

"THAT UNIQUE PENTECOST" ACTS 2:1-21

I. THE ACTUAL EXPERIENCE OF THE RECIPIENTS OF THE PROMISED GIFT (2:1-4)

- A. Something For The Ears (2:2)
- B. Something For The Eyes (2:3)
- C. Speech On the Part Of The Disciples (2:4)

II. AN EXTENDED DESCRIPTION OF THE THIRD ELEMENT WITHIN THE EXPERIENCE (2:5-13)

- A. Those Who Heard The Disciples Speak With Other Tongues (2:6,8,11)
 - 1. Racially: They Were *Jews*
 - 2. Religiously: They Were *Devout Men*
 - 3. Geographically: They Were From All Over The Then Known World
 - 4. Linguistically: At Least Eleven Language Groups Were Represented
- B. What They Heard (2:6,8,11)
 - 1. Two Different Words Are Used To Describe The Phenomenon
 - 2. They Heard Intelligible Speech In Each Of Their Respective Languages
 - 3. The Content Of The Talk Was Spiritual (Theological)
- C. Essentially God Temporarily Reversed The Effects Of What He Had Done At The Tower Of Babel

III. PETER'S EXPLANATION OF WHAT HAD HAPPENED (2:14-21)

- A. He Denied That There Was Any Inebriation (2:14-15)
- B. He Declared It To Be A Fulfillment Of Joel's Prophecy (2:16-21)
 - 1. For A Certain Era: *The Last Days*
 - 2. Two Major Events
 - 3. Two Major Results From The First Event