

In the Spirit

1) The Spirit Indwells You – v. 9

- a) Notice the Trinity
- b) Marvel that the Spirit of God lives in you

2) The Spirit will Resurrect You – v. 10-11

- a) To express the totality of His power and plan
- b) To be a daily parable for you

3) The Spirit Frees You – v. 12-13

- a) Not a command, but a reality
 - b) How we fight – *by the Spirit*
 - Spirit is not your weapon; you are His – 6:13
 - By hearing with faith – Gal 3:2-5
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1. Compare and Contrast the Son's incarnation (coming in flesh) to the Spirit's indwelling... respond in expressed praise.
 2. What 'advantages' (John 16:7) do we have by the Spirit's presence that we would not have had if Jesus had stayed here on earth (think, mission, church function, knowledge, etc.)?
 3. How does knowledge of your body being a "temple" for the Holy Spirit affect you?
 4. Rom 8:13 says those in the Spirit are "putting to death the deeds (praxis) of the body." [sounds violent!] What ought such a hunt / destroy mission entail in order to be successful? Identify a particularly pesky personal praxis to prey on this week.
 5. Thought Question: What can you do to make your "temple space" more accommodating for the Spirit?