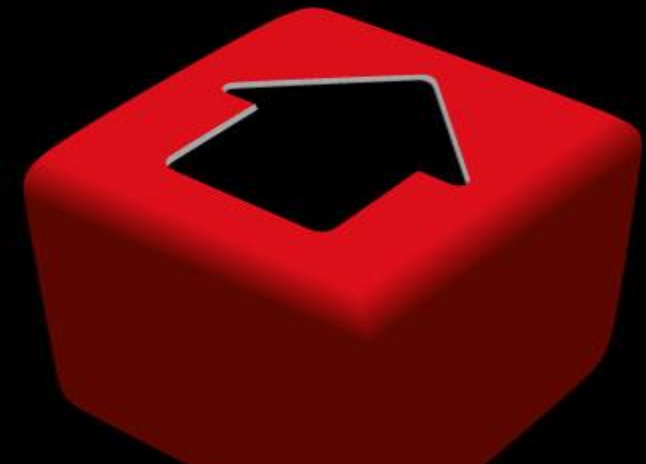


# How People Quench The **SPIRIT**



## Acts 5:1-11

But a certain man named Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession,

<sup>2</sup> And kept back part of the price, his wife also being privy to it, and brought a certain part, and laid it at the apostles' feet.

<sup>3</sup> But Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land?

<sup>4</sup> Whiles it remained, was it not thine own? and after it was sold, was it not in thine own power? why hast thou conceived this thing in thine heart? thou hast not lied unto men, but unto God.

<sup>5</sup> And Ananias hearing these words fell down, and gave up the ghost: and great fear came on all them that heard these things.

<sup>6</sup> And the young men arose, wound him up, and carried him out, and buried him.

<sup>7</sup> And it was about the space of three hours after, when his wife, not knowing what was done, came in.

<sup>8</sup> And Peter answered unto her, Tell me whether ye sold the land for so much? And she said, Yea, for so much.



<sup>9</sup> Then Peter said unto her, How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord? behold, the feet of them which have buried thy husband are at the door, and shall carry thee out.

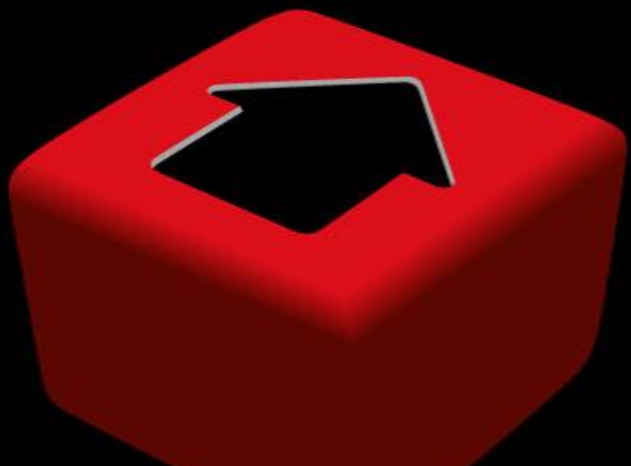
<sup>10</sup> Then fell she down straightway at his feet, and yielded up the ghost: and the young men came in, and found her dead, and, carrying her forth, buried her by her husband.

<sup>11</sup> And great fear came upon all the church, and upon as many as heard these things.



*1 Thess. 5:19*

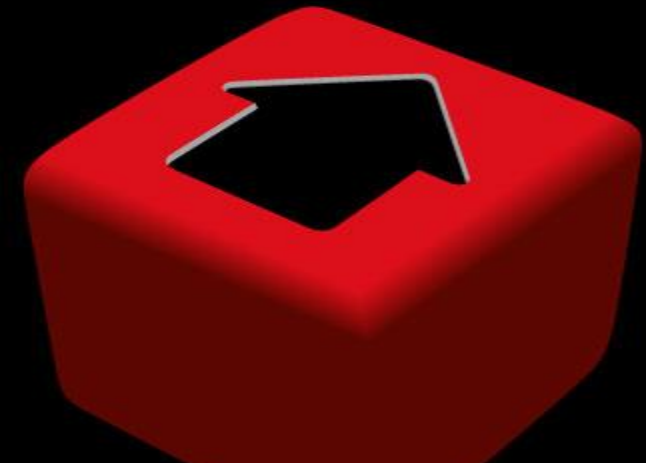
*Quench NOT the SPIRIT.*



## *1 Thess. 5:19- Quench Not the SPIRIT.*

The Greek word for "put out" or "quench" means to extinguish, to stifle, and to retard.

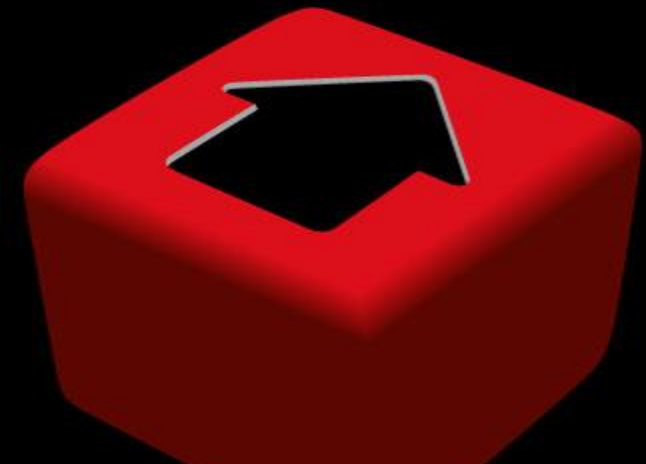
The Holy Spirit throughout Scripture is depicted as a fire. The Apostle is saying, "Don't pour water on that fire."



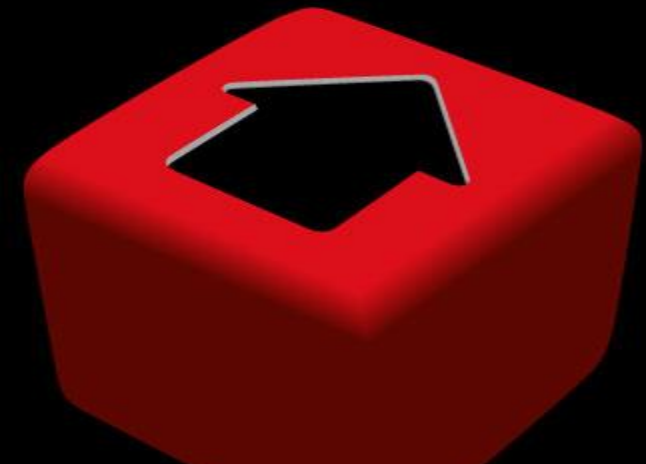
Ephesians 4:30

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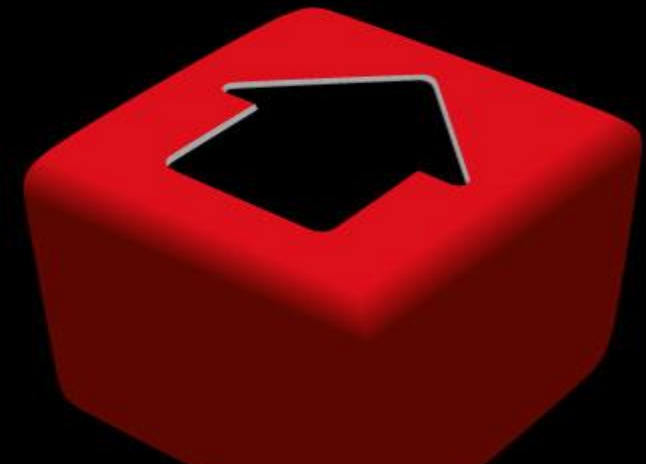
- In Ephesians 4:30 it says, "Grieve not the Holy Spirit."
- Quenching is what you do to the Spirit, grieving is how He responds to what you did.
- Grieving speaks of the anguish of the Holy Spirit when a believer quenches the holy fire that He has kindled in the heart. When you quench the Holy Spirit you grieve the Holy Spirit. To be in right relationship to the Lord, we must not quench the Holy Spirit.





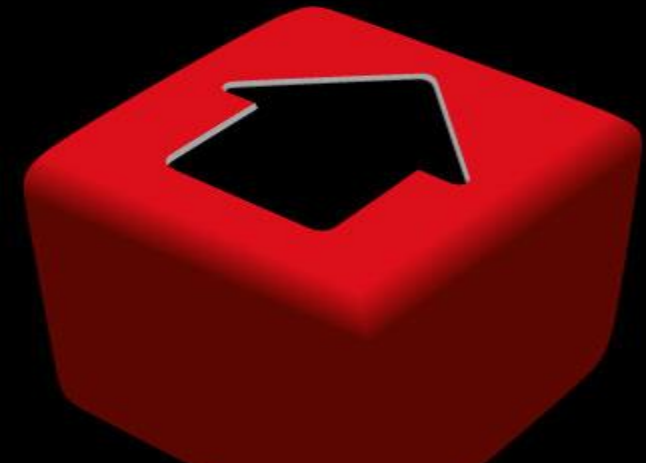
Don't **QUENCH** the Holy Spirit by...

**I. Refusing to obey HIS impulses  
when He wants us to **SPEAK** or **ACT**  
for HIM.**



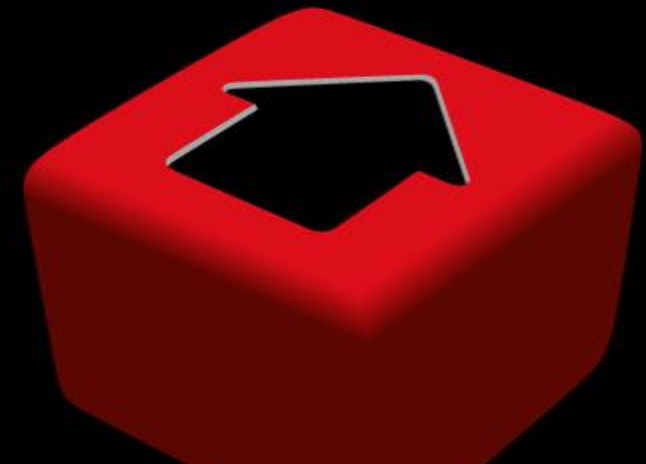
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**2. The method of public worship  
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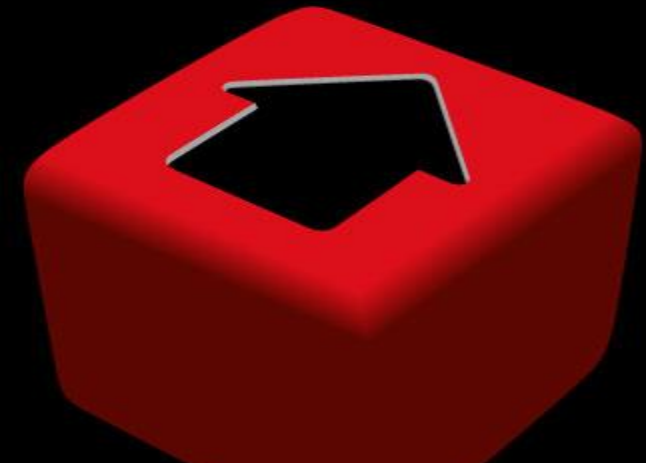
Don't QUENCH the Holy Spirit by...

**3. A Spirit of PRIDE, fashion or  
world display.**



Don't QUENCH the Holy Spirit by...

**4. A Spirit of Criticism or  
Controversy.**



Don't QUENCH the Holy Spirit by...

## 5. Addictions.

