

# ***TAKING the LIMITS off of GOD***

## ***Part 4***

### ***The HOLY SPIRIT***

**2 Cor 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.  
Amen.

As A.W. Tozer once said, “If the **Holy Spirit** was withdrawn from the church today, 95 percent of what we do would go on and no one would know the difference. If the Holy Spirit had been withdrawn from the New Testament church, 95 percent of what they did would stop, and everybody would know the difference.”

#### ***2) Don't grieve the holy spirit***

**Isa 63:10** But they rebelled and grieved His Holy Spirit;  
So He turned Himself against them as an enemy,  
*And* He fought against them.

**Psa 51:11** Do not cast me away from Your presence,  
And do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

**Psa 106:32-37** They angered *Him* also at the waters of strife,

So that it went ill with Moses on account of them;  
33 Because they rebelled against His Spirit,  
So that he spoke rashly with his lips.  
34 They did not destroy the peoples,  
Concerning whom the Lord had commanded them,  
35 But they mingled with the Gentiles  
And learned their works;  
36 They served their idols,  
Which became a snare to them.  
37 They even sacrificed their sons  
And their daughters to demons,

**Num 20:2-3** Now there was no water for the congregation; so they gathered together against Moses and Aaron. <sup>3</sup> And the people contended with Moses and spoke, saying: “If only we had died when our brethren died before the Lord!

**Eph 4:30** And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

*3) We have access to the Father by the HOLY SPIRIT....*

**Eph 2:18** For through Him we both have access by one Spirit to the Father.

*4) The Holy Spirit is your prayer partner.*

**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.

### ***5) The Holy Spirit teaches us the Secrets of God***

**2 cor 2:9-14** 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.”*

<sup>10</sup> But God has revealed *them* to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God. <sup>11</sup> 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. <sup>12</sup> 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.

<sup>13</sup> These things we also speak, not in words which man’s wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. <sup>14</sup> 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.

**JOHN 14:25-26** “These things I have spoken to you while being present with you. <sup>26</sup> 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.

### ***6) The Holy Spirit will give you instructions***

**Acts 10:19-20** While Peter thought about the vision, the Spirit said to him, “Behold, three men are seeking you. <sup>20</sup> Arise therefore, go down and go with them, doubting nothing; for I have sent them.”

**Acts 8:29** Then the Spirit said to Philip, “Go near and overtake this chariot.”

*7) The Holy Spirit in Complete unity with the Bride will call Jesus back to the earth...*

**Rev 22:17** And the Spirit and the bride say, “Come!” And let him who hears say, “Come!” And let him who thirsts come. Whoever desires, let him take the water of life freely.

*8) The HOLY SPIRIT will Manifest JESUS to YOU....*

John 14:15-21 “If you love Me, keep My commandments. <sup>16</sup> And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever—<sup>17</sup> 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. <sup>18</sup> I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.

<sup>19</sup> “A little while longer and the world will see Me no more, but you will see Me. Because I live, you will live also. <sup>20</sup> At that day you will know that I *am* in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. <sup>21</sup> He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is

he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him.”

**9) *The SAME HOLY SPIRIT that anointed Jesus is the EXACT same holy Spirit that anoints you....***

**Acts 10:38** how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.

**10) *Being FULL of the HOLY SPIRIT IS the spiritual qualifications of service.***

**Acts 6:1-7** Now in those days, when *the number of* the disciples was multiplying, there arose a complaint against the Hebrews by the Hellenists, because their widows were neglected in the daily distribution. <sup>2</sup> Then the twelve summoned the multitude of the disciples and said, “It is not desirable that we should leave the word of God and serve tables. <sup>3</sup> 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; <sup>4</sup> but we will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word.”

<sup>5</sup> And the saying pleased the whole multitude. And they chose Stephen, a man full of faith and the Holy Spirit, and Philip, Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas, a proselyte from Antioch, <sup>6</sup> whom they set before the apostles; and when they had prayed, they laid hands on them.

<sup>7</sup> Then the word of God spread, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly in Jerusalem, and a great many of the priests were obedient to the faith.

***11) Being FULL of the HOLY SPIRIT will give you SPIRITUAL EYESIGHT into the HEAVENLY realm.***

**Acts 7:54-60** When they heard these things they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed at him with *their* teeth. <sup>55</sup> But he, being full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God, <sup>56</sup> and said, “Look! I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!”

<sup>57</sup> Then they cried out with a loud voice, stopped their ears, and ran at him with one accord; <sup>58</sup> and they cast *him* out of the city and stoned *him*. And the witnesses laid down their clothes at the feet of a young man named Saul. <sup>59</sup> And they stoned Stephen as he was calling on *God* and saying, “Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.” <sup>60</sup> Then he knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, “Lord, do not charge them with this sin.” And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

***12) Being CONTROLLED by the SPIRIT causes you to walk righteously...***

**Rom 8:1-9** THEREFORE, [there is] now no condemnation (no adjudging guilty of wrong) for those who are in Christ Jesus, *who live [and] walk not after the dictates of the flesh, but after the dictates of the Spirit.* [John 3:18.]

2 For the law of the Spirit of life [which is] in Christ Jesus [the law of our new being] has freed me from the law of sin and of death.

3 For God has done what the Law could not do, [its power] being weakened by the flesh [the entire nature of man without the Holy Spirit]. Sending His own Son in the guise of sinful flesh and as an offering for sin, [God] condemned sin in the flesh [subdued, overcame, deprived it of its power over all who accept that sacrifice], [Lev. 7:37.]

4 So that the righteous *and* just requirement of the Law might be fully met in us who live *and* move not in the ways of the flesh but in the ways of the Spirit [our lives governed not by the standards and according to the dictates of the flesh, but controlled by the Holy Spirit].

5 For those who are according to the flesh *and* are controlled by its unholy desires set their minds on *and* pursue those things which gratify the flesh, but those who are according to the Spirit *and* are controlled by the desires of the Spirit set their minds on *and* seek those things which gratify the [Holy] Spirit.

6 Now the mind of the flesh [which is sense and reason without the Holy Spirit] is death [death that comprises all the miseries arising from sin, both here and hereafter]. But the mind of the [Holy] Spirit is life and [soul] peace [both now and forever].

7 [That is] because the mind of the flesh [with its carnal thoughts and purposes] is hostile to God, for it does not submit itself to God's Law; indeed it cannot.

8 So then those who are living the life of the flesh [catering to the appetites and impulses of their carnal nature] cannot please *or* satisfy God, *or* be acceptable to Him.

9 But you are not living the life of the flesh, you are living the life of the Spirit, if the [Holy] Spirit of God [really] dwells within you [directs and controls you]. But if anyone does not possess the [Holy] Spirit of Christ, he is none of His [he does not belong to Christ, is not truly a child of God]. [Rom. 8:14.]