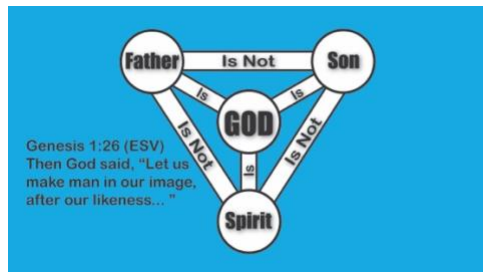
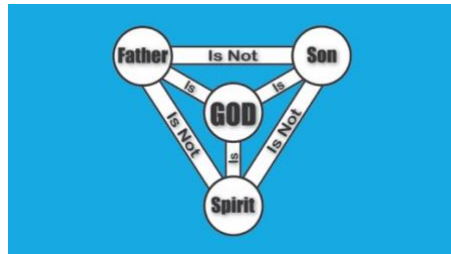
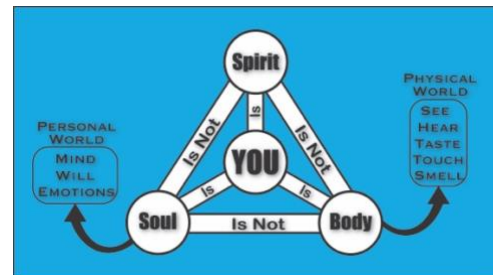
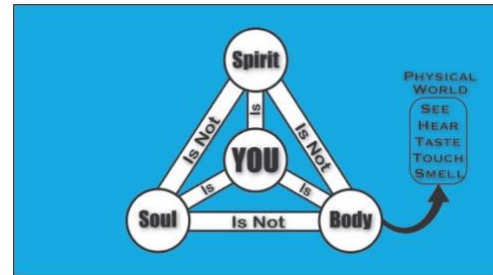
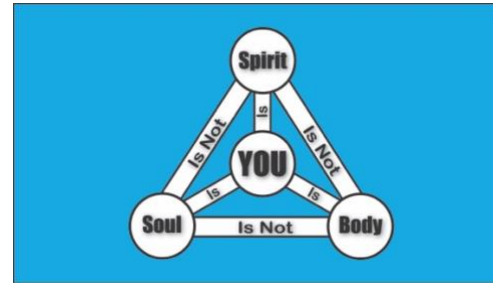
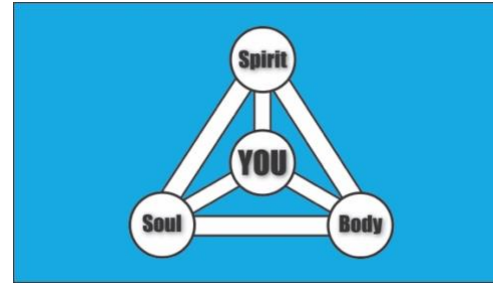


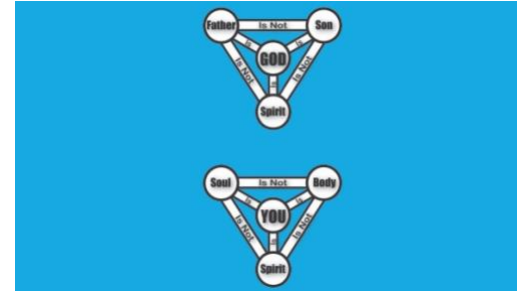
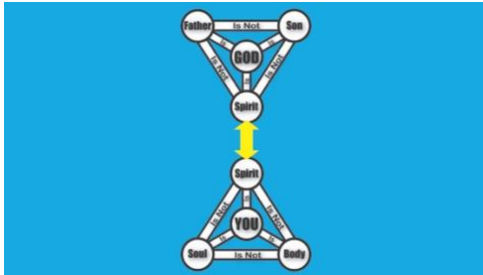
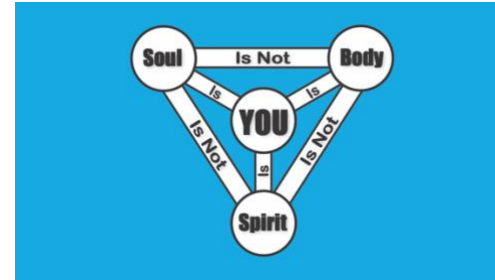
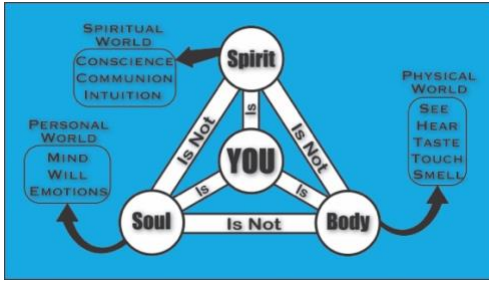
Winning Within
Wholeness of Spirit
1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

1 Thessalonians 5:23–24 (ESV)

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But the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate...

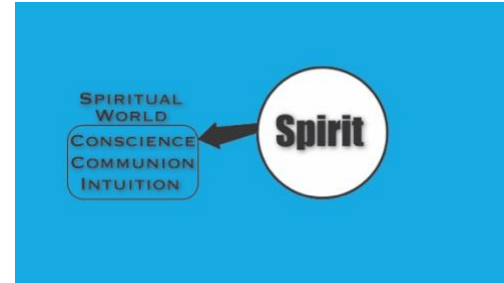
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James 2:19 (ESV)
You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe and shudder!

John 3:16 (ESV)
For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

2 Corinthians 5:17 (ESV)
Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.

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➤ **Your SPIRIT is also called the HEART**

Your spirit is the most important aspect of your identity and the most critical in fulfilling your divine purpose.

Romans 8:16 (ESV) — The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

1 Corinthians 2:14 (ESV) — The natural person does not accept the things of the Spirit of God, for they are folly to him, and he is not able to understand them because they are spiritually discerned.

1 Corinthians 14:14 (ESV) — For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful.

1 Corinthians 2:11a (ESV) — For who knows a person's thoughts except the spirit of that person, which is in him?

➤ **Your CONSCIENCE is the MORAL COMPASS of your heart**

Romans 2:15 (NLT) — They demonstrate that God’s law is written in their hearts, for their own conscience and thoughts either accuse them or tell them they are doing right.

- **Your COMMUNION is your CONNECTION to the AFFECTION of your heart**

Matthew 6:21 (ESV) — For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Matthew 6:24 (ESV) — No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

- **Your INTUITION is the inner WISDOM of your heart**

This wisdom involves a sense of knowing and understanding without knowing or understanding how we know or understand.

**1 Thessalonians 5:23a (ESV)
Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit ...**

Lord, I SUBMIT my spirit to you in worship today...

John 4:23–24 (ESV) — But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth.”

Ephesians 4:22–24 (ESV) — Put off your old self, which belongs to your former manner of life and is corrupt through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of your minds, and put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.

... SEARCH my heart today, Lord...

Psalm 139:23–24 (ESV) — Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

1 Timothy 1:19 (NLT) — Cling to your faith in Christ, and keep your conscience clear. For some people have deliberately violated their consciences; as a result, their faith has been shipwrecked.

Acts 24:16 (ESV) — So I always take pains to have a clear conscience toward both God and man.

Mark 12:30a (ESV) — And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart ...

Matthew 6:21 (ESV) — For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Proverbs 9:10 (ESV) — The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.

... SPEAK to my spirit today, Lord...

Revelation 2:7a (ESV) — He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.

Psalm 119:147 (NLT) — I rise early, before the sun is up; I cry out for help and put my hope in your words.

John 16:13 (ESV) — When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come.

Isaiah 8:20 (NLT) — Look to God's instructions and teachings! People who contradict his word are completely in the dark.

Ephesians 3:16–19 (ESV) — That according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted

and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

... STRENGTHEN my spirit through filling me with the Holy Spirit. In Jesus' name, Amen!

Galatians 5:22–23 (ESV) — But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

Isaiah 50:4 (NLT) — The Sovereign LORD has given me his words of wisdom, so that I know how to comfort the weary. Morning by morning he awakens me and opens my understanding to his will.

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The Three Components of Your Spirit

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your heart

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_____ of your heart

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your heart

A Daily Prayer for Growth in Your Spirit

Lord, I _____ my spirit to you in worship today...

... _____ my heart today, Lord...

... _____ to my spirit today, Lord...

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