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GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT: HIS PERSONALITY

- I. The Bible: The Word of God
- 2. The Bible: Inspired of God
- 3. The Bible: Its Subject and Purpose
- 4. The Bible: As a Divine Revelation
- 5. God The Trinity
- 6. God the Father
- 7. God the Son: His Deity and Eternity
- 8. God the Son: His Incarnation
- 9. God the Son: His Substitutionary Death
- 10. God the Son: His Resurrection
- 11. God the Son: His Ascension and Priestly Ministry
- 12. God the Son: His Coming for His Saints
- 13. God the Son: His Coming With His Saints
- 14. God the Holy Spirit: His Personality
- 15. God the Holy Spirit: His Advent
- 16. God the Holy Spirit: His Regeneration
- 17. God the Holy Spirit: His Indwelling and Sealing
- 18. God the Holy Spirit: His Baptism
- 19. God the Holy Spirit: His Filling

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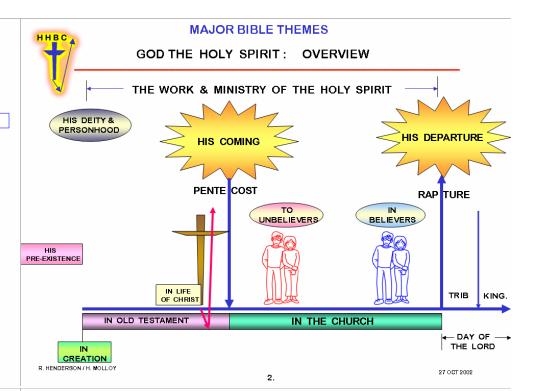


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GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT: HIS MINISTRIES TO THE CHURCH

A. HIS COMPLETED MINISTRIES: (YOUR INCREDIBLE POSITION IN CHRIST) HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU

- B. HIS CONTINUING MINISTRIES: (IN YOUR WALK BY FAITH CONDITION)
 - 1. HE SHARES CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU & THROUGH YOU
 - 2. HE REVEALS CHRIST'S GLORY TO YOU & THROUGH YOU
 - 3. HE GLORIFIES THE FATHER & SON IN YOU & THROUGH YOU





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A. HIS COMPLETED MINISTRIES: (YOUR INCREDIBLE POSITION IN CHRIST)

 HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU - 2 THES 2:13-14; JN 17:22

HE CALLED YOU (TO SHARE IN CHRIST'S GLORY)
 2 THES 2:13-14; ROM 8:30

 HE CHOSE YOU - 2 THES 2:13: EPH 1:4: 1 PET 1:2

 HE REGENERATED YOU - JN 3:3-6; TITUS 3:4-5

 HE BAPTIZED YOU - ROM 6:1-10; 1 COR 12:13; COL 2:11

 HE JUSTIFIED YOU - 1 COR 6:11

 HE SANCTIFIED YOU - 1 COR 6:11: 1 PET 1:2: 2 THES 2:13

 HE CO-ENLIFED YOU - JN 6:63; EPH 2:4-5; ROM 8:9-11; COL 3:4

 HE FREED YOU - ROM 8:2; GAL 5:1

· HE INDWELLS YOU FOREVER - JN 14:16-17: ROM 8:9-11; 1COR 3:16; 6:19

 HE SEALED YOU - 2 COR 1:22; 5:5; EPH 1:13-14; 4:30

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HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU

HE CALLED YOU:

- DEFINITION: TO CALL (KALEO)
 - TO INVITE
 - TO APPOINT
- GENERAL CALL OR INVITATION: - MK 2:17; 1 COR 1:24-26; JN 3:16
 - TO EVERY PERSON (UNBELIEVER)
 - AN INVITATION TO ETERNAL LIFE (HIS GLORY)
 - THE ONLY ACCEPTABLE RESPONSE: IS FAITH - ACTS 16:31; HEB 11:6
 - "FAITH" IN THE PERSON & WORK OF CHRIST
- . SPECIFIC CALL OR APPOINTMENT:
 - ONLY TO THOSE WHO RESPOND BY FAITH:
 - = BELIEVERS ("THE CALLED ONES")
 - · APPOINTED TO:
 - SHARE HIS GLORY

- 2 THES 2:13-14; ROM 8:28-30

· FELLOWSHIP WITH HIM

- 1 COR 1:9

HOLINESS

- 1 THES 4:7

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HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU

HE CHOSE YOU

- DEFINITION: "CHOSE" (EKLEGO)
 - · "TO PICK OUT, TO SELECT, TO ELECT"
- THE FACTS OF HIS CHOOSING (ELECTING) YOU:
 - YOU ARE CHOSEN (ELECTED) BECAUSE YOU ARE "IN CHRIST" - EPH 1:4
 - CHRIST CHOSE YOU YOU DID NOT CHOOSE HIM - JN 15:16: 1 PET 1:1-2
 - GOD CHOSE YOU BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD - EPH 1:4
 - YOU ARE HOLY AND DEARLY LOVED - COL 3:12; 1 THES 1:4
- WE ARE CHOSEN:
 - TO SHARE THE VERY GLORY OF CHRIST
- 2THES 2:13-14; JN 17:22

 OUT OF THE WORLD BY CHRIST TO BE HOLY & BLAMELESS

- JN 2:19 - EPH 1:4

· TO PRAISE HIS GLORY

- EPH 1:4, 12

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HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU

HE REGENERATED YOU

- DEFINITION: "REGENERATION" (PALINGENESIA)
 - . LIT: 'PALIN' = AGAIN. 'GENESIS' = BIRTH, CREATION
 - . TO BE BORN AGAIN, A NEW BIRTH OR NEW CREATION (SPIRITUALLY)
- . WHY IS A NEW BIRTH (SPIRITUAL) NECESSARY?
 - BECAUSE EVERY PERSON IS BORN SPIRITUALLY DEAD

- EPH 2:1-5 - ROM 5:12: 8:3

- JN1:13

- 2 COR 5:17

 EVERYONE IS BORN WITH A SIN NATURE WHICH IS CONDEMNED. MAN MUST BE RECREATED BY A NEW BIRTH (SPIRITUAL)

- JN 3:3; 1 PET 1:23

- . HOW IS THE NEW BIRTH OBTAINED?
 - NOT BY PHYSICAL BLOOD
 - . NOT BY MAN'S WILL
 - BUT BY GOD & THE HOLY SPIRIT THROUGH FAITH IN CHRIST
- JN 1:13 - JN 1:12-13; TITUS 3:5

- · RESULTS OF THE NEW BIRTH (REGENERATION)
 - YOU ARE NO LONGER A CHILD OF SATAN BUT A CHILD OF GOD - JN 8:44; 1:12; GAL 3:26
 - YOU ARE A NEW CREATION IN CHRIST
 - GOD IMPARTS CHRIST'S VERY NATURE (GLORY) TO YOU
 1 PET1:23: 2 COR 5:17: JN 17:22
 - YOU HAVE ETERNAL LIFE

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HE SHARED CHRIST'S GLORY WITH YOU

HE BAPTIZED YOU

•DEFINITION:

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- "BAPTIZE" (BAPTIZO = TO IMMERSE SO AS TO IDENTIFY ONE OBJECT WITH ANOTHER)
- •WHY IS BAPTISM (SPIRITUAL) NECESSARY?
- YOU WERE IDENTIFIED (IN ALIVING UNION) WITH:
 - ADAM ("IN ADAM") AND HIS NATURE (SIN NATURE)
- ROM 5:12 - EPH 2:3

AND A SLAVE TO THE SIN NATURE

- GOD HAD TO TERMINATE YOUR OLD ADAMIC LIFE AND SEPARATE YOU FROM THE POWER OF YOUR SIN NATURE IN ORDER TO FELLOWSHIP WITH HIM
- •WHAT DID CHRIST DO ON THE CROSS FOR YOU?
- HE DIED ON THE CROSS FOR YOUR SINS AS YOUR SUBSTITUTE (1 JN 2:2)
- HE ALSO DIED UNTO SIN (YOUR SIN NATURE) AS YOUR REPRESENTATIVE
- HE TOOK YOU TO THE CROSS WITH HIM SO THAT YOU DIED (WERE SEPARATED) UNTO YOUR SIN NATURE - HE IDENTIFIED YOU IN HIS DEATH
- HE DID NOT FORGIVE, NOR ERADICATE, NOR ANNIHILATE YOUR SIN NATURE
- HOWEVER HE CRUCIFIED YOUR SIN NATURE

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- ROM 6:1-10: 1COR 5:21

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- JN 3:16; 1 JN 5:11-13



HE BAPTIZED YOU (CONT'D)

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- THE MOMENT YOU TRUSTED CHRIST YOU WERE BAPTIZED (IDENTIFIED):

 ROM 6:1-10; COL 2:12; 1 COR 12:13
 - 1. INTO THE PERSON OF CHRIST
 - 2. INTO CHRIST'S DEATH
 - 3. INTO CHRIST'S BURIAL
 - 4. INTO CHRIST'S RESURRECTION
 - 5. INTO CHRIST'S ASCENSION
 - 6. INTO CHRIST'S BODY (THE CHURCH)

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HIS COMPLETED MINISTRIES: VITAL TRUTHS ABOUT THEM

- 1. HIS COMPLETED MINISTRIES TO YOU ARE NOT REPEATABLE
- 2. THEY ARE NOT RETRACTABLE
- 3. THEY ARE ETERNAL
- 4. THEY ARE IMMUTIBLE (UNCHANGEABLE)
- 5. THEY DO NOT DEPEND ON YOUR MERIT OR FAITHFULNESS
- 6. THEY DEPEND ON THE EFFICACY OF THE FINISHED WORK OF CHRIST
- 7. THEY ARE YOUR PERMANENT POSITION IN THE RISEN LORD

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