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David Guzik: We should perhaps ask, "are you baptized in the Holy Spirit?" instead of asking, "have you been baptized in the Holy Spirit?"

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David Guzik: Paul's directions are that the church must discern who the truly needy are (**1 Timothy 5-6**).

- If one can work to support himself, he is not truly needy
- If family can support a needy person, the church should not
- Those who are supported by the church must make some return to the church body
- It is right for the church to examine moral conduct before giving support
- And the support of the church should be for the most basic necessities

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2. Great Grace To Serve One Another (Acts 4:32-37)

Therefore, as we have opportunity,
let us do good to all, especially to those who
are of the household of faith.

Galatians 6:10

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H.A. Ironside: They pretended to a greater degree of Christian devotedness than they really possessed! That was all; but it was a tremendously evil thing in the sight of God.

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Revelation 3

16 So then, because you are lukewarm, and neither
cold nor hot, I will vomit you out of My mouth.
17 Because you say, 'I am rich, have become
wealthy, and have need of nothing' - and do not know
that you are wretched, miserable, poor, blind, and
naked

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David Guzik: As much as anything, the lesson of Ananias and Sapphira is that we presume greatly on God when we assume that there is always time to repent, time to get right with God, time to get honest with Him.

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