



“Holy Spirit”

part 2

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Foundation Scripture: **John 16:7-14**

I. **What we have learned**

A. His Name...not what but who

1. **Comforter – Advocate, Intercessor, Consoler (Advocate – one that pleads for or in behalf of another)**
2. **Spirit of Truth – Breath of Truth**
3. **Holy Ghost/Spirit – Holy (Nature of God) / Spirit (Life of God)**
4. Third person of the Trinity (God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit)
– **John 5:7** “There are 3 that bear record in heaven...”

B. 3-fold Purpose

1. **To Glorify Jesus**
2. **To Guide/Lead**
3. **To Empower**

Jesus (The Word) is the Ability of God...The Holy Spirit is the Action that showcases Jesus and His Ability! (That’s what the book of ACTS is all about).

II. Empowered....With What? To Do What? And When?

A. **Matthew 3:11-17 (With What?)**

1. Jesus...Holy Spirit (Dove)...God (voice) – Trinity
2. Empowered with Fire (Lightning) – The Tangible Anointing of God
3. Empowered To Do What?

B. **Acts 1:8 (To Do What?)**

1. To be a witness – this is more than what you have seen or heard God do; this is declaring and “SHOWING” God’s goodness through God’s powerful touch!
 - Are there any witness in the house of God today?
 - The world calls it Show & Tell in school; the Word calls it Preach and Show (**Luke 8:1**)
2. **John 14:12** – The works of God only manifest through the moving of the Holy Spirit (He is the action that showcases the goodness of God!)

C. **Acts 1:8 (And When?)**

1. **After....**
2. **Acts 19:1-7 – After salvation**

D. If it wasn’t important....then why mention it as an addition?

1. **Acts 6:3-5** (Men chosen that were full of wisdom and the Holy Ghost)
2. **Acts 9:17** (Paul chosen to be a vessel filled with the Holy Ghost)
3. **Acts 7:55** (Stephen filled with the Holy Ghost)
4. **Acts 11:24** (Cornelius a good man filled with the Holy Ghost)