

What Spirit Is It or Are You In?

MANY KINDS OF SPIRITS

- Spirit of God (Holy Ghost)
- Spirit of Jesus (his perfected human spirit)
- Spirit of angels (third heaven angelic beings)
- Spirit of Body of Christ (spirit of Christ & adoption)
- Spirit of holiness (new cleanliness)
- Spirit of Adam (humanity's natural life force)
- Spirit of the world (influence of worldliness)
- Spirit of the prophets (own personal, from God)
- Spirits of all flesh (natural life force)
- Evil spirits (familiar, unclean, wicked - can be cast out)
- Spirits of devils (evil influence of devils)

SPIRITUAL SENSES

When we are conceived again by God's spirit, he begins to form five new senses within us by which we can become "alive" to God and aware of the invisible spiritual world.

MAT 13:16
EPH 1:18
JOH 14:8,9
1 JO 3:6
3 JO 1:11
SON 2:13
SON 5:13
PSA 45:8
PHP 4:18
PSA 34:8
PSA 119:103
SON 2:3
LUK 9:27
HEB 2:9
LUK 14:24
ISA 6:5-7
PSA 105:15
ACT 17:27
2 CO 6:16-18
2 CO 4:18

Soul is awareness

The soul is that part of us which is AWARE of our surroundings and manifests as thought, emotion and will. Our natural five senses of seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting and touching serve as doors to our soul. However, we cannot become aware of God through our natural senses because we cannot SEE, HEAR, SMELL, TASTE or TOUCH God. Our soul is "dead" or unaware of God.

EPH 2:1
COL 2:13
EZE 12:2
PSA 115:6

SPIRIT OF GOD IS THE HOLY GHOST

The Holy Ghost, also called the Spirit of God is the personal Spirit of our heavenly Father. God's own Spirit is the source of all life, both natural and spiritual. Natural life is a loan from God. Spiritual life is a gift.

MAT 1:18-20
MAT 10:20
MAT 13:11
JOH 14:17
JOH 16:13
ACT 1:5-8
ACT 2:4-18,38
ACT 13:2-9
ACT 16:6
ACT 20:23
ROM 8:9,11-14
1 JO 4:2
HEB 12:9
GEN 1:2
JOB 34:12-15
ISA 11:1,2

SPIRIT OF JESUS (PERSONAL)

This is Jesus' own personal human spirit which he received along with his body through Mary. He did not fall as Adam did, so he kept his spirit pure and in submission to the Holy Ghost as he grew up into his Father in all things. Finally, on the cross, he yielded it up into the hands of his Father to eventually send it into the hearts of God's chastened children. This is then the true spirit of the true Body of Christ.

MAR 2:8
JOH 13:21
LUK 23:46
PSA 31:5,6
MAT 27:50
ACT 16:6,7 "spirit" is "spirit of Jesus" in Greek

SPIRITS OF ANGELS (ANGELIC BEINGS)

NUM 22:30-33
JUG 13:3
2 CH 18:18-20
LUK 2:9-15
JOB 4:15-17
MAT 14:26
LUK 24:37
HEB 1:13,14
PSA 104:4
1 PE 1:12

SPIRIT OF ADOPTION (PLACE IN BODY OF CHRIST)

The "spirit" of adoption is not the adoption. It is Jesus' spirit. We recognize the spirit of adoption because it always loves God and obeys God. It cries, "Abba, Father" when it comes into us, and our spirit then cries also, "Abba, Father." In this way we witness that we are sons of God. This spirit does not seek to live by the flesh, but only the Holy Ghost.

HEB 12:7
GAL 4:4-6

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ROM 8:9,10,15-17
COL 1:27
GAL 4:19
PHP 1:19,20
ACT 16:7
1 PE 1:11
1 CO 12:24-27
ROM 8:26,27,34
HEB 2:17,18
HEB 7:25
1 TI 2:5

OUR NEW SPIRIT (conceived and born of God)

JOH 3:6
ROM 1:9
JAN 4:23
ROM 7:6
PSA 51:10
1 CO 14:14
ROM 12:11
1 TH 5:23
HEB 12:23
ACT 7:59
1 CO 5:4,5
2 CO 7:1
2 CO 2:13
DAN 2:3
GEN 45:27
1 CO 16:18
GAL 6:18
2 TI 4:22
PHM 25
1 PE 3:19

SPIRIT OF ADAM (humanity - natural life)

JOB 32:8
ZEC 12:1
1 CO 2:11
JAM 4:5
PRO 16:32
PRO 20:27
JOH 1:9
LUK 8:55
MAT 12:43-45
PRO 6:16-19

SPIRIT OF ALL FLESH

NUM 16:22
NUM 27:16

SPIRIT OF PROPHETS

EZE 13:1,2
1 JO 4:6
1 JO 4:1-3
EPH 2:2

EVIL SPIRITS

DEU 13:1,2
1 SA 16:17
1 KI 22:22
ISA 19:14
JER 14:16
EZE 14:9
1 TH 2:11
1 TI 4:1
2 TI 2:20
REV 18:2

SPIRITS OF DEVILS

MAT 8:16
MAT 10:1
MAR 16:17
MAR 3:11
MAR 1:23-27
MAR 5:2-13
MAR 9:17-25
ACT 8:7
ACT 19:12-16
REV 16:13,14

SPIRIT OF THE WORLD

1 CO 2:11,12

SPIRIT OR DISPOSITION

NUM 14:24
PSA 32:2
PSA 34:18
PSA 51:10-17
PRO 15:13
PRO 16:32
PRO 17:27,28
PRO 20:27
PRO 25:28
ECC 7:8-10
ISA 66:2
JOH 4:23,24
1 CO 7:34
2 CO 7:1
1 TH 5:23
HEB 12:23
1 PE 3:4
MAT 5:3

BREATH AND SPIRIT

JOB 12:10
JOB 34:14
JOB 33:4
PSA 146:4
ISA 42:5
ZEC 12:1
ROM 1:9
1 CO 7:34