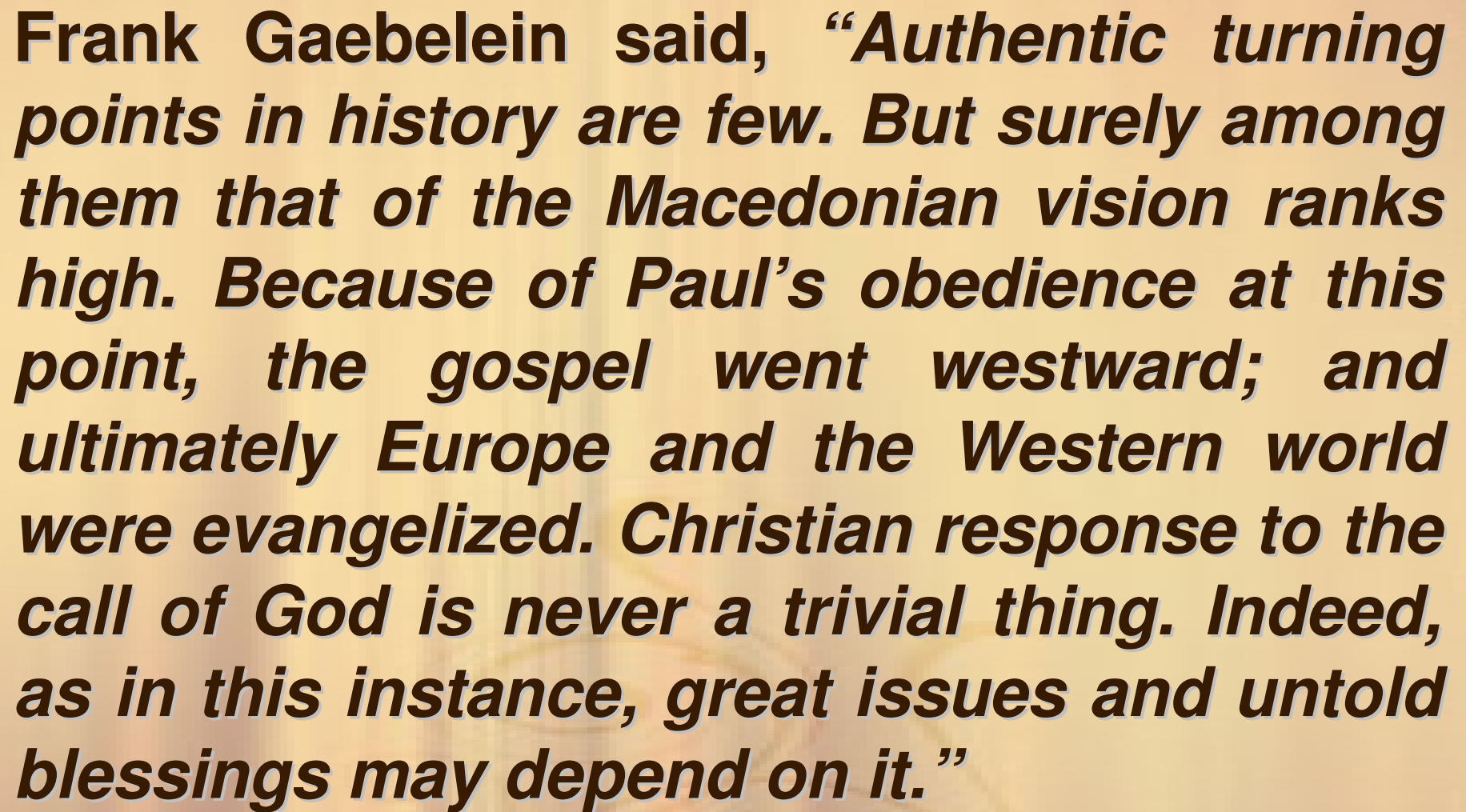
Pliny the Younger, who was governor of Bithynia (A.D. 110-12), spoke of Christians in the province.





**Life Together with the Spirit Lessons
from this passage:**

- **The Spirit's leading may seem small, but it always produces a big result.**
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Frank Gaebelein said, “Authentic turning points in history are few. But surely among them that of the Macedonian vision ranks high. Because of Paul’s obedience at this point, the gospel went westward; and ultimately Europe and the Western world were evangelized. Christian response to the call of God is never a trivial thing. Indeed, as in this instance, great issues and untold blessings may depend on it.”

Life Together with the Spirit

Lessons from this passage:

- **The Spirit's plans must supersede our plans.**

Proverbs 16:9, “In his heart a man plans his course, but the Lord determines his steps.” (NIV)

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Questions

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Waiting

DAILY PLAN

Galatians 5:16, “Live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature.” (NIV)

Spiritual health is a lot like Physical health:

Eat Right – Take in the right things

- **Listen to the Word**
- **Listen to the Wisdom of the Church**
- **Prayer = Talking and Listening**




Spiritual health is a lot like Physical health:

Eat Right – Take in the right things

- **Sin builds up cholesterol in our spiritual arteries and ultimately stops our heart/hearing.**


Exercise Regularly – Do the right things





Dwight said, *“It was a meeting that kindled a fire in my soul that has never gone out.”*

Dwight said to himself, *“Oh God, let me die rather than lose the blessing I received tonight.”*




**Dwight L. Moody of the 19th Century
is known as:**

**Children's Worship Leader (Lincoln visited)
Founder of Moody College in Chicago,
Preached to over 1 million people without
a sound system and
Personally led 1,000's to a personal walk
with God.**



Who are you listening to?

Who are you walking with?





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You with the Spirit