



Luke 1:41-45 *Wade into the Spirit*

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1 → Reflect on each of these passages. There may be instruction or information, but they also, individually and together, give insight on a life bathed in the Holy Spirit of God.

✓ **Consider:**

- ① Why is the Holy Spirit, why is being filled with the Holy Spirit important?
- ① What's the best passage below with which to start?
- ② Which do you like the best, and why?
- ③ What passage is seemingly least like your life?
- ④ What steps or actions are you thinking would be helpful to a fruitful Spirit-led life?

• **EPHESIANS 5:15-18** ¹⁵ Be very careful, then, how you live--not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶ making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. ¹⁸ Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit.

• **GALATIANS 5:16** So I say, live by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the sinful nature.

• **GALATIANS 5:22-24** ²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law. ²⁴ Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires.

• **GALATIANS 5:25-26** ²⁵ Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit. ²⁶ Let us not become conceited, provoking and envying each other.

• **JOHN 7:38-39** ³⁸ Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him. ³⁹ By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive.

2 → What did Terry mean when he consistently said we must wade in? Why "wade in" instead of some other metaphor? What does that look like?