



## Giving Place To The Spirit Of God

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In Ephesians 4:27 we can read: "Neither give place to the devil." This would have the same meaning as giving place to the Spirit of God, since nobody lives in a spiritual vacuum.

Having been called by God to prophetically and evangelically help open the door for the Spirit of God, I have seen congregations, cities, and nations that have given place to or rejected the Spirit of God, with consequences of revival or judgment to follow.

This is, of course, nothing new. Jesus and the Apostles all encountered this and were instructed by the Master how to respond to the people's reactions and actions.

However, I would like to focus on the positive side by highlighting how we can give place to the Spirit of God, sent to us by the Master himself, to be our Helper and Comforter.

As we study the Scriptures we find that The Spirit of God is like a wind that blows where it wills.

The word for spirit and wind is the same word in Hebrew, רוח, **ruach**.

**The wind (Spirit) bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit John 3:8.**

Religious people and carnal believers want to try to control the Spirit but they got it backwards, for the Word says in Romans 8:14 that **as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God.**

I have had the privilege of being led by the Spirit of God for many years now, but let me just give you one example of this grace from God in my own life.

When we lived in Sweden, the Spirit of God lead me to leave my job as an Opera Singer, take my family, and to **go to America by faith**. I still remember how we arrived on U.S. Soil in New York City with our family of four, our two suitcases, and a violoncello. After having stayed with my in-laws Dallas, Texas for an extended period of time, we needed a home of our own. I told the Lord about it and he told me to start looking. The only thing was that I had no money, no credit, and no steady employment. But I had a word from the Lord, and that was all that I needed in order to believe and act on my faith. The real estate agent was showing us different houses, and when we entered into this particular house, I could see the Angel of the Lord standing by the fire place. I turned to the agent and told her, by faith, that this is the house we are buying. To make a long story short, through a series of tremendous miracles, we were able to buy that very house.

This all happen by the grace of God, because I was giving place to the leading of the Spirit of God.

**For as many as are led by the Spirit of God they are the Sons of God. Romans 8:14**

Yeshua (Jesus) was always led by the Spirit of God. He was anointed by the Spirit of God after that he was baptized in the Jordan river by John the Baptist, and in Luke 4:18 he says:

**"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, To preach the acceptable year of the Lord."**

**His whole life and ministry in the earth was totally controlled and led by the Spirit of God, and he has called us to follow his example as told to us by the Apostle Shaul (Paul).**

Be ye followers of me (Paul), even as also I am of the Messiah (Christ). 1 Corinthians 11:1