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Developing Spiritual Growth

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LESSON #12 - THE HOLY SPIRIT Pt I

*Is the Holy Spirit a power we desire to attain, a force we seek to use, or someone that emanates God in a fullness through a believer's life? Should we refer to the Holy Spirit as an "it" or is the Holy Spirit personal in character?

I. What is the Holy Spirit?

A. In John 15:26, John 16:7-8,13-14. is the Holy Spirit referred to as He, She, or It? _____

B. How many times did Jesus refer to the Holy Spirit as the above answer in John 16:7-8,13-15? _____

C. What did Jesus symbolize the Holy Spirit as in John 3:5-8? _____

D. How was the Holy Spirit described when He came upon believers in Acts 2:2? _____

E. How was the Holy Spirit given to the disciples in John 20:22? _____

*The Holy Spirit is symbolized as a wind which cannot be seen but the presence of the Spirit is felt like the power of the wind upon a believers life. The Greek word for Spirit is "pneuma." This word is neuter (neither masculine nor feminine) in reference, but Jesus used the masculine pronoun "He" to refer to the Holy Spirit. Jesus placed the masculine gender upon the Holy Spirit to reveal the unity of the Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit. This unfolds the third person of the Godhead.

II. The Personality of the Holy Spirit.

A. Who knows the things of God? (I Corinthians 2:10-11) _____

B. Does the Holy Spirit have a will? (I Corinthians 12:11) _____

C. Does the Holy Spirit have a mind? (Romans 8:27) _____

D. Can the human mind have peace with God without the Holy Spirit? (Romans 8:27) _____
We have learned that knowledge, a will, and a mind are ascribed to the Holy Spirit.

E. What is ascribed to the Holy Spirit in Romans 15:30? _____

F. What personal emotion is ascribed to the Holy Spirit in Ephesians 4:30? _____

All of the above traits, ascribed to the Holy Spirit, reveal the person of the Holy Spirit. He is not an "it", or a "force", but a person.

III. What Does the Holy Spirit Do?

A. The Spirit searches _____
(I Corinthians 2:10)

B. What did the Holy Spirit do in Revelation 2:7? _____

C. Where has the Holy Spirit been sent in Galatians 4:6? _____

D. What does the Holy Spirit make for us in Romans 8:26? _____

E. In John 15:26, the Holy Spirit shall _____ of Jesus Christ.

F. In John 14:26, the Holy Spirit will _____ you all things, and bring all things to your _____.

G. In John 16:12-14, the Holy Spirit will guide you _____, and show you _____.
Who will the Holy Spirit glorify? _____.

H. Who are the sons of God in Romans 8:14? _____

I. Read Acts 13:2; Acts 16:6-7 and Acts 20:28. List 3 things that the Holy Spirit did in each of those passages.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

I. What is the Holy Spirit called in John 14:16,17? _____

*Our wonderful Lord Jesus Christ did not allow us to be left alone after He had gone to the Father. He gave us the "Comforter" - one who is called to our side.

IV. Our Personal Treatment Against the Holy Spirit.

A. In Ephesians 4:25-31, we can _____ the Holy Spirit. List four things in verses 25-29 that would grieve the Holy Spirit:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

B. What did Ananias do to the Holy Spirit in Acts 5:3? _____

C. What is not forgiven of men in Matthew 12:31,32? _____

*The Holy Spirit calls every man to repentance and the forgiveness of sin through the cross of Jesus Christ. If this call to salvation is rejected to the point of death, then blasphemy against the Holy Spirit has been committed and there is no longer an opportunity for the forgiveness of sin, this individual would not inherit the Kingdom of God, would be destined for hell and eternal punishment.

V. The Deity of the Holy Spirit.

*Does the Holy Spirit have the same divine attributes as God the Father and God the Son?

A. The Holy Spirit is _____ in Hebrews 9:14.

B. Is the Holy Spirit present everywhere? _____
(Psalm 139:7-10)

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C. The Holy Spirit is power from the _____
(Luke 1:35)

D. Is the Holy Spirit all knowing? (I Corinthians 2:10,11; John 14:26; John 16:12,13) _____

*God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit are eternal, ever present, all-powerful, and all-knowing.

E. In Job 33:4 and Psalm 104:30, the Holy Spirit _____

Prophecy of the Word spoken by men came from God as they were moved by the _____ (II Peter 1:21)

F. What will the Holy Spirit do in Romans 8:11?

H. In Isaiah 6:8-10, the Lord or Jehovah spoke in the Old Testament. In Acts 28:25-27, who does Paul say spoke this passage in Isaiah? _____

*Jehovah and the Holy Spirit are one.

I. Is the Holy Spirit coupled with the Father and the Son in the following Scriptures? (I Corinthians 12:4-6; Matthew 28:19; II Corinthians 13:14) _____

J. In Acts 5:3,4, Peter said that Ananias didn't lie to men but to _____.

*The Holy Spirit is a personal God, dealing with our lives day by day. Rejoice in the Lord always again I say rejoice for our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, did not leave us alone; but gave us the exact image of God to live within us forever.

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