

# WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT THE HOLY SPIRIT

## I. IS THE HOLY SPIRIT A PERSONALITY?

**THE BIBLE SAYS:** JOHN 16:13-14 EPH 4:30; 5:18

### FROM THIS WE LEARN:

1. 9 times the Scriptures refer to the Holy Spirit as a person. Jn 16:13-14
2. Only a personality can be grieved. Eph 4:30
3. "Filled with the Spirit" means controlled by the Spirit. Eph 5:18

## II. WHAT IS THE MINISTRY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

**THE BIBLE SAYS:** ACTS 13:2; 16:6-7 JN 14:26; 16:7-13 EPH 4:30; 1:13

### FROM THIS WE LEARN:

1. He calls people to Christian service & directs them in God's work. Acts 13:2
2. He forbids God's servants from making wrong decisions. Acts 16:6-7
3. He is in charge of the Teaching Ministry. Jn 14:26; 16:12-13
4. He seals & preserves God's believers. Eph 4:30; 1:13
5. He convicts the lost of sin, righteousness, & judgment. Jn 16:7-11

## III. WHAT IS THE EVIDENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT?

**THE BIBLE SAYS:** GAL 5:22-23

### FROM THIS WE LEARN:

1. The controlling power of the Holy Spirit produces character in our life with certain characteristics-- love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, and temperance.