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> **DEFINITION:** (According to A W Tozer)

The Holy Spirit:

- We are surrounded by a material world right from child hood (milk, bed, mother, etc)
- Matter presses upon us so impressively and takes over our thinking so completely that we can't speak of spirit without using materialistic terms.
- Material things have characteristics like weight, dimensions, shapes, outlines, etc which can be measured, however small. This is one mode of existing.
- Matter simply bumps against matter, it cannot penetrate each other.
- The example of snow, water and vapour is wrong about the trinity.

>>WHAT HE IS:

- 1. The Holy Spirit is a Being dwelling in another mode of existence. He has no weight, no measure, no size, no color, and no extension in space.
- 2. He is a person with qualities and powers of personality. He is not matter. He is substance. He is not wind or breath since these are non personal and non individual things.



3. He has will, intelligence, feeling, knowledge, sympathy and ability to love, see, think, hear, speak, desire and many other things which qualify a person.

>>WHO HE IS:

- He is God: Matt. 28:18; John 4:24
- He is equal to the Father and the Son. 1John 5:7
- He is every where. Psalm 139:7 8
- He is eternal. Heb. 9:14
- He is indivisible with the Father and the Son.

>> How To Cultivate His Companionship:

- 1. He is a person He should be wooed in prayer: Amos 3:3; Luke 11:13
- 2. He comes to those who glorify Jesus: John 7:37
- 3. He comes to those who will just believe in Him: Acts 19:1ff

>>THE WORK OF THE HOLY SPIRIT: (IN THE OLD TESTAMENT):

- He was there in the creation of the world: Gen. 1:2
- He empowers God's servants and prophets: Judges 14:6
- There was no ruler in Israel sent by God without the Holy Spirit: 1 Sam. 16:10

(IN THE NEW TESTAMENT):



- He comforts, teaches and abides with us for ever: John 14:16 – 18, 26
- He replaces Jesus, reproves the un saved of sin, righteousness, and of judgment: John 16:7 – 12
- He guides the church into all the truth and speaks the words of Jesus: John 16: 13 – 15
- He empowers the church with power of the highest for ministry: Luke 24:49; John 20:21 – 23; Acts 1:8

>>THE ANOINTING OF GOD:

Definition:

- It is the power of God which comes upon someone for God's work. Luke 4:18
- It is like to rub or smear oil on someone. In this case, the Spirit of God is rubbed on us ('Mashiyach'- Heb. It means to rub on). This is the power that makes things to happen.
- It is the power that manifests miracles and wonders. It is not falling or screaming



>>THERE ARE TWO KINDS OF ANOINTING:

2. The Anointing Within: John 14:16 – 17; 1 John 2:27; 1Cor. 2: 9ff; 2Cor.1:21; Eph. 1:19. It is for revealing to us the things of God, bringing revelation and understanding, guidance and comfort.

>>THE ANOINTING IS IN 3 LEVELS:

- **1. Well level:** John 4:14; Lev. 14:15-18; Ezek.47:1-3. It comes by accepting the Lord Jesus. All leprosy is washed away. This is the first encounter with the Holy Spirit.
- **2. River level:** John 7:37; John 20: 21. It is a priestly anointing and a loin level Ezek.47:4.
- **3. Rain level:** Acts 2:1-4; Joel 2:28. It is a kingly anointing. It is the swimming level Ezek. 47:5.



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