

THE HOLY SPIRIT IN EPHESIANS

I. The Identity of the Holy Spirit

1. 1:13 The marking seal that authenticates that we are God's possessions.
2. 1:14 The deposit guaranteeing our inheritance.
3. 1:17 The Spirit of wisdom and revelation who enables us to better know the Father.
4. 2:18; 3:4-6; 4:4 The one who, through Christ, enables Gentiles and Jews to have the same access to the Father.
5. 2:21, 22 The one who builds all believers together corporately as God's holy temple.
6. 3:16 The one who strengthens believers with power in their inner being.

II. The Gifts of the Spirit

Ephesians 4:7, 8, 11-13

Romans 12:3-8

1 Corinthians 12:1-13

1 Peter 4:8-11

III. Commands for Believers Concerning the Spirit

1. 4:3 Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit.
2. 4:30 Do not grieve the Spirit.
3. 5:18-21 Be filled with the Spirit.
4. 6:17 Take the sword of the Spirit which is the Word of God.
5. 6:18 Pray in the Spirit.