

# **THE HOLY SPIRIT AND HIS HELP**

## **Part 6 - More Help**

**Text: John 14:16-17 NKJ**

### **HE WORKS GODLY CHARACTER IN OUR LIVES**

- The fruit of the Spirit (***Galatians 5:22-23 NKJ***)
  1. Love, Joy, Peace
  2. Longsuffering - patient self control, restraint from taking action towards people (***Colossians 1:11 NKJ***)
  3. Kindness - grace which pervades the whole nature (***Titus 3:4 NKJ***)
  4. Goodness - character energized expressing itself in benevolence (***Ephesians 5:8-9 NKJ***)
  5. Faithfulness - fidelity to a cause or belief (***Titus 2:10 NKJ***)
  6. Self control - the ability to say no (***2 Timothy 1:7 NKJ***)

### **MORE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT'S WORK IN OUR LIVES**

- He convicts us (***John 16:8-11 NKJ***)
  1. Convict; to expose our need for God and that we are separated from Him
  2. Draws us to Jesus and convinces us of our right standing with Him
- He witnesses to us (***Romans 8:16 NKJ***)
  1. Witness - to testify as one who can give a firsthand account, one who furnishes evidence
- He equips us (***1 Corinthians 12:7-11 NKJ***)
  1. Maximizes our usefulness in the Body of Christ
  2. Equips us to help bless and strengthen others
  3. These are not gifts we own, but ways the Holy Spirit shows up through us (***John 16:14 NKJ***)
- He helps us pray (***Romans 8:26 NKJ***)
  1. We are limited in our knowledge of situations - He is unlimited
  2. Praying with His help builds us up (***Jude 20 NKJ***)
- He empowers us (***Acts 1:8 NKJ***)
  1. To be an effective witness for the Lord (***Luke 24:49 NKJ***)