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## The Holy Spirit

### Welcome!

If you're visiting with us today, we want you to feel welcome and we want you to feel like our honored guest! We also want you to know that all we're interested in here at the Clarksville Church of Christ is the Truth. Jesus said, "You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32. The truth He's talking about is God's word. Jesus said, "Sanctify them by thy truth, Thy word is truth." John 17:17. Therefore we hope you'll appreciate that we'll give you book, chapter and verse from the Bible, the word of God, for everything that we say or do here today, so that everything that we do may bring glory unto God, I Pet. 4:11.

**Read Eph. 4:28-32.** Paul on this occasion, among other things, states that we are to not to "grieve the Holy Spirit...." There is a lot of confusion on the topic of the Holy Spirit. Let's turn to the bible and see if we can understand more clearly the subject of the Holy Spirit.

### I. Who Is The Holy Spirit?

—One Of The Divine Beings That Makes Up The Godhead (God Hood) or Trinity  
Acts 17:29, Rom. 1:20, Col. 2:9, Mt 28:19  
Gen. 1:26; 3:22  
God the Father-Eph. 4:6  
God the Son-Phil. 2:5-6, Heb. 1:8, Jn 1:1ff  
God the Spirit-Acts 5:3-4, Gen. 1:2

### II. Why The Holy Spirit?

—GOD is Holy: I Pet. 1:16  
—Holy Father: Jn 17:11  
—Holy Son Jesus: Acts 4:27-30  
—Holy Spirit: Acts 5:3

### III. Names Define Roles

—God The Father-Sent Jn 3:16, Eph. 1:3-4  
—God The Son-Born/Savior: Mt 1:21, Hb 10:9ff  
—God The Spirit: Revealer of God's Mind  
I Cor. 2:9-16, Eph. 3:3-5, Jn 14:16-17 15:26ff, Jn 16:12-14; 17:17,  
2 Pet. 1:20-21

### IV. Holy Spirit's Manifestation Promised

Joel 2:28-32, Mt 3:11, Mk 1:8, Acts 1:4-5

### V. Why Manifested?

—Guide Into All Truth: Jn 16:13  
—Sign: Joel 2:32, Heb. 2:2-4, Lk 3:15-16

### VI. Misconceptions

—**Holy Spirit Equals Miracles:**  
Lk 1:15, Jn 10:41, I Cor. 12:6-11  
—**Takes Control of Individual:** I Cor. 14:30-33  
—**Miraculous Indwelling:** I Jn 1:8  
—Father: Eph. 4:6  
—Son: Rom. 8:9-11, Gal. 2:20  
—**Holy Spirit Baptism**  
—**Who Was Going to Baptize?**  
—Jesus: Matt 3:11, Acts 1:4-5  
—**Who Was To Be Baptized?**

**The Apostles :** Mk 16:14ff, Jn 14:26, Lk 24:47-49, Acts 1:1-5, 8, 11-12, 15; 2:1-8, 12-21, 33, 37, 42-43, —Acts 8:18-19; 19:4-7