

## Holy Spirit Is Your Supernatural GPS

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Pursuing God is important. It shows the direction and desire of your heart even if you haven't "made it" yet. While you're going after God, give yourself grace with the understanding that Jesus alone causes you to triumph.

- The doing is His workmanship within you.

**10 For we are His workmanship [His own master work, a work of art], created in Christ Jesus [reborn from above—spiritually transformed, renewed, ready to be used] for good works, which God prepared [for us] beforehand [taking paths which He set], so that we would walk in them [living the good life which He prearranged and made ready for us]. (Ephesians 2:10 AMP)**

- Don't get stuck on "are we there yet". Instead, see Jesus walking right with you.
- When Jesus Christ is with you, you're where you're supposed to be.

**16 Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain which Jesus had designated. 17 And when they saw Him, they worshiped Him; but some doubted [that it was really He]. 18 Jesus came up and said to them, "All authority (all power of absolute rule) in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. 19 Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations [help the people to learn of Me, believe in Me, and obey My words], baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 teaching them to observe everything that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always [remaining with you perpetually—regardless of circumstance, and on every occasion], even to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:16-20 AMP)**

- Stop rushing yourself to "get there" and realize that you're already seated with Jesus in Heavenly places.
- When you settle into Jesus, peace flows, grace flows, mercy flows, growth flows and love flows.

**6 And He raised us up together with Him [when we believed], and seated us with Him in the heavenly places, [because we are] in Christ Jesus, 7 [and He did this] so that in the ages to come He might [clearly] show the immeasurable and unsurpassed riches of His grace in [His] kindness toward us in Christ Jesus [by providing for our redemption]. (Ephesians 2:6-7 AMP)**

- As you understand that Holy Spirit is overseeing your life, if you surrender to His leadings, you'll experience God's will.
- Holy Spirit will always point us back in the right direction when we get off course if we listen.
- Holy Spirit will make U-Turns with you all day but that doesn't mean He should have to.
- Did you know that Holy Spirit is actually in you to serve you. Wait what!? Is that not what Jesus came to do? Holy Spirit is here to carry on the ministry of Jesus Christ in our personal lives.
- Holy Spirit is here to be as personal with us as if Jesus Christ was with us "in the flesh".
- Did you know the Holy Spirit is your #1 prayer Partner? He is! Romans 8:26-28 shares this understanding with us.

**26 In the same way the Spirit [comes to us and] helps us in our weakness. We do not know what prayer to offer or how to offer it as we should, but the Spirit Himself [knows our need and at the right time] intercedes on our behalf with sighs and groanings too deep for words. 27 And He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because the Spirit intercedes [before God] on behalf of God's people in accordance with God's will. 28 And we know [with great confidence] that God [who is deeply concerned about us] causes all things to work together [as a plan] for good for those who love God, to those who are called according to His plan and purpose. (Romans 8:26-28 AMP)**

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- When Holy Spirit prays in you, it is for you.
- When you can't pray, He is making intercession and then Jesus Christ takes it and mediates for you at the throne of God and then God honors their requests. All day, every day.
- Your spirit, joined with Holy Spirit, can pray independently of your mind, although your mind is dependent on the Spirit.

<sup>9</sup> but just as it is written [in Scripture], "THINGS WHICH THE EYE HAS NOT SEEN AND THE EAR HAS NOT HEARD, AND WHICH HAVE NOT ENTERED THE HEART OF MAN, ALL THAT GOD HAS PREPARED FOR THOSE WHO LOVE HIM [who hold Him in affectionate reverence, who obey Him, and who gratefully recognize the benefits that He has bestowed]." <sup>10</sup> For God has unveiled them and revealed them to us through the [Holy] Spirit; for the Spirit searches all things [diligently], even [sounding and measuring] the [profound] depths of God [the divine counsels and things far beyond human understanding]. <sup>11</sup> For what person knows the thoughts and motives of a man except the man's spirit within him? So also no one knows the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God. <sup>12</sup> Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the [Holy] Spirit who is from God, so that we may know and understand the [wonderful] things freely given to us by God. <sup>13</sup> We also speak of these things, not in words taught or supplied by human wisdom, but in those taught by the Spirit, combining and interpreting spiritual thoughts with spiritual words [for those being guided by the Holy Spirit]. <sup>14</sup> But the natural [unbelieving] man does not accept the things [the teachings and revelations] of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness [absurd and illogical] to him; and he is incapable of understanding them, because they are spiritually discerned and appreciated, [and he is unqualified to judge spiritual matters]. <sup>15</sup> But the spiritual man [the spiritually mature Christian] judges all things [questions, examines and applies what the Holy Spirit reveals], yet is himself judged by no one [the unbeliever cannot judge and understand the believer's spiritual nature]. <sup>16</sup> For WHO HAS KNOWN THE MIND and PURPOSES OF THE LORD, SO AS TO INSTRUCT HIM? But we have the mind of Christ [to be guided by His thoughts and purposes]. (1 Corinthians 2:9-16 AMP)

- When you pray both the Word of God or in tongues, you are praying in the spirit.

But you beloved, build yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit. (Jude v20)

<sup>17</sup> And take THE HELMET OF SALVATION, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God. <sup>18</sup> With all prayer and petition pray [with specific requests] at all times [on every occasion and in every season] in the Spirit, and with this in view, stay alert with all perseverance and petition [interceding in prayer] for all God's people. (Ephesians 6:17-18 AMP)

**2 For one who speaks in an unknown tongue does not speak to people but to God; for no one understands him or catches his meaning, but by the Spirit he speaks mysteries [secret truths, hidden things]. 3 But [on the other hand] the one who prophesies speaks to people for edification [to promote their spiritual growth] and [speaks words of] encouragement [to uphold and advise them concerning the matters of God] and [speaks words of] consolation [to compassionately comfort them]. 4 One who speaks in a tongue edifies himself; but one who prophesies edifies the church [promotes growth in spiritual wisdom, devotion, holiness, and joy]. 5 Now I wish that all of you spoke in unknown tongues, but even more [I wish] that you would prophesy. The one who prophesies is greater [and more useful] than the one who speaks in tongues, unless he translates or explains [what he says], so that the church may be edified [instructed, improved, strengthened]. (1 Corinthians 14:2-5 AMP)**

- When praying in the spirit with Holy Spirit, your mind receives wisdom, training and understanding.
- The faith from within your heart activates Holy Spirit's working within your spirit.
- Praying in the Spirit creates the will of God. Jesus Christ can only operate within the will of God.
- Although He might "feel for you" or have compassion over your situation, you must get in agreement with God and believe and say what He agrees with. HIS WORD AND HIMSELF.
- Being with Jesus Christ in your heart, mind, words and actions arm you in the natural with the supernatural.
- God's plan for you is in the Spirit. You and I must communicate with Holy Spirit as He communicates with Jesus, Who in return releases the will of God.
- The spirit realm does not wait on time, it moves by faith.
- Because we are under time, we must pray in the Spirit to cause our lives to catch up to what Jesus Christ provided for us about 2,000 years ago at the Cross and resurrection.

- We are 2,000 years behind at any given point in our spiritual walk but Holy Spirit isn't.
- This is why as we connect with Him, He can move us forward in our health, healing, prosperity, repentance, guidance, understanding, boldness, etc.
- All of this comes about because of our relationship with God, but Holy Spirit desires to show us this because of our fellowship with Him.

Because we only know in part according to I Corinthians 13, the Holy Spirit prays the part we don't know as we pray in the Spirit. We placed a thought of limitation with that Scripture but in chapter 14, Paul shares how we can pray in the Spirit and receive His understanding that we can't understand with just our mind.

- An exchange takes place when you pray in the Spirit or get around someone who can for/with you.
- Praying in the Spirit will cost your mind something...lack of understanding – but the Holy Spirit makes up the difference as He prays through you.
- As Holy Spirit prays through you, He directs you. Take time to listen and then respond accordingly.
- There is no excuse for us to live in confusion and with lack of direction.
- When you pray, know the Word and place yourself around Holy Spirit activated people, God will speak to you, every time!
- Holy Spirit gives you step by step directions, instructions and impartation to fulfill God's plan in your life.

**105 Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.  
(Psalm 119:105)**

**and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. (Ephesians 6:17b)**