



## *"The Help of the Helper"*

*John 15:26-16:11 • part 72*

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### INTRODUCTION

- in the most unexpected ways

### *1. The coming Helper (15:26-27)*

- big picture view: clear, unambiguous, agreed upon
  
- close-up view: a major controversy ("filioque")

Jn. 14:26; 15:26

### *2. The coming harassment (16:1-4)*

- keep from stumbling
  
- excommunication & martyrdom

Acts 9:1-2; 2 Cor. 11:24-26

Num. 25:12-13

### *3. The coming help (16:5-11)*

- the disciples' self-absorbed sense of loss

Jn. 13:36; 14:5

- the "advantage" that the Spirit come later

Acts 1:3

- the convicting work of the Holy Spirit

+ concerning sin

Rom. 2:15; Mt. 12:31-32  
Jn. 3:18; 5:40; 8:24

+ concerning righteousness

+ concerning judgment

Jn. 12:31; 1 Jn. 5:19  
Col. 2:15

### CONCLUSION

Acts 4:12