

Who is the Holy Spirit?

The Old Testament (OT) was originally written in Hebrew.

In Genesis 1:1, the Hebrew word for “God” is plural, implying the concept of the Trinity. Although the word “Trinity” is not found in Scripture, it is an accurate description of the one true God in three distinct persons: Father, Son (Jesus), and Holy Spirit.

“The earth was a formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the waters.” –Genesis 1:2

The Spirit of God = Holy Spirit

“16 After being baptized, Jesus came up immediately from the water; and behold, the heavens were opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending as a dove and lighting on Him, 17 and behold, a voice out of the heavens said, “This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well-pleased.””
–Matthew 3:16-17

Jesus = Son, Spirit of God = Holy Spirit, Voice = Father

What does the Holy Spirit do?

John 3:1-8 – renews us spiritually “born again”

John 7:38-39 – flow through and in us

John 14:15-19 – Counselor “helper”, truth, never leave us

John 14:26 – remind us of truth

John 16:5-15 – help us determine right and wrong “convict”, guides into truth, glorify Jesus

John 20:22 – renews us spiritually “born again”

The Holy Spirit used to remain in the temple and only the high priest could go in once a year. Once Jesus died the temple curtain was physically torn to symbolize that Holy Spirit was no longer contained to one place but could now live in us! WOW! (Matthew 27:51)

2 Corinthians 13:14 New International Version

14 May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

The Holy Spirit is the part of the trinity that actually lives inside us and we fellowship with.