

# Who is He?

*Worksheet for Robert Morris*

*The God I Never Knew - Episode 1*

## Pre-Reading

Read John chapters 14, 15 & 16.

## The Holy Spirit is My Helper

1. **John 14:16-17** – *“<sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. <sup>17</sup> He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth. The world cannot receive him, because it isn’t looking for him and doesn’t recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you”*
  - a. The Holy Spirit is a He, a Him, He is NEVER referenced in the Bible as an IT
  - b. You have to see HIM as a **PERSON** in order to have a **PERSONAL** relationship with him.
2. **John 14:25-26** - *“<sup>25</sup> I am telling you these things now while I am still with you. <sup>26</sup> But when the Father sends the Advocate as my representative—that is, the Holy Spirit—he will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you.”*
3. **John 15:26** - *<sup>26</sup> “But I will send you the Advocate<sup>[a]</sup>—the Spirit of truth. He will come to you from the Father and will testify all about me..”*
4. **John 16:7, 12-13** , *“<sup>7</sup> 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. ... “<sup>12</sup> “There is so much more I want to tell you, but you can’t bear it now. <sup>13</sup> When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own but will tell you what he has heard. He will tell you about the future.”*
  - a. It is not an argument, Jesus tells us that the Holy Spirit speaks.
5. Jesus said the Holy Spirit will come alongside you. HE will **CONSOLE** you, **INTERCEDE** for you, and HE will be your **ADVOCATE**
6. The Holy Spirit is for our use. He wants to **EMPOWER** us and **ENABLES** us.

How many of us have a (spiritual) Comforter that is just for looks and not to use...

## Who is The Holy Spirit

1. HE is my Helper.

- a. He helps us with what we should say or what we **SHOULDN'T** say.
- b. **John 16:8** - “<sup>8</sup> And when he comes, he will convict the world of its sin, and of God’s righteousness, and of the coming judgment”
  - i. **3 ways the Holy Spirit helps us - Convicts of Sin, Righteousness, & Judgement**

1. **John 16:9** - “<sup>9</sup> *The world’s sin is that it refuses to believe in me*”

- a. HE convicts of sin because if you don't believe you are a **SINNER** then you never need a **SAVIOR**
- b. **1 Corinthians 12:3** - “<sup>3</sup> *So I want you to know that no one speaking by the Spirit of God will curse Jesus, and no one can say Jesus is Lord, except by the Holy Spirit.*”

2. **John 16:10** - “<sup>10</sup> *Righteousness is available because I go to the Father; and you will see me no more*”

- a. Another definition of convict is to convince of an error.
- b. The Holy Spirit wants to convince you that you're Righteousness, or in right standing with God.

3. **John 16:11** - “<sup>11</sup> *Judgment will come because the ruler of this world has already been judge*”

- a. The ruler of this world will be **JUDGED**
- b. **John 12:31** - “<sup>31</sup> *The time for judging this world has come, when Satan, the ruler of this world, will be cast out*”
- c. **John 14:30** – “<sup>30</sup> I don’t have much more time to talk to you, because the ruler of this world approaches. He has no power over me”
- d. The Holy Spirit **CONVINCES** you of your need for a savior, makes you **RIGHT STANDING** with God, and Satan no longer has any **AUTHORITY** over you.

2. HE is my Friend.

- a. He isn’t weird. (1 in 3 people are weird)
- b. You can be a normal person and believe in the person and power of the Holy Spirit.
- c. Who do you think makes people afraid of the Holy Spirit?
- d. Exchange evidence with benefits.

- i. Power to witness
  - ii. Love
  - iii. Fruit of the Spirit
  - iv. Gifts of the Spirit
3. HE is my God.
- a. Trinity all together separately in one place
    - i. **John 14:16** - *“<sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate,<sup>[a]</sup> who will never leave you”*
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    - iii. **John 15:26** - *“<sup>26</sup> “But I will send you the Advocate<sup>[a]</sup>—the Spirit of truth. He will come to you from the Father and will testify all about me*
    - iv. **Luke 3:22** - *“<sup>22</sup> and the Holy Spirit, in bodily form, descended on him like a dove. And a voice from heaven said, “You are my dearly loved Son, and you bring me great joy.”*
    - v. **Act 5:3-4** - *“<sup>3</sup> Then Peter said, “Ananias, why have you let Satan fill your heart? You lied to the Holy Spirit, and you kept some of the money for yourself. <sup>4</sup> The property was yours to sell or not sell, as you wished. And after selling it, the money was also yours to give away. How could you do a thing like this? You weren’t lying to us but to God!.”*
  - 1. This scripture proves the Holy Spirit is God.

## Memorable Verse

**Hebrews 8:12** - <sup>12</sup> *“And I will forgive their wickedness, and I will never again remember their sins”*