

The Gift of the Holy Spirit
John 16:1-15

John 16:5-11 NLT

⁵ "But now I am going away to the one who sent me, and not one of you is asking where I am going. 6 Instead, you grieve because of what I've told you. ⁷ But in fact, it is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate won't come. If I do go away, then I will send him to you. 8 And when he comes, he will convict the world of its sin, and of God's righteousness, and of the coming judgment. ⁹ The world's sin is that it refuses to believe in me. ¹⁰ Righteousness is available because I go to the Father, and you will see me no more. 11 Judgment will come because the ruler of this world has already been judged.

John 16:12-15 NLT

12 "There is so much more I want to tell you, but you can't bear it now. 13 When the <u>Spirit of truth</u> comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own but will tell you what he has heard. He will tell you about the future. 14 He will bring me glory by telling you whatever he receives from me. 15 All that belongs to the Father is mine; this is why I said, 'The <u>Spirit</u> will tell you whatever he receives from me."



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- 1. I am the bread of life
- 2. I am the light of the world
- 3. I am the gate
- 4. I am the Good Shepherd
- 5. I am the Resurrection and the life
- 6. I am the way the truth and the life
- 7. I am the vine

"I tell you the truth, before Abraham was even born, I am!" John 8:58 NLT





The Complexity of the Trinity

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"I am going away and I am coming back to you."
John 14:28 NLT



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"You must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet's own understanding, or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the <u>Holy Spirit</u>, and they spoke from God. 2 Peter 20-21 NLT



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"Let the word of Christ <u>dwell</u> in you richly" Col 3:16 KJV

"Don't be drunk with wine, because that will ruin your life. Instead, be <u>filled</u> with the Holy Spirit." Eph 5:18 NLT



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Greek word: "Parakletos"

para = to come alongside

kaleo = to call, to appeal, to argue



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"If our hearts condemn us, we know that <u>God is greater than our hearts</u>, and he knows everything." 1 John 3:20 NIV



Defends against temptation

"God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it." 1 Cor 10:13 NIV

"If you want to be a friend of the world, you make yourself an enemy of God. 5 Do you think the Scriptures have no meaning? They say that God is passionate that the <u>spirit</u> he has placed within us should be faithful to him." James 4:4-5 NLT

The Selflessness of the Holy Spirit

"He will bring me glory by telling you whatever he receives from me."
John 16:14 NLT

