

Filling of the Holy Spirit

“Holy Spirit
think through me
till your ideas
are my ideas.”
- Amy Carmichael

“O merciful God, fill our hearts, we pray you, with the graces of your Holy Spirit, with love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance. Teach us to love those who hate us; to pray for those who spitefully use us; that we may be your children, our Father, who make your sun to shine on the evil and on the good and send rain on the just and the unjust.”
- Anselm of Canterbury

“Lord, take, take my lips and speak through them, take my mind and think through it, take my heart and set it on fire for love of you.”
- W.H. Aitken

“Heavenly Father, I surrender my heart, mind, will and all my being to you. Motivate me, dominate me, captivate me, control me, direct me, fill me with the Holy Spirit that indwells. Live the life of Christ through me for your honor and glory. Amen.”
- Charles Richardson

“I do bless thee that Thy Holy Spirit dwells within me. In humility and silence I bow before this holy mystery, my God! My Lord Jesus! Afresh I surrender myself to Thee. In the depths of my soul Thou seest there is but one desire, that Thy will should be done in me as in Heaven.”
- Andrew Murray

“Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Hold o’er my being absolute sway!
Fill with Thy Spirit ’till all shall sense
Christ only, always, living in me.
- George C. Stebbins

“Spirit of God, infill, infill, INFILL my entire being, deeper, deeper, deeper yet. In the depth of my nature, when I am least thinking about it, go on day by day as the antiseptic of my flesh or self-life. Work against it, keep it out of sight, keep it under Christ.”

- F.B. Meyer

“Holy Spirt of God, who prefers before all temples the upright heart and pure, instruct us in all truth; what is dark illumine, what is low, raise and support, what is shallow, deepen; that every chapter of our lives may witness to your power and justify the ways of God. In the name of Jesus, giver of all grace. Amen.”

- John Milton