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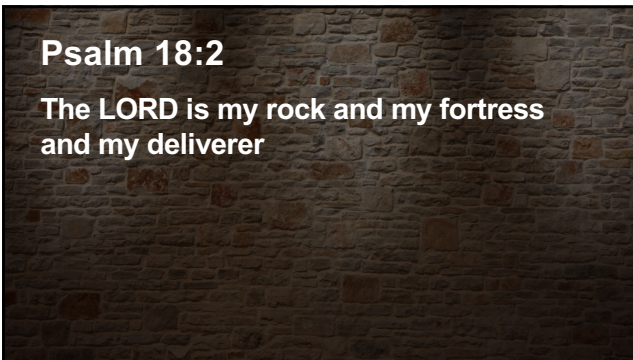
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**John 14:16-26 KJV**

16 And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; 17 Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. 18 I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you.

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**John 14:16-26 KJV**

19 Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also. 20 At that day ye shall know that I am in my Father, and ye in me, and I in you. 21 He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them, he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him, and will manifest myself to him.

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**John 14:16-26 KJV**

22 Judas saith unto him, not Iscariot, Lord, how is it that thou wilt manifest thyself unto us, and not unto the world? 23 Jesus answered and said unto him, If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.

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**John 14:16-26 KJV**

24 He that loveth me not keepeth not my sayings: and the word which ye hear is not mine, but the Father's which sent me.  
25 These things have I spoken unto you, being yet present with you.

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**John 14:16-26 KJV**

26 But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you.

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**Comforter – Greek Parakletos**

paráklētos, par-ak'-lay-tos; an intercessor, consoler:—advocate, comforter.

- summoned, called to one's side, one's aid
- one who pleads another's cause before a judge, a pleader, counsel for defense, an intercessor

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### God in Three Persons

Person	Revelation
God the Father	Adopted Father
God the Son	Jesus as only Begotten Son, Our Brother
God the Holy Spirit	Parakletos Our Helper, Comforter, Teacher, Reminder

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### Ministry of The Holy Spirit

Helper Advocate Counselor	John 14:16 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, 17 even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will beg in you.
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### Ministry of The Holy Spirit

Born Again Regeneration	Eph 1:13-14 ... 13 In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, 14 who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.
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### Ministry of The Holy Spirit

Witness to Our Sonship	Romans 8:15-16 For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" 16 The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,
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### John 14:16 Knox Translation

and then I will ask the Father, and he will give you another to **befriend you**, one who is to dwell continually with you for ever

**He takes responsibility for our welfare**

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### 1 John 4

1 Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world. 2 By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God,

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**1 John 4**

**3** and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already. **4** Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

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**1 John 4**

**5** They are from the world; therefore they speak from the world, and the world listens to them. **6** We are from God. Whoever knows God listens to us; whoever is not from God does not listen to us. By this we know the Spirit of truth and the spirit of error.

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**Dokimazō**

**1.** to test, examine, prove, scrutinize (to see whether a thing is genuine or not), as metals  
**2.** to recognize as genuine after examination, to approve, deem worthy

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### Tests for False Leaders

1. Speak as the world
2. World hears them
3. World accepts them as one of their own

World's Approval is one of several authenticity Tests

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### Authenticity Tests

1. **Biblical:** Talk about the biblical Jesus?
2. **Approval:** Seek approval of God or world?
3. **Love:** Love of the world or love of God
4. **Source:** God, man or the devil

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### Perception Gifts

Gifts	Definition
Distinguishing Spirits	Ability to perceive the spiritual source of words, motives, or actions and to judge accurately between truth and error.
Word of Knowledge	Revelation of certain facts: people, places, things
Word of Wisdom	Revelation pointing to the future, plan or purpose of God

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**Hebrews 5**

**11 About this we have much to say, and it is hard to explain, since you have become dull of hearing. 12 For though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to teach you again the basic principles of the oracles of God. You need milk, not solid food,**

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**Hebrews 5**

**13 for everyone who lives on milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, since he is a child. 14 But solid food is for the mature, for those who have their powers of discernment trained by constant practice to distinguish good from evil.**

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**Romans 8:14-17**

**14 For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. 15 For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!"**

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**Romans 8:14-17**

**16** The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, **17** and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.

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