

Who Is the Spirit?  
John 14:12,16-26



“Well, I don't know what will happen now; we've got some difficult days ahead. But it really doesn't matter to me now, because I've been to the mountaintop. And I don't mind. Like anybody, I would like to live a long life; longevity has its place. But I'm not concerned about that now. I just want to do God's will. And He's allowed me to go up to the mountain. And I've looked over, and I've seen the Promised Land. I may not get there with you. But I want you to know tonight, that we, as a people, will get to the Promised Land. And so I'm happy tonight; I'm not worried about anything; I'm not fearing any man. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord.

—Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

**GOOD MORNING**

Although the area skies will clear today, the weather will be clouded by a chilly spell.

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# King Shot to Death in Memphis

## Relief Forces Push Close to Khe Sanh

SAIGON (AP)—A U.S. task force pressed close to the Marine combat base at Khe Sanh on Friday, the fifth day of a drive to lift the long siege of the battered fortress in South Vietnam's northwest corner.

## Reports Say McKeithen May Ask Fee

Gov. McKeithen may ask the legislature to raise the automobile license tag fee without proposing a constitutional amendment, the attorney general's office said Thursday.

First Asst. Atty. Gen. Carroll Buck said in an opinion requested by the governor that the Legislature may legally impose a license tax in excess of the \$3 now charged annually.

The opinion added that all additional revenue from the tax must go into the long-range highway fund.

The ruling cleared the way for McKeithen to ask lawmakers for a plan to finance a massive new road building program planned by the department.

Highway officials are calling for \$70 million in new funds annually to finance their program. The governor recently pro-

At last report, lead elements of the relief force were within half a mile Thursday night of the Khe Sanh perimeter and were poised for a final push.

The relief force has met only light opposition from artillery and mortar fire since jumping off from Ca La, 12 miles away, on Monday. Soviet reports in London said Thursday that the North Vietnamese were beginning to withdraw as a good-will gesture, but there was no confirmation from Hanoi.

Another reason advanced for the lack of sizeable opposition was the incessant American bombing by planes and from artillery in Khe Sanh itself, of North Vietnamese positions during the past three months.

In other developments early Friday:

Allied military spokesman said the Viet Cong shelled 11 U.S. and South Vietnamese military positions Thursday night and early Friday. The targets, ranging the length of the country, included the big Tan Son Nhut air base on Saigon's outskirts. The heaviest shelling was at a U.S. Army base camp



**DR. KING SLAIN**—Dr. Martin Luther King was killed Thursday in Memphis, Tenn., in a downtown hotel. He was taken to a Memphis hospital after being shot in the neck and was pronounced dead. —AP wirephoto

## Curfew Reimposed; Guard Sent Back

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—Nobel Laureate Martin Luther King Jr., father of non-violence in the American Civil Rights movement, was killed by an assassin's bullet Thursday night.

King, 39, was hit in the neck by a bullet as he stood on the balcony of a motel here. He died less than an hour later in St. Joseph Hospital.

Gov. Buford Ellington immediately ordered 4,000 National Guard troops back into the city. A curfew, which was clamped on Memphis after a King-led march turned into a riot a week ago, was reimposed.

## Louisiana Negroes React

By BARRY ZANDER

The death of Dr. Martin Luther King will "definitely put a strain on Louisiana race relations" was the opinion Thursday night expressed by Emmitt Douglas, leader of the state chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, and echoed by many civil rights movement leaders around the

Police said incidents of violence, including several fire bombings were reported following King's death.

The 1964 Nobel Peace Prize winner, was standing on the balcony of his motel here, where he had come to lead protests in behalf of the city's 1,300 striking garbage workers, most of them Negroes, when he was shot.

Two unidentified men who were arrested were released several hours later.

As word of King's death spread through the stunned city, Negroes in scattered areas also looted stores, stoned police and fire trucks and tossed several fire bombs. Two policemen were injured, mainly by flying glass when a shotgun blast

## LBJ Postpones Trip to Hawaii

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Johnson, preparing for a weekend Vietnam strategy conference in Honolulu, delayed his departure overnight Thursday because of the assassination in Memphis of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King.

The President went before television cameras and radio microphones to declare America is "shocked and saddened" by the tragedy. He condemned violence, lawlessness and divisiveness.

Johnson goes to Honolulu amid growing emotion here about the prospects of preliminary peace talks.

The White House did not indicate whether Johnson would

change his earlier plan to meet at March Air Force Base, Calif., to talk with former President Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The original plan called for Johnson also to meet in Hawaii Sunday with South Korea's president, Chung Hee Park.

Earlier in the day, Hanoi charged that American planes bombed a North Vietnamese

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## Governor, HHH Hold Confidential Talk

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Gov. McKeithen revealed Thursday he had a private, half-hour telephone conversation with Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey, but their discussion was "confidential."

The governor would not say if a possible Humphrey-McKeithen ticket for president was in the making. However, he said, "I certainly would consider being a vice presidential candidate with Humphrey."

## Satellite Is Hurling Into Wrong Orbit

Fifty years after King's assassination, struggles for racial equality appear as acute now as they did then, except the juxtapositions between signs of racial progress and the reality of continued racial injustice are even more stark. The "post-racial" symbolism in the election of Barack Obama as the nation's first black president existed uneasily alongside the harsh reality of mass incarceration of black and brown men and women, boys and girls.

—Washington Post

“I’m telling you the truth. It is for your benefit that I go away, because if I do not go, the Helper will not come to you. But if I do go away, then I will send him to you.”

(John 16:7)

He is the Spirit of truth. The world is unable to receive Him because it doesn't see Him or know Him. But you do know Him, because He remains with you and will be in you.

(John 14:17)

“My Spirit inside you is better than me beside you.”



He's the friend we need to lead us into the life  
and love we're looking for.

“He is”

The Holy Spirit is not a force to be wielded  
but rather God to be worshipped.

And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Counselor to be with you forever. 17 He is the Spirit of truth. The world is unable to receive Him because it doesn't see Him or know Him. But you do know Him, because He remains with you and will be in you. 18 I will not leave you as orphans; I am coming to you.

(John 14:16-18)

### **1. The Spirit teaches and reminds.**

John 14:26, “the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.

### **2. The Spirit speaks.**

Acts 8:29, “the Spirit said to Philip, ‘Go over and join this chariot.’”

Acts 13:2, “While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, ‘Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.’”

### **3. The Spirit makes decisions.**

Acts 15:28, “it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us to lay on you no greater burden than these requirements.”

#### **4. The Spirit can be grieved.**

Ephesians 4:30, “do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

#### **5. The Spirit can be outraged.**

Hebrews 10:29, “How much worse punishment, do you think, will be deserved by the one who has . . . outraged the Spirit of grace?”

#### **6. The Spirit can be lied to.**

Acts 5:3, 4, “why has Satan filled your heart to lie to the Holy Spirit? . . . You have not lied to men but to God”

## **7. The Spirit can forbid or prevent human speech and plans.**

Acts 16:6-7, “they went through the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been forbidden by the Holy Spirit to speak the word in Asia. And when they had come up to Mysia, they attempted to go into Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus did not allow them.”

## **8. The Spirit searches everything and comprehends God’s thoughts.**

1 Corinthians 2:10-11, “the Spirit searches everything, even the depths of God. . . . no one comprehends the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God.”

## **9. The Spirit apportions spiritual gifts.**

1 Corinthians 12:11, “the same Spirit . . . apportions [spiritual gifts] to each one individually as he wills.”

### **10. The Spirit helps us, intercedes for us, and has a mind.**

Romans 8:26-27, “the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.”

### **11. The Spirit bears witness to believers about their adoption.**

Romans 8:16, “The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God.”

### **12. The Spirit bears witness to Christ.**

“But when the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness about me.

### **13. The Spirit glorifies Christ, takes what is Christ, and declares it to believers.**

John 16:14, “He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you.”



He is the friend we need...

“The Paraklete” (Gr.)= “Advocate,” “Comforer,” “Consoler” or “helper.” One who comes alongside to defend and comfort and speak up for and help a person in their weakness—especially in critical situations.”

The Holy Spirit is the True Friend.

John 14:15-17

“If you love Me, you will keep My commands. 16 And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Counselor to be with you forever. 17 He is the Spirit of truth. The world is unable to receive Him because it doesn't see Him or know Him. But you do know Him, because He remains with you and will be in you.

The Holy Spirit is the friend we need to lead us into the life we're looking for.

“I assure you: The one who believes in Me will also do the works that I do. And he will do even greater works than these, because I am going to the Father...”

(John 14:12)

“In a little while the world will see Me no longer, but you will see Me. Because I live, you will live too. 20 In that day you will know that I am in My Father, you are in Me, and I am in you.”

(John 14:19)

For we are His creation, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time so that we should walk in them.

(Ephesians 2:10)



The Holy Spirit is the friend we need to lead us into the life and the love we're looking for.

This love is contingent, but constant.

“If you love Me, you will keep My commands...21 The one who has My commands and keeps them is the one who loves Me. And the one who loves Me will be loved by My Father. I also will love him and will reveal Myself to him.”

(John 14:20-21)

Judas (not Iscariot) said to Him, “Lord, how is it You’re going to reveal Yourself to us and not to the world?”

23 Jesus answered, “If anyone loves Me, he will keep My word. My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our home with him. 24 The one who doesn’t love Me will not keep My words.

(John 14:15, 21-24)

The Spirit inside you is better than Jesus beside you. Why?  
Because He is the Friend we need to lead us into the life  
and love we're looking for.