

Sermon: The Coming of the Holy Spirit
Scripture: John 14:15-24

Introduction

- I. Those who love Christ, obey Christ and receive the Spirit (vs. 15,16,21,23,24; John 3:17-21; Eph. 2:1,2; I Cor. 2:14).
- II. The Spirit comes to abide forever with and in those to whom He is given (vs. 16,17,21,23; 15:26; 16:13,14).
- III. The Spirit comes to continue in Christ's place among those to whom He is given (vs. 16,17; 14:6; 17:17).
- IV. Questions
 - A. How do I know the Spirit is with me and in me? (vs. 15,16,23; Romans 8; I Cor. 2:12,13).
 - B. How is the Holy Spirit my Helper, Friend, and Spirit of truth?
- V. Additional application of the Spirit's work:
 - A. Some differences between today and Acts
 - B. The leading of the Spirit
 - C. Spirit-filled preachers, people, churches
 - D. Inattentive Christians
 - E. Experience seekers instead of God seekers