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"**Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?**" They answered, "No, we have not even heard that there is a **Holy Spirit.**" **Acts 19:2**

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1. **Spirit** _____.

"After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all **filled with the Holy Spirit** and **spoke the Word of God boldly.**" **Acts 4:31**

2. **Jesus** _____.

"Then know this, you and all the people of Israel: It is by **the name** of **Jesus Christ** of Nazareth, whom you crucified but whom God raised from the dead, that this man stands before you healed." **Acts 4:10**

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is **no other name** under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved." **Acts 4:12**

3. _____ **Minded.**

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