

Spiritual Batteries



The purpose of a battery is to transfer stored energy into something else. When a battery goes flat it serves no functional purpose unless it can be recharged from another power source to be used over and over again.

As Christians, we are like batteries. We may have a little power stored but if we are not recharged regularly we will soon be drained. Christians are 'energy dependant' – God recharges our spiritual batteries so we have the power to continue our daily walk with extra energy to pass on to the discouraged or the 'spiritually dead'.

God brings many 'spiritually flat' people into our lives to recharge. Often, these people need a lot of attention and encouragement. They are frequently rude, demanding, obnoxious and ungrateful. They take much of our energy and give little or none back in return.

If we rely on our own (human) power, it won't be long before people completely drain us. Then, just like the flat battery, we will no longer serve any functional purpose.

The only way we can stop everyday life from exhausting us is to continually recharge our batteries from the all-powerful Energy Giver (God). If we tap into the divine spring, we will have an endless supply of encouragement and grace for those who have not yet plugged into that omnipotent source of power.