

Secrets of the Spirit

COURSE INSTRUCTIONS: The information in this notebook is essential to your success in this course! *READ IT CAREFULLY!*

Assignments that **MUST BE** **SUBMITTED** to Your Instructor for Grading

The following chart lists all of the assignments that must be graded by your instructor **before you will receive a grade and credit for this course**. The lesson number for the assignment is shown. Look in the ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE of this notebook for details on completing the assignment correctly. **TURN IN YOUR WORK TO YOUR INSTRUCTOR ACCORDING TO THIS SCHEDULE.**

Set goals for yourself right now. Each lesson requires approximately five hours of work. If you complete one lesson each week, you will complete the course in three months. This is a reasonable goal for most people. You should try to complete it in no more than four months, unless unforeseen circumstances prevent it.

Fill in the “DATE DUE” column of the chart below with the GOAL DATE you set for yourself to reach each point of the course. For example, if you are going to try to complete one lesson each week, and the first assignment is due in Lesson Six, write in the date which is six weeks from today in the “DATE DUE” column next to the first assignment due below. When you actually com-

plete the assignment, SEND IT TO YOUR INSTRUCTOR and write in the date that you do so. If there are “Yes/No” check boxes, put a check mark in the “Yes” column when you complete and submit that assignment.

YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE A GRADE FOR THE COURSE OR BE CREDITED AS COMPLETING THE COURSE UNTIL ALL OF THESE ASSIGNMENTS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AND GRADED BY YOUR INSTRUCTOR.

Assignments			
	Date Due	Date Submitted	Grade
Test 1 (Lesson 7)			
Exercises (<i>Overflow</i> 1-6 Lesson 7)			
Exercises (<i>Power Portals</i> 1-6 Lesson 7)			
Final Test (Lesson 12)			
Final Paper (Lesson 12)			
Exercises (<i>Overflow</i> 7-12 Lesson 12)			
Exercises (<i>Power Portals</i> 7-9 Lesson 12)			

PRO101 - 3 credits

PRO101 Secrets of the Spirit

Course Description

The River of the Spirit is flowing from the throne of God bringing healing and power to the earth. This course will teach you how to step into the overflow of that River so you can experience all that Jesus has for you when He baptizes you in the Holy Spirit. You will learn more about the power and value of speaking in tongues, and if you haven't done so yet, you will begin to make that a regular part of your daily spiritual life. And you will learn how you can move in the gifts of the Spirit as He manifests Himself through you bringing revelation, healing, and miracles to your world to meet every need.

Texts

Overflow of the Spirit book – Mark Virkler and Charity Kayembe

LEARN Overflow of the Spirit workbook – Mark Virkler and Charity Kayembe

Overflow of the Spirit CDs or DVDs – Mark Virkler and Charity Kayembe

Power Portals – Joshua Mills

Power Portals Study Guide – Joshua Mills

Course objectives:

You will quote the following Scriptures:

- ✓ Galatians 5:25
- ✓ John 7:38-39a
- ✓ Colossians 1:27b (NLT)
- ✓ Luke 24:49
- ✓ Matthew 10:7, 8

- ✓ 1 Corinthians 12:1 (YLT)
 - ✓ John 12:14
 - ✓ Acts 2:17, 18
 - ✓ Mark 16:17, 18
 - ✓ 1 Corinthians 2:16b
- You will explain how the four Gospel writers emphasized the place of the Holy Spirit in Jesus’ ministry.
 - You will discuss the place of the Holy Spirit in the very first altar call of the Church Age.
 - You will state the definitions of a “portal” and a “power portal.”
 - You will state the “Faith in Flow” principle and discuss how it applies to the gifts of the Holy Spirit.
 - You will discuss at least five benefits of speaking in tongues.
 - You will explain five heart postures which prepare us to receive the baptism in the Holy Spirit.
 - You will discuss God’s part and man’s part of every miracle, giving two biblical examples.
 - You will have received the baptism in the Holy Spirit.
 - You will state three new experiences that occurred when Jesus was baptized in the Holy Spirit.
 - You will discuss the immediacy of the Kingdom of Heaven to us and the natural, physical world.
 - You will discuss how the empowering of the Holy Spirit enables us to be His witnesses.
 - You will experience the *energeia* power of God flowing through your hands.
 - You will discuss the meaning of the word “manifestation” in 1 Corinthians 12:7.
 - You will discuss the “more excellent way” to manifest the Spirit.

- You will discuss the main focus of 1 Corinthians 12:4-11.
- You will discuss the seven personal portals in our body, including the purpose for each.
- You will have faith that every gift of the Spirit is expressed through you in your everyday life.
- You will reject the idea that ministry is only what happens in a religious context, and anything outside the church is “secular.”
- You will more fully see yourself as an anointed administrator of grace in whatever realm and sphere of influence you occupy.
- You will walk in more love so more power can flow through you.
- You will seek to understand your dreams so that you receive everything God wants to give you through them.
- You will discuss five keys for establishing an open portal.
- You will plan and execute a prayer walk, according to the instructions of the Study Guide and the leading of the Lord.
- You will name at least four ways that people received healing in the Bible.
- You will explain the relationship between Kingdom emotions and Kingdom power.
- You will explain the process of “soaking prayer.”
- You will discuss the steps to receiving a healing through filling the five senses of your spirit with God’s intention.
- You will state and discuss the steps of a “7-Step Healing Model.”
- You will pray for healing for more people than ever before.
- You will expect to receive divine revelation and creativity in the area of your passion, anointing and commission.
- You will allow our ministry of gifts to be birthed in our intimate fellowship with the Lord, so they are manifestations of His power and His love.

Course Requirements:

NOTE: All work is to be typed and submitted to your instructor by email attachment unless a prior agreement is made directly with your instructor.

The order of the assignments is for your benefit. Follow the lesson instructions as given.

The two texts used in this course have the same goal of guiding you into being a conduit for the manifestation of the Spirit, but they approach the subject very differently. It would be best to work on them on separate days so you can focus more completely on the message of each, rather than trying to complete the Lessons in one sitting.

1. Read the entire text *Overflow of the Spirit* as assigned, completing the Application Questions at the end of each chapter and any Exercises found here in your Student Notebook. **These will be submitted to your instructor.**
2. Watch or listen to the entire teaching series *Overflow of the Spirit* as assigned. Follow along in your LEARN notebook, filling in all blanks and taking notes as you watch. **This will NOT be submitted to your instructor.**
3. Read the entire text *Power Portals* as assigned, completing any related Exercises found here in your Student Notebook. **These will be submitted to your instructor.**
4. Read the entire *Power Portals Study Guide* as assigned. Complete and correct the Review Questions in each Lesson. **These will NOT be submitted to your instructor.**
5. Complete the Activations in each Lesson of the *Study Guide* as assigned. **These will be submitted as indicated in each lesson.**
6. Earn at least a “B” on both Tests.
7. Submit a final paper discussing what you have learned in the course and changes the Lord has made in your life as a result. Be sure to include excerpts from your “Manifestations Diary” and “Blessings Journal” for illustration and documentation. This paper is due in the final lesson and is to be a minimum of four typed pages, double-spaced, maximum 12-point font.

Standards for Grading Assignments

As indicated below, “C” or 2.0 level work is considered average. **Leaders are not average people.** You are therefore expected (required) to put forth the effort necessary to demonstrate at least “B” (3.0) level work or higher on all assignments which you submit. Any which do not will be returned to you with input from your instructor on how you can raise your grade to the expected level. **A course grade will not be given until your assignments demonstrate that you have understood the material presented in the course and allowed your life to be transformed by the Spirit and the Word studied** — the requirements for attaining a “B”.

Your individual assignments (notebooks, tests, reports) will be graded according to the following standards. These grades will be averaged together to determine your course grade. Remember, we are training leaders and leaders are above-average people. Your work will reflect that.

- “D”
 - Indicates barely passing work that is inferior to the average both in quantity and in quality.
 - Manifests a lack of initiative or sense of responsibility or both.
- “C”
 - Average work; either steady work of an acceptable quality, or work of a high quality which is uneven, irregular or fragmentary.
 - May be mechanically or outwardly correct but shows little reflection upon or personal assimilation of the material.
- “B”
 - Intelligently has fulfilled the requirements of this course.
 - Understands the subject matter presented and has applied it to his life in a limited manner but has not really made the truth his own.
- “A”
 - Grasped the material with thoroughness, industry and correctness of detail.
 - Made the material his own by thinking about it and integrating it, using originality, natural ability, and insight.

Lesson One

Assignment to be completed:

Read aloud the “Power Portal Decree” on page 19 of the *Power Portals* book as a declaration of your faith in what the Lord is going to do through you through this course.

Watch or listen to Session 1 of *Overflow of the Spirit*. Follow along in your LEARN notebook, filling in all blanks and take notes as you watch. Complete the Journaling Application Questions at the end of Session One.

Prayerfully read the Foreword, Introduction and Chapter 1 of *Overflow of the Spirit*. Complete the Action Exercises in the middle and at the end of Chapter 1. (Your meditation and reflections will be submitted to your instructor.) As you read the testimonies of others, be open to the Spirit pointing things out to you personally that He wants you to notice about their experience.

Read the Foreword, Introduction and Chapter 1 of the *Power Portals* textbook and Lesson 1 of the *Power Portals Study Guide*. Be sure to read the assigned Scripture passages and the “Other Portals Mentioned in the Scriptures.” Complete and correct the Review Questions. (NOTE: These do not need to be submitted to your instructor.) Complete the “Activations.” You will submit your record of these activations to your instructor.

Memorize Galatians 5:25.

Complete and correct Self-Test.

Related objectives:

- You will quote Galatians 5:25 – “If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.”
- You will explain how the four Gospel writers emphasized the place of the Holy Spirit in Jesus’ ministry.

- You will discuss the place of the Holy Spirit in the very first altar call of the Church Age.
- You will have a deeper understanding of the integral part the Holy Spirit plays in the life of the believer.
- You will discuss the relationship of the Holy Spirit to the foundational doctrines of Hebrews 6:1-3.
- You will state the definitions of a “portal” and a “power portal.”
- You will briefly discuss at least three examples of portals mentioned in Scripture.
- You will discuss what happens in a portal.
- You will explain how one can activate God’s power and create a portal for God’s provision to flow.

Self-Test

NOTICE: *These Self-Tests are designed to clarify and reinforce the lesson objectives. They may be done with open book, if necessary.*

Which Gospel writer(s) introduced Jesus as the One Who would baptize in the Holy Spirit? (Select all that are true.)

- None of them
- Matthew
- Mark
- Luke
- John

When Peter gave the first altar call of the Church Age, he promised that all those who repented and were baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins would: (Select all that are true.)

- go to heaven when they died
- receive eternal life
- receive the gift of the Holy Spirit
- be received into the Church

Quote Galatians 5:25.

Jesus said that _____ profits nothing in John 6:63.

According to Romans 8:13, we are to put to death the deeds of the body by _____.

Name the foundation doctrines of Hebrews 6:1-3.

Repentance from _____
_____ toward God

Doctrine of _____

Laying on of _____

_____ of the dead

Eternal _____

Anything that begins, continues or ends with self-effort is considered :

- a sin
- the flesh
- a dead work
- praise-worthy

A _____ is a doorway, gate, or other entrance, especially a large and imposing one.

A _____ portal is a supernatural access point that enables us to transition from one place in our lives to another.

Answers to Self-Test

Which Gospel writer(s) introduced Jesus as the One Who would baptize in the Holy Spirit? (Select all that are true.) (oots p. 21)

- None of them
- Matthew
- Mark
- Luke
- John

When Peter gave the first altar call of the Church Age, he promised that all those who repented and were baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins would: (Select all that are true.) (oots p 27)

- go to heaven when they died
- receive eternal life
- receive the gift of the Holy Spirit
- be received into the Church

Quote Galatians 5:25 - If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit.

Jesus said that the flesh profits nothing in John 6:63.

According to Romans 8:13, we are to put to death the deeds of the body by the Spirit.

Name the foundation doctrines of Hebrews 6:1-3.

Repentance from dead works

Faith toward God

Doctrine of baptisms

Laying on of hands

Resurrection of the dead

Eternal judgment

Anything that begins, continues or ends with self-effort is considered :

- a sin
- the flesh
- a dead work
- praise-worthy

A portal is a doorway, gate, or other entrance, especially a large and imposing one. (pp sg p 15)

A power portal is a supernatural access point that enables us to transition from one place in our lives to another.

Exercises for Lesson One

NOTE: These exercises are to be submitted to your instructor according to his or her directions to you, along with the Action Exercises from the end of each chapter in *Overflow of the Spirit* and the Activations in the *Power Portals Study Guide*, as assigned in each Lesson.

1. What does Galatians 5:25 mean to you? (Use 2-way journaling.)
2. How did the four Gospel writers emphasize the importance of the baptism in the Holy Spirit in Jesus' ministry? Give specific references.
3. Have you ever invited someone to receive Jesus? What did you say they would receive if they did so? How does this compare with Peter's first altar call? If you were to follow Peter's example, what would you say it meant to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit? You might want to review Acts 2:37-42.
4. In your own words, discuss the place of the Holy Spirit in the six foundation doctrines of Hebrews 6:1-3.