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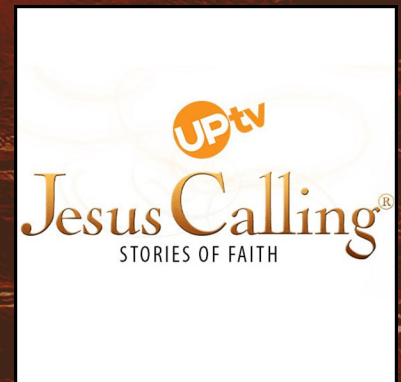


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**Mike Nappa** (M.A.B.T., M.A.E., B.A.C.E.) is an award-winning theologian known for writing “coffee-shop theology” as well as helpful Christian living and devotion books. A bestselling author, his works have been translated into many languages, with millions of copies sold worldwide. Mike is proud to be a person of color (Arab-American) active in the Christian publishing industry. Learn more about Mikey by Googling his name or checking him out on Wikipedia.

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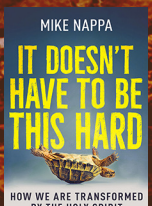


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# IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE THIS HARD



HOW WE ARE TRANSFORMED  
BY THE HOLY SPIRIT

# THE BOOK

**Drawing from an extensive study of 246 direct references to the Holy Spirit in the New Testament** *It Doesn't Have to Be This Hard* reveals in-depth what God's Spirit does—and what's left for you to do. (Hint: It's not what you think!) You'll discover how the Holy Spirit works in, with, and through you to accomplish His purpose. Find out the eleven specific ways God actively energizes your spiritual experience. Learn the five mistakes that make your Christian life much harder than it has to be. See what it looks like when the Holy Spirit lives your faith. Realize why you never have to walk in the weakness of your own power—experience how the Holy Spirit flaunts Christ through you. If you want to live your Christian faith with joy, power, and passion, then right here is where your new life begins. Are you ready for that?

## ENDORSEMENTS

"With the accuracy of a Swiss watch, Mike Nappa teaches us from the Scripture what it means to have God's Spirit work in us." — *Dr. Michael Anthony, Dallas Theological Seminary*

"Mike Nappa's writing is inviting, clever, and makes you want to keep reading—and learning. Each page is a beautiful reminder of what the Spirit grows within us." — *Laura L. Smith, bestselling Christian Author*

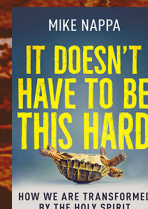
"Thank you, Mike Nappa, for writing this practical and biblically grounded book! I'm grateful I got to read *It Doesn't Have to Be This Hard*. Read it—you'll be grateful, too." — *Jim Denney, bestselling Christian Author*

## THE READER WILL...

- Find real, lasting encouragement for her daily Christian life.
- Explore in-depth what the Holy Spirit is actually doing in his life—every moment, every day.
- Discover fascinating results from a study of 246 New Testament Scriptures that directly reference the Holy Spirit.
- Learn how the Holy Spirit works In, With, and Through her to accomplish his purpose.
- Study eleven specific ways God actively energizes his spiritual experience.
- Identify five mistakes that make her Christian life much harder than it has to be.
- See what it looks like when the Holy Spirit lives out her faith.
- Understand why he never has to walk in the weakness of his own power.
- Experience the Holy Spirit flaunting Christ through her.
- Gain relief from the stress of Christian legalism.
- Discover new insight from, and practical access to, the Bible.
- Be better equipped to glorify God and enjoy him forever.



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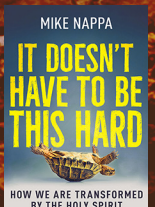


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## Interview Talk-Starters

- First, tell us the “Mike Nappa Story.” How did a grandson of immigrants in Oklahoma grow up to be an award-winning theologian and a bestselling Christian author?
- What first prompted you to write, *It Doesn't Have to Be This Hard*?
- You say early on in your book that, “The Christian life is not as hard as you’re making it.” What do you mean by that?
- This book is a deep-dive into the 246 direct references to the Holy Spirit in the New Testament. What was your process for conducting such a large Scripture study?
- What surprised you the most as you were writing *It Doesn't Have to Be This Hard*?
- What do you mean when you say that the Holy Spirit works “in,” “with,” and “through” us?
- Can you explain your perspective on Romans 8:15, which says, “The Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship. And by him we cry, ‘Abba, Father.’”
- One fascinating chapter in your book is titled, “The Holy Spirit Flaunts Christ Through You.” Would you tell us a little bit about that?
- What’s the best advice about the Christian life that you’d give to people listening to you right now?
- Rumor has it you’ve got a secret “Friends of Mikey” bonus for people in our audience who might be interested in buying *It Doesn't Have to Be This Hard*. Care to spill that secret with us?



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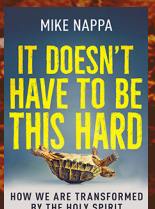
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