

The Holy Spirit is a Person

(Primarily from the book of Acts)

- 1. He can be lied to (Acts 5:3-4).*
- 2. He is God and a member of the Godhead (Acts 5:3-4).*
- 3. He can be tested (Acts 5:9).*
- 4. He can be resisted (Acts 7:51).*
- 5. He speaks to people (Acts 13:2 & John 16:13).*
- 6. He has a will & holds to the convictions of His will (Acts 16:6-7).*
- 7. He testifies of/to Jesus (John 15:26).*
- 8. He convicts the world of sin of not believing in Jesus (John 16:8-9).*
- 9. He guides us into all truth (John 16:13).*
- 10. He intercedes for us in prayer (Romans 8:26).*
- 11. He searches all things (1 Corinthians 2:10).*
- 12. He can be grieved (Ephesians 4:30).*
- 13. He yearns for us (James 4:5).*

The Ministry of the Holy Spirit *(Primarily from the book of John)*

His Ministry in a Life BEFORE Salvation:

1. *To testify / bear witness / give evidence of Jesus (Jn 15:26):*
 - a – *He bears witness of Jesus directly (Jn 15:26).*
 - b – *& thru prophecies told all about Jesus (2 Pet 1:20-21 & Rev 19:10).*
 - c – *& thru miracles He performed thru Jesus (Mt 12:27-28).*
2. *To convict the world of sin, righteousness & judgment (Jn 16:8-11).*
 - a – *Of the sin of not believing in Jesus (John 16:8a & 9).*
 - b – *Of the fact only Jesus is righteousness (John 16:8b & 10).*
 - c – *Of the fact only the Father had to judge sin (John 16:8c & 11).*

His Ministry in a Life AFTER Salvation (not exhaustive):

1. *To lead or guide us into all truth (Jn 16:13).*
2. *To tell us things to come, or prophesy (Jn 16:13).*
3. *To glorify Jesus (Jn 16:14).*
4. *To teach us all things (Jn 14:26 & 1 Cor 2:13).*
5. *To bring all things to our remembrance (Jn 14:26).*
6. *To empower us to live the Christian life (Acts 1:8).*
7. *To reveal things to us (1 Cor 2:10).*
8. *To speak to the church to lead her (Acts 13:1-4).*