

Daily Devotional, February 19, 2021

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God the Holy Spirit is very active on earth today. If you are a Christian, He is particularly active in your life in a lot of ways. Please do take the time to look up all eighteen additional Bible references listed next to the points below. Today you can have two for the price of one: a Devotional and a full Bible Study!

1. The Holy Spirit is a Person, not a “force.”
 - a. He teaches (Luke 12:11-12).
 - b. He speaks and calls (Acts 13:2).
 - c. He can be grieved (Ephesians 4:30).
2. The Holy Spirit is a Divine Person..
 - a. He is omnipresent (Psalm 139:7)
 - b. Lying to the Holy Spirit is Lying to God (Acts 5:3-4).
 - c. He is omniscient (1 Corinthians 2:10-11).
 - d. He lives in God’s temple (1 Corinthians 3:16, 6:19).
 - e. He is eternal (Hebrews 9:14).
3. The Holy Spirit is everywhere in the Scriptures.
 - a. He is active in creation (Genesis 1:2).
 - b. He is one Person of the Three Persons which make up the one Triune God (2 Corinthians 13:14).
 - c. He is active in Scripture inspiration (2 Timothy 3:16; 2 Peter 1:21).
 - d. In the Gospel of John, there are two significant passages that tell us of His marvelous work (14:16-26, 16:7-14).
 - i. He guides believers into truth (understanding and application).
 - ii. He points not to Himself, but to the Son in order to glorify Him.
 - iii. He convicts of sin, righteousness, and judgment.
4. There are many other Ministries of God the Holy Spirit.
 - a. He aids God’s people in prayers (Romans 8:26-27).
 - b. He empowers believers for spiritual service (1 Corinthians 12:7).
 - c. He seals Christians, securing their eternal salvation (Ephesians 1:13-14).
 - d. He continually sanctifies believers (Ephesians 5:18, literally in the Greek—“keep on being filled with the Spirit”).