

## Who Is The Holy Spirit?

The Holy Spirit is God.

All of God.

God Close to you – intimate with you.

# What Does The Holy Spirit Do?

The Holy Spirit Makes Us Alive

The Holy Spirit Gives Us A Name And Family

The Holy Spirit Walks With Us Daily -Speaks -Sanctifies -Touches

# Gifts of the Holy Spirit

God expressing His character and work through us.

### Galatians 5:16-25

Contrasting our old self with our new self

We can and should look and act more like God

### 1. What is 'fruit'?

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control."

-Galatians 5:22









The natural result of a growing, healthy new life in the Spirit.

#### 2. Fruit is not a set of rules

"But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law."

-Galatians 5:18

"Against such things there is no law."
-Galatians 5:23

The 'fruit of the Spirit' is not a standard you must meet to be saved or made alive.

The Fruit of the Spirit is what flows from you as you live your new life abiding in Christ.

"You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you."

-John 15:3

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."

-John 15:5

You don't produce fruit of the Spirit to get saved.

You produce fruit of the Spirit because you are saved.

3. There are two paths.

"For the sinful nature desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the sinful nature. They are in conflict with each other"

-Galatians 5:17

Fruit of the old life:

-Galatians 5:19-21

Fruit of the new life:

-Galatians 5:22-23

4. We choose our path.

"Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit."

-Galatians 5:24-25

"Neither can you bear fruit unless you abide in me."

-John 15:4

Abide = remain, dwell, continue, be present

Continuously Live in Christ's Presence

Set Your Mind

-Romans 6:11

-Colossians 3:1-3

Choose Your Path

-Romans 6:13,19

-Colossians 3:5-14

