



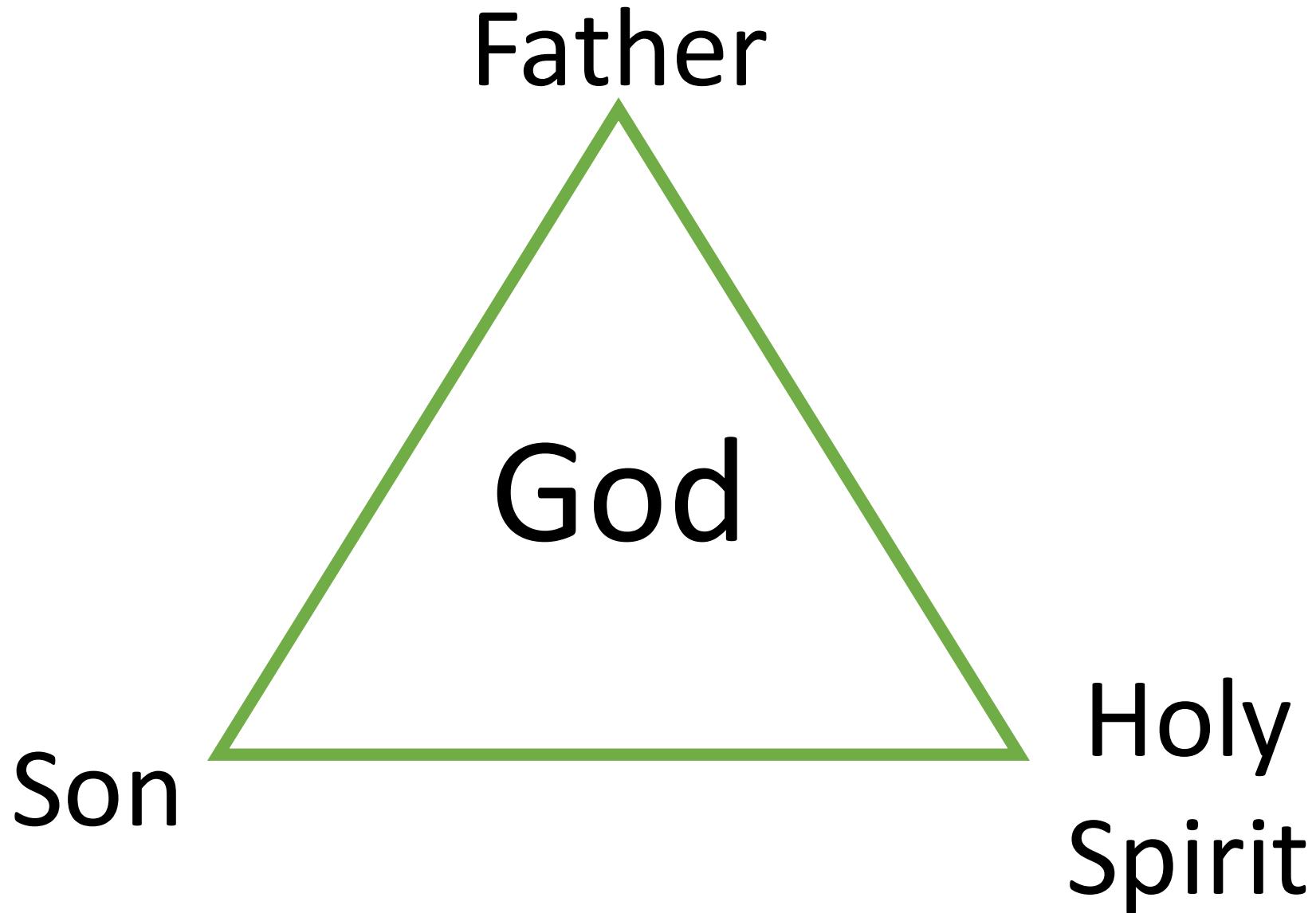
**The Holy Spirit**



## THE HOLY SPIRIT SERIES

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# The Godhead, The Trinity



# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

**Joh 16:4-15** But these things I have told you, that when the time comes, you may remember that I told you of them. "And these things I did not say to you at the beginning, because I was with you. "But now I go away to Him who sent Me, and none of you asks Me, 'Where are You going?' But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your heart. Nevertheless I tell you the truth. It is to your advantage that I go away; for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you; but if I depart, I will send Him to you.

And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment:  
- of sin, because they do not believe in Me;  
- of righteousness, because I go to My Father and you see Me no more;  
- of judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged.

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear *them* now.

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.

He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare *it* to you.

All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare *it* to you.

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

**Joh 16:14 He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare *it* to you.**

- Jesus and His work point to the Father, AND then the Spirit glorifies and points to Jesus, He takes what is from or of Jesus and uses it to point right back to Him.

**Joh 8:26 I have many things to say and to judge concerning you, but He who sent Me is true; and I speak to the world those things which I heard from Him."**

**Joh 8:28 Then Jesus said to them, "When you lift up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am *He*, and *that* I do nothing of Myself; but as My Father taught Me, I speak these things.**

**Joh 8:38 I speak what I have seen with My Father, and you do what you have seen with your father."**

**Joh 12:49-50 For I have not spoken on My own *authority*; but the Father who sent Me gave Me a command, what I should say and what I should speak. And I know that His command is everlasting life. Therefore, whatever I speak, just as the Father has told Me, so I speak."**

**Joh 14:10 Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? The words that I speak to you I do not speak on My own *authority*; but the Father who dwells in Me does the works.**

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**Joh 16:8 And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment:**

## Convict the world

- **Convict** - Reprove, expose, admonish, correct, to show to be wrong, to demonstrate or make manifest
- **Of sin**
  - To miss the mark
  - To be in error, To be in the wrong
  - To violate God's law, commit an offence
  - To wander from God
  - The collection or aggregation of wrongs before God
  - To be GUILTY before God

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## Of righteousness

- Innocence, Holy, justice
- Thayer: integrity, virtue, purity of life, rightness, correctness of thinking feeling, and acting
- To adopt God's standard as my standard
- Zhodiates: *The righteousness of God is the claim which God has upon man. In order for man to recognize and fully submit to that claim of God upon his life, he must receive God as He offers Himself and His righteousness to him as a gift ([Rom 5:17](#)). Man can only accept the claims of God upon his life as he repents of his sin and receives Christ as His Savior by faith. He thus becomes a child of God, realizing God's claims upon him by the miraculous regenerating action of the Holy Spirit ([Joh 1:12](#); [Rom 4:11-13](#); [Rom 5:21](#); [Rom 6:16](#); [Rom 8:10](#); [Rom 9:30](#); [Rom 10:6](#); [2Co 6:7](#), [2Co 6:14](#); [Eph 4:24](#); [Eph 6:14](#); [2Pe 1:1](#)).*

*The recognition and acceptance of God's claim upon man, realized through faith, stands in opposition to the righteousness which is of the Law ([Rom 10:5](#); [Gal 3:21](#)) and which is man's acceptance of the claims of the Law upon his life. Man in his natural, fallen condition tends rather to accept his own set of standards, creating his own righteousness ([Rom 10:3](#); [Php 3:6](#)). In reality, however, such a set of standards is not righteousness ([Rom 10:3](#), [Rom 10:5](#); [Gal 3:21](#)) and does not satisfy God. God's righteousness is imputed and imparted as a gift to man and not earned. It results in God's act of justification by faith through Christ.*

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## Of judgment

- specifically divine *law*: - accusation, condemnation, damnation

Separation: Judgment given, sentence pronounced

Thayer: opinion or decision given concerning justice and injustice, right or wrong

- sentence of condemnation, damnyatory judgment, condemnation and punishment

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**Joh 16:15 All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare *it* to you.**

- The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are in AGREEMENT
- They will NEVER contradict one-another
- They will always be in UNITY with one-another

**Eph 4:3 endeavoring to keep the **unity** of the Spirit in the bond of peace.**

**Eph 4:4 There is one body and **one Spirit**, just as you were called in **one hope of your calling**;**

**Eph 4:5 one Lord, one faith, one baptism;**

**Eph 4:6 one God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.**

**Eph 4:11 And He Himself gave some *to be* apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers,**

**Eph 4:12 for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ,**

**Eph 4:13 till we all come to the **unity** of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ;**

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

## The Holy Spirit guides/leads disciples into the truth

- He will guide disciples into all truth
- He will speak with God's authority; He will speak as He hears God speak to Him
- He will tell us things to come
- HELPER – TEACHER – GUIDE – GIVER OF UNDERSTANDING – REMINDER OF TRUTH

## The Holy Spirit helps our weaknesses

And prays for us, makes intercession for us, ACCORDING to God's will

Rom 8:26 Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

Rom 8:27 Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He makes intercession for the saints according to the will of God.

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

## The Holy Spirit brings confidence and hope to the believer

**Rom 8:5** For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those **who live according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit.**

**Rom 8:9-11** 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.** And **if Christ is in you, the body is dead because of sin, but the Spirit is life because of righteousness.** 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 you.**

**Rom 15:13** Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, **that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.**

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

## **The Holy Spirit will give believers power for service and refreshment for the journey**

- **Joh 7:37-39** On the last day, that great *day* of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture has said, out of his heart will flow rivers of living water." But this He spoke concerning **the Spirit**, whom those believing in Him would receive; for **the Holy Spirit** was not yet *given*, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

## **The Holy Spirit is integral in the Salvation process**

- **Joh 3:4-6** Nicodemus said to Him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Most assuredly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit
- **Joh 6:63** It is **the Spirit who gives life**; the flesh profits nothing. The words that I speak to you are spirit, and *they* are life.

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

## The Holy Spirit brings comfort when we are walking with Jesus

- Act 9:31 Then the churches throughout all Judea, Galilee, and Samaria had peace and were edified. And walking in the fear of the Lord and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit, they were multiplied.

## The Holy Spirit raises up leaders in the Church

- Act 6:3 Therefore, brethren, seek out from among you seven men of *good* reputation, full of the Holy Spirit and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business;
- Act 13:2 As they ministered to the Lord and fasted, the Holy Spirit said, "Now separate to Me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them."
- Act 13:3 Then, having fasted and prayed, and laid hands on them, they sent *them* away.
- Act 13:4 So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus.
- Act 20:28 Therefore take heed to yourselves and to all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood.

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## The Holy Spirit gives WISDOM and SPIRITUAL AWARENESS/INSIGHT

1Co 2:9 But as it is written: "EYE HAS NOT SEEN, NOR EAR HEARD, NOR HAVE ENTERED INTO THE HEART OF MAN THE THINGS WHICH GOD HAS PREPARED FOR THOSE WHO LOVE HIM."

1Co 2:10 But God has revealed *them* to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God.

1Co 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.

1Co 2:12 Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God.

1Co 2:13 These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

1Co 2:14 But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know *them*, because they are spiritually discerned.

1Co 2:15 But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is *rightly* judged by no one.

1Co 2:16 For "WHO HAS KNOWN THE MIND OF THE LORD THAT HE MAY INSTRUCT HIM?" But we have the mind of Christ.

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- This is comfort and peace for us,
- This is guidance and protection, for we know the Holy Spirit will only speak those things from God WHICH AGREE WITH SCRIPTURE. **(THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR US TO REMEMBER)**
- This is also important because it protects us from error concerning the counterfeit work of Satan who disguises himself as an angel of light in order to deceive us

**2Co 11:13** For such *are* false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into apostles of Christ.

**2Co 11:14** And no wonder! For Satan himself transforms himself into an angel of light.

**2Co 11:15** Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also transform themselves into ministers of righteousness, whose end will be according to their works.

**Mat 24:24** For false christians and false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect.

**1Ti 4:1** Now **the Spirit** expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons,

**1Jn 2:26** These things I have written to you concerning those who *try to* deceive you.

**1Jn 2:27** 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.

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**1Th 5:19** Do not quench **the Spirit**.

**1Th 5:20** Do not despise prophecies.

**1Th 5:21** **Test** all things; hold fast what is good.

**1Jn 4:1** Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but **test** the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world.

**1Jn 4:2** **By this you know the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God,**

**1Jn 4:3** and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God. And this is the *spirit* of the Antichrist, which you have heard was coming, and is now already in the world.

**1Jn 4:4** You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, **because He who is in you is greater** than he who is in the world.

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

**The Holy Spirit is restraining evil in the world thru the Church until the appointed time for the Church to be removed from earth**

- **2Th 2:5** Do you not remember that when I was still with you I told you these things?
- **2Th 2:6** And now you know what is restraining, that he may be revealed in his own time.
- **2Th 2:7** For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work; only **He who now restrains will do so until He is taken out of the way.**
  
- There is much agreement among scholars that this is referring to the presence of the Holy Spirit in and through the Church until the rapture of the Church!

# The Role and Work of the Holy Spirit (In the World and the Church)

## The Holy Spirit Seals us. (God Himself puts His Mark upon His child)

- 2Co 1:21 Now He who establishes us with you in Christ and has anointed us *is* God,
- 2Co 1:22 who also has sealed us and given us the Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee.
- Eph 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,
- Eph 1:14 who is the guarantee of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, to the praise of His glory.
- Eph 4:30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

## SEAL/SEALING

Stamp as with a signet ring, to mark or identify distinctly, like a brand, emboss, put a mark upon, to ATTEST (like a Notary, to witness, to guarantee/prove, TO AUTHENTICATE  
To prove what a person professes to be

To deliver over safely to someone

Zhodiates: God attests and confirms by the gift of the Holy Spirit as the earnest, pledge, or seal of their election to salvation.

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The Holy Spirit bears witness that we belong to God. (Very similar to “sealing”)

The Holy Spirit pours out the love of God within our hearts – he “makes it accessible”

Rom 5:5 Now hope does not disappoint, because **the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.**

- Rendered: Poured out (NKJV) – Shed abroad (KJV) – poured into (ESV)      GK: ekcheo (1632) ἐκχέω
- Mounce & Thayer – to shed blood, to gush out, to spill, bestow liberally, distribute largely
- Zhodiates – in other places rendered “to shed blood and bring about death thru the shedding of blood”
  - the pres. part. *ekchunómenon* is used, indicating not a continuous pouring out, but that the pouring was before the foundation of the world, planned and destined to be so. Spoken of the blood of Christ (a pregnant theological metaphor for His death) shed or poured out as a sacrifice for sin...by metonymy, the container for the contents
- Consider: the blood applied to the lintel and door posts in Exo. 12 – the people applied the blood
  - Here in Rom. 5 – the Holy Spirit applies the blood – God’s Holy work
  - The Believer is MARKED

Rom 8:15-17 For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, **but you received the Spirit of adoption** by whom we cry out, "Abba, Father." **The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God**, and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if indeed we suffer with *Him*, that we may also be glorified together.

