

The Expectation of the Spirit- Jesus' Teaching on the Holy Spirit

Introduction- John the Baptist came preaching that there would be one coming after Him who would baptize not with water, but with the Holy Spirit and fire (Matt 3:11; Mark 1:8; Luke 3:16; John 1:26; 33). Although there is no record of Jesus baptizing anyone with the Holy Spirit during His earthly ministry, we see Him baptizing by the Spirit in the book of Acts those whom are being added to His church (Matt 16:18; 1 Corinthians 12:13). Nevertheless, Jesus had much to say during His earthly ministry concerning the ministry of the Holy Spirit, especially as it relates to His coming after Pentecost (Acts 2).

^{NKJ} **Joel 2:28** “*And it shall come to pass afterward That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your old men shall dream dreams, Your young men shall see visions.*”²⁹ *And also on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out My Spirit in those days.*”

Gospels / Acts of the Apostles

- 1) When in times of persecution, either during the lives of the apostles (Matthew 10:16-22; Luke 12:11-12) or during the future (Mark 13:11- Tribulation period), the “Spirit of your Father” (Matt 10:20) or the “Holy Spirit” (Mark 13:11; Luke 12:11-12) will speak through them the right words to say.
- 2) The power that Jesus exhibited in casting out demons was through the Holy Spirit (Matt 12:28).
- 3) Blasphemy against the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven (Matt 12:31-32; Mark 3:29; Luke 12:10)
- 4) Scripture was given through the Holy Spirit (Matthew 22:43; Mark 12:36)
- 5) Water Baptism for the new believer should be done in the name of Father, Son, Holy Spirit (Matt 28:19)
- 6) Jesus was anointed by the Spirit to preach, heal, proclaim liberty to captives, liberate oppressed (Luke 4:18).
- 7) The Holy Spirit will be given as a gift to those who ask the Father (Luke 11:10-13).
- 8) To even see the kingdom of God, one must be born again by the Spirit (John 3:3-5).
- 9) The Spirit gives life to dead sinners and helps them receive words of life (John 6:61-63; Rom 8:8).
- 10) Those who believe will have rivers of living water flow from them (Holy Spirit; John 7:38-39).
- 11) Jesus foreshadowed the giving of the Holy Spirit by breathing on the apostles (John 20:22).
- 12) The Holy Spirit is called the “Promise of the Father” (Acts 1:4).
- 13) The disciples would be baptized with the Holy Spirit after 10 days (Acts 1:5).
- 14) The Holy Spirit’s ministry brings power to be witnesses (Acts 1:8).

John 14-16

- 1) Jesus will request the Father to send **another (allos) Comforter (Parakletos)**. This can also be translated as Helper, Counselor, Assistant, Advocate (1 John 2:1 in reference to Jesus) or Intercessor (John 14:16)
- 2) The Holy Spirit will remain with you **Forever** (John 14:16).
- 3) He is the Spirit of Truth whom the world cannot receive (1 Cor 2:13-14; John 17:9; James 4:4; 1 John 2:15) and who doesn’t know or see Him (John 14:17).
- 4) The disciples know the Holy Spirit because He has been with them, but will soon be in them (14:17).
- 5) The Advocate will be sent by the Father in Jesus’ name (John 14:26).
- 6) The Holy Spirit will teach them all things and cause them to remember Jesus’ words (14:26).
- 7) The Advocate will be sent by Jesus from the Father (15:26).
- 8) He is the Spirit of Truth who proceeds from the Father and will testify (*martureo*) of Jesus (15:26).
- 9) For the Helper to come Jesus must go away, but if Jesus departs, He will send the Helper (16:7).
- 10) When the Holy Spirit comes, He will convict the world of sin, righteousness, judgment (16:8-9).
- 11) The Spirit of Truth will guide them into all truth, but will speak on another’s authority (16:13; see John 12:49; 14:10 where Jesus does not speak on His own authority either).
- 12) The Spirit of Truth will tell them prophetic things to come (16:13).
- 13) The Spirit of Truth will glorify Jesus and declare Jesus’ words (and the Fathers) to us (16:14-15).