

# SUPERNATURAL - Part 2 of 4 Holy Spirit September 28, 2014

And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor to be with you forever- the <u>Spirit of truth</u>. The world cannot accept him, because it neither <u>sees him</u> nor <u>knows him</u>. But you know him, for he <u>lives with you</u> and will be <u>in you</u>. John 14:16-17

But it is actually best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Counselor won't come. If I do go away, he will come because I will send him to you. John 16:7 NLT

## 1) OF SALVATION.

# THE HOLY SPIRIT GIVES YOU THE POWER

Jesus answered, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born of water and <u>the Spirit</u>. 6 Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the <u>Spirit gives birth to spirit</u>. John 3:5-6

The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. Romans 8:16

## 2) TO WALK IN GOD'S WILL.

But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will <u>teach you all things</u> and will <u>remind you of</u> everything I have said to you. John 14:26

When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all truth. John 16:13

#### 3) TO SHARE CHRIST BOLDLY.

My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the <u>Spirit's power</u>, so that your faith might not rest on men's wisdom, but on <u>God's power</u>. 1 Corinthians 2:4-5

*After they prayed, the place where they were meeting was shaken. And they were all filled with the <i>Holy Spirit* and spoke the word of God *boldly.* Acts 4:31

#### 4) TO LIVE A HOLY LIFE.

Those who are dominated by the sinful nature think about sinful things, but those who are controlled by the <u>Holy Spirit</u> think about things that please the Spirit. If your sinful nature controls your mind, there is death. But if the <u>Holy Spirit</u> controls your mind, there is <u>life and peace</u>. Romans 8:5-6 NLT

So I advise you to live according to your <u>new life</u> in the <u>Holy Spirit</u>. Then you won't be doing what your <u>sinful nature craves</u>. The old sinful nature loves to do evil, which is just opposite from what the Holy Spirit wants... These two forces are <u>constantly fighting</u> <u>each other</u>, and your choices are never free from this conflict. Galatians 5:16-17 NLT

# 5) TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE WITH SPIRITUAL GIFTS.

God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and <u>gifts of the Holy Spirit</u> distributed according to his will. Hebrews 2:4

*A spiritual gift is given to <u>each of us</u> as a means of <u>helping the entire church</u>. 1 Corinthians 12:7 NLT* 

## SPIRIT-FILLED ADVICE

# • DON'T **RESIST** THE SPIRIT.

"You stiff-necked people, with uncircumcised hearts and ears! You are just like your fathers: You always <u>resist the Holy Spirit!</u>" Acts 7:51

#### • BE FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT.

Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit. Ephesians 5:18

## **GOD'S PROMISE TO YOU!**

Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the <u>gift of the Holy Spirit</u>. The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off-for all whom the Lord our God will call." Acts 2:38-39