

WE NEED TO TALK: THE HOLY SPIRIT

MEMORY VERSE:

...to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair. They will be called oaks of righteousness, a planting of the Lord for the display of his splendor (Isaiah 61:3).

SERMON NOTES:

1. The Holy Spirit is GOD .

The Holy Spirit participates in creation (Gen 1:2).

The Holy Spirit participates in salvation (John 3:3-5, 2 Cor 3:17-18, Rom 8:11).

The Holy Spirit participates in judgment (John 16:8).

2. The Holy Spirit is A PERSON .

The Holy Spirit: loves us (Rom 15:30), sanctifies us (Rom 5:16), leads us into battle (Matt 4:1), strengthens us (Eph 4:16), inspires prayer (Eph 6:18), is intelligent (1 Cor 2:11), provides access to God (Eph 2:18), has a mind (Romans 8:27), has a will (1 Cor 12:11), speaks (Acts 8:29-30), is our Comforter (Acts 9:31), reminds us (John 14:26), interprets scripture (1 Cor 2:14), helps us (John 14:26), reminds us of Jesus' words (John 14:26), can be lied to (Acts 5:3), can be insulted (Hebrews 10:29), can be grieved (Eph 4:30-32), and separates us for service (Acts 13:2).

3. The Holy Spirit LIVES IN YOU .

Rom 8:11, John 16:16-17, 1 Cor 3:16

Asking Jesus into your life is as easy as A-B-C

Father, I **A**dmit that I am a sinner and that my sin has brought death and destruction into my life, my relationships with people, and my relationship with God. Romans 3:23, 6:23

I **B**elieve that Jesus died for my sins and that His death paid the penalty for my sins.

Romans 5:8

I **C**onfess or agree that Jesus is Lord, that He died and rose from the dead, and is able to forgive me of my sins. Romans 10:9-10

Jesus, I trust that You love me and can hear my prayer. By faith, I ask You to please forgive me and fill me with the Holy Spirit. I surrender my life to You. I pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.

IF YOU UNDERSTOOD THAT PRAYER AND PRAYED TO ACCEPT JESUS' INVITATION INTO A RELATIONSHIP, TEXT "SAVED" TO 52525.