"When the day of Pentecost came,
they were all together in one place.

Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind
came from heaven
and filled the whole house where they were sitting.
They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire
that separated and came to rest on each of them.

All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit
and began to speak in other tongues
as the Spirit enabled them."

Acts 2:1-4

#### Intercede For the Harvest of Souls!

The time for the Great Harvest of Souls is upon us! Record numbers of people, especially Gen Zs, are being baptized — in the U.S., in England, in France, in Persia! It is a profoundly exciting time to be alive!

Let us intercede for the Great Harvest of Souls! This harvest comes through the agency of the Holy Spirit. If we look more deeply at the ways of God's Spirit throughout the past 1000s of years, we can more truly appreciate His hand in conversions; and call upon him in this great intercession for souls.

#### "Pentecost": Celebrating the Gift of God's Law

Pentecost (50) comes 50 days from Easter, the Resurrection of Christ Jesus, which transpired on the Sunday following Passover. In its first or

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original form, it is known as the celebration of Shavuot, the Jewish harvest festival of Pentecost, which occurs 50 days after Passover.

The word *Shavuot* (or *Shavuos*) means "weeks" and also "oath". It celebrates the completion of the seven-week counting period between Passover and Shavuot and commemorates the date when God gave the Torah to the Jewish people at Mount Sinai. It is also called the Festival of Weeks, a "week of weeks".

The story of Ruth is traditionally read during Shavuot. It recounts her journey to convert to Judaism. So Pentecost was associated with the conversion of souls 1,300+ years before the Holy Spirit Pentecost. The story of Ruth is also a story about incredible love, *chesed*, lovingkindness, which is the foundational Law of God, the Law of Love; as she sacrificed her own comfort to stay with her mother-in-law Naomi in Naomi's land and culture.

Shavuot is the presentation to God of firstfruits of the wheat harvest, which were brought in the form of two cakes of leavened bread. It is the 2nd of three firstfruit Feasts; the first being Passover (Jesus is the firstfruit of the New Covenant), the third being Sukkot which was a fruit harvest celebration. "Ye shall know them by their fruits."

It is this last harvest, the fruit harvest, that gives revelations as to the Holy Spirit being the precursor to and the agency for the harvest of souls.

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#### Sukkot: The Third FirstFruit Feast - Harvest of Souls

Sukkot, which means "booth" or "tabernacle", is also known as the Feast of Tabernacles or Feast of Booths. God calls us to tabernacle with Him. His Son, Emmanuel — "God with us", **is** the Tabernacle.

Jesus chose the occasion of the last (7th) and most significant day of Sukkot to make the declaration that "If a man is thirsty let him come to me to drink." (John 7:38) Also, Psalm 118:22 is traditionally chanted during this feast: "The stone the builders rejected has become the capstone."

"The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; the Lord has done this, and it is marvelous in our eyes.

The Lord has done it this very day;

let us rejoice today and be glad."

Psalm 118:22-24

Jesus chose the 3rd firstfruits harvest Feast to proclaim that He was the well from which we could drink — as He also presents himself as the stone that the builders shall reject.

"Jesus said to them,

'Have you never read in the Scriptures:

The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

This is what the Lord has done

and it is wonderful in our eyes?"

Matthew 21:42

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Our thirsting for our Lord causes us to seek with our heart, in order to fulfill the New Covenant promise, that God will write His law in our hearts:

"You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."

Jeremiah 29:13

To inaugurate the New Covenant, the Disciples were baptized in the Spirit on Pentecost. Now this Feast that was made to honor the giving of God's Law, the Torah, is now marked as the giving of God's Spirit who puts God's Law in people's hearts.

"I will put my law in their minds and write it on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people.

No longer will they teach their neighbor, or say to one another, 'Know the Lord,' because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest," declares the Lord."

Jeremiah 31:33-34

Jesus' Disciples become the first fruits of the Church and the New Covenant.

#### The Law of Love Becomes Spiritualized

So this new Pentecost is marked by the descent of the Holy Spirit on the Disciples in the Upper Room, fulfilling of this Word from the Prophet

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Jeremiah. The Torah, which begins with the Law of loving God, becomes spiritualized and internalized with the new Pentecost in 30 AD.

## The Holy Spirit brought the transformational power of God into humanity.

The Holy Spirit transforms a "stoney heart" into a heart that contains the Law of Love.

#### The Connection Between the Holy Spirit and Conversion of Souls

- ◆ The transformational agency of the Holy Spirit transforms hearts.
- ◆ The Holy Spirit brings a harvest of souls into the Kingdom of God.
- ◆ The Holy Spirit of the new Pentecost brings mass conversion of souls to God.
- ♦ We are here for the *fruit harvest of the Holy Spirit*. The fruits of 2000 years of the Gospel, of evangelizing, of the agency of the Holy Spirit.
- ◆ Through Apostle Peter, 3,000 people were converted in Jerusalem at Pentecost, the birth of the Church. This answered for the 3,000 souls that were taken out for worshipping a golden calf whilst Moses was on Mount Sinai receiving the Torah. The Holy Spirit brings redemption.

#### Dear Heavenly Father ....

#### **Thank You For Your Spirit**

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father and Lord Jesus Christ, thank you for sending us the most precious gift of the Holy Spirit.
- ◆ As John 14:15-17 promised: "If you love me, keep my commands. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you forever the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept

him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you."

- ◆ Lord God Abba, I promise to cherish this precious gift of Your Holy Spirit and ask You to bless me with a deeper infilling of him.
- ◆ Please pour out Your Spirit into our lands the people, our soil, our waters, our air to cleanse, heal and purify them now. To mark them as Your territory, Your domain, Your Kingdom come.

#### **Your Spirit Transforms**

- ◆ Dear Lord God, how profound is the transformational agency of Your Holy Spirit! As Your Intercessor, I ask for this agency and Your Holy Spirit to be loosed across our lands, in every state, county, city and town, to transform souls, hearts and lives now. Even those who are currently believers or say that they are, but are lukewarm. Come! Holy Spirit come now across America in your transformational agency!
- ◆ For as 2 Corinthians 5:17 says: "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"
- ✦ Heavenly Father, release Your Holy Spirit into the lives of all those who are hopeless; especially economically hopeless in these times, to bring them supernatural turnarounds, miracles, even new vocations, new careers, new jobs; that are filled with Your love, glory and purpose.
- ◆ Lord God Abba, release Your Holy Spirit as a mighty rushing wind across America to give birth to a truly Christian nation. As John 3:6&8 declare: "Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. The wind blows wherever it pleases. You hear its sound, but you cannot tell where it comes from or where it is going. So it is with everyone born of the Spirit."
- ✦ Heavenly Father, send forth Your Holy Spirit for a re-birth of our country, a re-birth of souls, a re-birth of the soul of America, to fulfill our nation's

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destiny in You and to transform the destinies of our people - reborn in Your Spirit. Let Your Holy Spirit blow across our lands now!

#### **Send Out Your Spirit For a Harvest of Souls**

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father, send out Your Holy Spirit to the peoples of America and clothe them with Your power from on high. Let this new anointing break down barriers and walls, heal wounds, heal families and other relationships, heal our economy that is so rigged against working Americans.
- ◆ As Luke 24:49 says: "Listen carefully: I am sending the Promise of My Father [the Holy Spirit] upon you; but you are to remain in the city [of Jerusalem] until you are clothed (fully equipped) with power from on high."
- ◆ Lord God Abba, pour out Your Spirit and its fruits across our lands; that we will know by this outpouring of the gifts of Your Holy Spirit that this IS a true Harvest of Souls.
- ◆ We proclaim Galatians 5:22-23: "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law."

#### **The Holy Spirit Converts Souls**

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father, I ask You to send forth Your Holy Spirit across our lands to convert souls, to reform and heal hearts and minds.
- ◆ Acts 2:38 gives me inspiration and hope for these times: "Peter replied, 'Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."
- ◆ As there are mass baptisms occurring across America in these times, let this explode to even greater numbers. And Heavenly Father, send

each of these baptized a mentor, someone to bring them into a deeper relationship with You and Christ Jesus so that they do not fall away; but will truly fulfill their God destiny.

#### **Your Spirit Gives Life**

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father, just as You promised through Jeremiah, Your Spirit has come to give us new life in You, as You put Your Law of Love in our hearts to set us free. Loose Your Spirit into our peoples to give them new and true life in You!
- ◆ For Romans 8:2-3 proclaims: "Because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death. For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering."
- ◆ Lord God, by Your Holy Spirit, please heal the rifts that the enemy has created amongst Americans to drive us apart and into permanent and perpetual strife. Let Your Holy Spirit reunify us as one nation under God.
- ◆ Heavenly Father, just as the Holy Spirit at Pentecost brought a great, emboldened and unifying love to the Disciples, let Your Holy Spirit pour out Your Love into the hearts and souls of our countrymen, a transformational, healing love that only comes from Your Heart.

#### **Your Spirit Intercedes**

◆ Dear Abba Father, please send forth Your Spirit to intercede for America, to bring us a supernatural turnaround, to remove from our lands everything and everyone that is not part of Your holy plan for our country's God destiny.

◆ As Romans 8:26 declares: "In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us through wordless groans."

#### **Your Spirit Teaches**

- ◆ Dear Lord God, send forth Your Spirit, the Spirit of Truth, as Your great teacher to remove the programs and falsehoods filling the minds and hearts of our people.
- ◆ We speak and loose John 14:26: "But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you."
- ✦ Heavenly Father, if every citizen of our country was truly filled with YOUR Spirit, we would be filled with YOUR wisdom, Your truth, Your love, Your order and orderliness, Your character and virtues. I ask this grace of You now.
- ◆ According to Isaiah 11:2, "The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him— the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding, the Spirit of counsel and of might, the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the LORD." I petition You, Lord God, that You will pour out Your Spirit onto all men, women and children in our country to fill them with the gifts and blessings of Your Holy Spirit now. Convert hearts, minds and souls to YOU now!

#### The Holy Spirit Brings Redemption

◆ Dear Heavenly Father, after Moses descended from Mount Sinai and saw the Israelites worshiping the golden calf, You called for those who were on Your side to come to Moses. The sons of Levi gathered around Moses as he instructed them to go through the camp and slay 3,000 men who had sinned against You for idol worship; according to Exodus 32:28.

- ◆ Your Holy Spirit brought the agency of redemption through Apostle Peter, your rock, to baptize 3,000 souls at Pentecost; the balancing of a spiritual ledger.
- ◆ Likewise, I ask for Your redemptive Holy Spirit to reform the hearts of millions upon millions of Americans, especially those in positions of power and influence; that Your redemptive Holy Spirit will bring redemption to our nation as a whole. Heal the soul of our nation with Your Holy Spirit Heavenly Father Abba!

#### **SEALING PRAYER**

"The people walking in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of deep darkness a light has dawned.

You have enlarged the nation and increased their joy; they rejoice before you as people rejoice at the harvest, as warriors rejoice when dividing the plunder.

For as in the day of Midian's defeat, you have shattered the yoke that burdens them, the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor."

Isaiah 9:2-4