Led by the Holy Spirit

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Manifestation of the Holy Spirit

...the Holy Spirit, in bodily form, descended on him like a dove. Luke 3:21, 22 (NLT2)

Jesus Spends 40 Days in the Wilderness

 He was led by the Spirit in the wilderness Luke 4:1 (NLT2)

Sidebar



Jesus deals with the cosmic realities of life in an intensive 40-day event. He, the Son of God, did not go into it without the Holy Spirit. He faced temptation. He was face to face with the evil one, the devil. He was offered the world.

The Holy Spirit led him to the wilderness, through it, and guided him, strengthened him.

When tempted Jesus had responses to the devil. Scripture. Holy Spirit inspired.

"...don't worry about how to defend yourself or what to say, for the Holy Spirit will teach you at that time what needs to be said." Luke 12:11-12 (NLT2)

The LORD went ahead of them. He guided them during the day with a pillar of cloud, and he provided light at night with a pillar of fire. This allowed them to travel by day or by night. Exodus 13:21 (NLT2)

Results of the Holy Spirit Leading

- God's plan
- ❖ God's provision
- ❖ God's praise
- Not personal benefits

Bonus

More Power of the Holy Spirit

Then Jesus returned to Galilee, filled with the Holy Spirit's power. Reports about him spread quickly through the whole region. Luke 4:14 (NLT2)

Personal Decision: My Way or God's Way

Follow my advice, my *child*; always treasure my commands. Obey my commands and live! Guard my instructions as you guard your own eyes. Tie them on your fingers as a reminder. Write them deep within your heart.

Proverbs 7:1-3 (NLT2)

Personal Decision: Turn On or Turn Off

- Turn Off by Rebellion
 - And do not bring sorrow to God's Holy Spirit by the way you live. Remember, he has identified you as his own, guaranteeing that you will be saved on the day of redemption. Ephesians 4:30 (NLT2)
- Turn Off by Rejection
 - Do not stifle the Holy Spirit. 1 Thessalonians 5:19

Receive the Holy Spirit

Then he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit. John 20:22 (NLT2)