

The Purpose of the Holy Spirit in our lives:

"I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one can come to the Father except through me." John 14:6 NLT

1. The Holy Spirit _____ us.

"And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counselor, who will never leave you." John 14:16 NLT

"But I tell you that I am going to do what is best for you. That is why I am going away. The Holy Spirit cannot come to help you until I leave. But after I am gone, I will send the Spirit to you." John 16:7 CEV

"He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth." John 14:17 NLT

"Your own ears will hear him. Right behind you a voice will say, 'This is the way you should go,' whether to the right or to the left." Isaiah 30:21 NLT

2. The Holy Spirit _____ us.

"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you." John 14:18 NLT

"I am leaving you with a gift—peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid." John 14:27 NLT

"I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13 NLT

Our hope is limited when we don't have our hope in an _____ God.

3. The Holy Spirit _____ us.

"But now I am going away to the One who sent me, and not one of you is asking where I am going. ⁶ Instead, you grieve because of what I've told you. ⁷ But in fact, it is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate won't come. If I do go away, then I will send him to you. ⁸ And when he comes, he will convict the world of its sin, and of God's righteousness, and of the coming judgment. ⁹ The world's sin is that it refuses to believe in me. John 16:5-9 NLT

Why Are So Many People Living a Spirit-less Life?

1. We are _____ of the Holy Spirit.

"Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?" "No," they replied, "we haven't even heard that there is a Holy Spirit." Acts 19:2, 3 NLT

2. We are _____ the Holy Spirit.

"You stubborn people! You are heathen at heart and deaf to the truth. Must you forever resist the Holy Spirit?" Acts 7:51 NLT

Why Are We Not Sensing His Presences?

1. Maybe your life is too _____.

"And when you are brought to trial in the synagogues and before rulers and authorities, don't worry about how to defend yourself or what to say, ¹² for the Holy Spirit will teach you at that time what needs to be said."
Luke 12:11-12 NLT

2. Maybe your life is too _____.

"Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed." Mark 1:35