

Speaking in Tongues Part 6 Benefit 5 stimulates faith (Potential Energy and Kinetic Energy)

This is a thorough teaching — full of energy, flow, and practical connections between speaking in tongues and daily life! This is needed daily.

Review: Benefit 4: Staying Mindful of God's Presence

We Live in a Complicated World

- The world is confused; we must not match its chaos.
- If our souls are too complicated and cluttered, we cannot help others.

Key Question:

How can we remain mindful of God's indwelling presence throughout the day?

Answer:

By doing just ONE thing — praying in tongues.

- **Computer Analogy:** If a computer is set up correctly, all you do is turn it on.
 - **Spiritual Analogy:** God has already "set up" everything inside us.
 - **Our part:** Speak in tongues to stay spiritually "powered on" and focused.
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Speaking in Tongues: How it Helps Us

- Reminds us constantly of God's presence.
- Keeps the Word alive within us.
- Protects us from becoming stubborn and dull (Psalm 32:9).

Key Verses on Remembrance:

- **2 Peter 1:12-15:** Peter reminds believers even though they already know the truth.
- **Isaiah 26:3:** Perfect peace comes to those whose minds are stayed on God.

Speaking in Tongues and Protection Against Panic

- Speaking in tongues keeps our mind settled when the world panics (e.g., terrorism).
- **God warns us** internally through the Holy Spirit — like spiritual “alerts.”
- **We use our authority** (Luke 10:19) to defeat unseen enemies.

Key Thought:

Terrorists cause sudden panic, but God is our confidence (Proverbs 3:21-26).

Summary of Benefit 4:

- **One Thing:** Pray in tongues.
 - **Result:**
 - Sense God's presence.
 - Strengthen soul (mind, will, emotions).
 - Stay aligned with God's agenda.
 - Detect spiritual attacks early.
 - Remain calm during world panic.
 - Remember that "greater is He who is in us" (1 John 4:4).
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Benefit 5: Speaking in Tongues Stimulates Faith

Questions for Reflection

- Feeling unmotivated?
- In a spiritual rut?
- Want to be more active for God?

Solution:

Stimulate your faith by speaking in tongues.

How Speaking in Tongues Stimulates Faith

- The words come directly from the Father and the Son (John 16:13-15).
- Hearing God's personal words stirs our faith like nothing else.

Definitions:

- **Stimulate:** To excite to greater activity.
- **Arouse:** Awaken from sleep.
- **Motivate/Energize:** Provide energy and incentive.

Results of Speaking in Tongues:

1. Stimulates faith.
 2. Arouses to action.
 3. Prevents spiritual sleep.
 4. Motivates and energizes.
 5. Promotes good motives.
 6. Stirs up determination.
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Potential vs. Kinetic Energy Analogy

- **Potential Energy:** Stored by hearing, reading, studying, memorizing, and meditating on the Word.
- **Kinetic Energy:** Released by acting — speaking in tongues activates it.

Example: Bow and Arrow

- Drawn bow = stored energy (potential).
- Released arrow = moving power (kinetic).

Spiritual Application:

- Baptized in the Holy Spirit = potential energy stored.
- Speaking in tongues = kinetic energy released, moving forward in power.

Final Key Points:

- Speaking in tongues **stimulates faith**.
- Stimulated faith leads to **overcoming the world** (1 John 5:4-5).
- It's a **cycle**: Speaking in tongues stirs faith → faith empowers tongues → growth multiplies.

James 1:22:

Don't just hear — act. Turn potential into kinetic energy.

Conclusion

Praying in tongues is not a small side-topic — it is a central, daily, living connection to God's power, protection, peace, and purpose.

By staying mindful of the Holy Spirit through tongues:

- We live alert, stable, and victorious lives.
- We serve with more love, wisdom, and boldness.
- We are prepared for any sudden storms — **full of peace, not panic**.

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