

DOCTRINE

A SIX WEEK SERIES

{GOD THE SPIRIT}

**THE HOLY SPIRIT  
IS A PERSON**

# PROOFS OF HIS PERSONAGE

- John 14:26

“But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.

- John 16:13

“However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come.

# PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS ARE ASCRIBED TO HIM

- **Intellect**

1 Corinthians 2:11 "For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God."

- **Emotions**

"Romans 15:30 Now I beg you, brethren, through the Lord Jesus Christ, and through the love of the Spirit, that you strive together with me in prayers to God for me"

- **Will**

1 Corinthians 12:11 "But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills."

# HE IS SUSCEPTIBLE TO PERSONAL TREATMENT

- He can be lied to - Acts 5:3
- Tempted - Acts - 5:9
- Resisted - Acts 7:59
- Grieved - Ephesians 4:3
- Insulted - Hebrews 10:29
- Blasphemed - Matthew 12:31

**THE HOLY SPIRIT  
IS DEITY**

# ATTRIBUTES OF DEITY ARE AFFIRMED OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

- Eternal - Hebrew 9:14
- Omniscient - 1 Corinthians 2:10; John 14:26
- Omnipotent - Luke 1:35
- Omnipresent - Psalm 139:7-10

# WORKS OF DEITY ARE ASCRIBED TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

- **Creation**

Genesis 1:20 "The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters."

- **Regeneration**

John 3:5 "Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God."

- **Inspiration of the scriptures**

1 Peter 1:21 "For prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

- **Raising the dead**

Romans 8:11 "But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in

# ASSOCIATION WITH GOD THE FATHER

- **Baptism**

Matthew 28:19 "Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

- **Apostolic Benediction**

2 Corinthians 13:14 "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all."

- **Administration of the church**

1 Corinthians 12:4-6 "There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord. And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all."

# THE HOLY SPIRIT IS CALLED GOD

Acts 5:3-4 "But Peter said, "Ananias, why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit and keep back part of the price of the land for yourself? While it remained, was it not your own? And after it was sold, was it not in your own control? Why have you conceived this thing in your heart? You have not lied to men but to God."

# THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

# REGENERATION

Regeneration is the act of God by which a principle of new life is implanted in a man or woman with the result that the governing disposition of the soul is made Holy.

Titus 3:4-5 "But when the kindness and the love of God our Savior toward man appeared, not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit"

# THE HOLY SPIRIT INDWELLS

- John 14:17 "the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you."
- Romans 8:9 "But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells in you. Now if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he is not His."
- 1 Corinthians 3:16 "Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?"
- 1 Corinthians 6:19 "Or do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own?"

# THE HOLY SPIRIT BAPTIZES

- Acts 1:5 “for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”
- 1 Corinthians 12:13 “For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free—and have all been made to drink into one Spirit.
- Ephesians 4:5-6 “one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.”

# THE HOLY SPIRIT SEALS

- Ephesians 1:13 "In Him you also trusted, after you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation; in whom also, having believed, you were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise"
- 2 Corinthians 1:22 "who also has sealed us and given us the Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee."
- John 6:27 "Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him."

- He fills

Eph 5:18 "And do not be drunk with wine, in which is dissipation; but be filled with the Spirit,

- He guides

Galatians 5:16, 25 "I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh." "If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.

- He empowers

Galatians 5:17 "For the flesh lusts against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary to one another, so that you do not do the things that you wish.

- He teaches

1 John 2:20 & 27 "But you have an anointing from the Holy One, and you know all things." "But the anointing which you have received from Him abides in you, and you do not need that anyone teach you; but as the same anointing teaches you concerning all things, and is true, and is not a lie, and just as it has taught you, you will abide in Him.

# SPIRITUAL GIFTS

Apostles, Prophet, Teacher, Pastor, miracles, healings, helps, administration, tongues, interpretation of tongues, word of wisdom, word of knowledge, faith, prophecy, discerning of spirits, encouragement, contribution, leadership, mercy.  
(1 Corinthians 12; Romans 12; Ephesians 4)

# **GIFTS ARE FOR THE EDIFICATION OF THE BODY**

- **Ephesians 4:11-12 "And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ"**
- **1 Corinthians 12:6-7 "And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all. But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all"**

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