- I. Eph. 5:18 be filled with the Holy Spirit.
- II. What does the Greek N.T. mean when it speaks of *being filled with the Holy Spirit*
- III. What does filling BY the Holy Spirit mean?
- IV. HOW are we filled by the Holy Spirit?
- V. The verb: be filled by the Holy Spirit
- VI. Why so few know how to be filled by the Holy Spirit.

- 1. "If an evangelist would be as inaccurate in his statements regarding the need of a lost sinner for a Savior, the work of that Savior on the Cross, & the way a sinner must appropriate that salvation, as we allow ourselves to be when we teach the saints about the ministry of the Holy Spirit, how many souls would be saved?"
  - not many!

- 2. It is the clear, simple, accurate, true to the Word statements of the evangelist which the Holy Spirit uses.
- 3. And If lost souls would be kept from salvation by a message which does not accurately explain the way of salvation, then saints are being deprived of the most efficient ministry of the Holy Spirit because of the obscurities & inaccuracies so prevalent in much of the teaching regarding His Person & work. & how to be Filled with the Holy Spirit & by the Holy Spirit.

- The teaching on the Holy Spirit by our Lord in John 14-16.
- 2. Rom. 8
- 3. 1 Cor. 2
- 4. 2 Cor. 3
- 5. Eph. 3:14-21
- 6. Gal. 5

- v 16 Walk by the Spirit
- v 18 Led by the Spirit
- v 25 live by the Spirit
- v 25 follow the Spirit

- 5:1 It was for freedom that Christ set us free; your status in Christ is freedom, but so many Christians live in slavery therefore keep standing firm in that freedom and do not be subject again to a yoke of slavery. Go back under the Law
- 2 Cor. 3:17 Now that you are saved the Lord is the Spirit; God the Father is still Lord, Jesus Christ is still Lord but now Holy Spirit is immediate Lord--you now walk by Faith in Holy Spirit & where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.