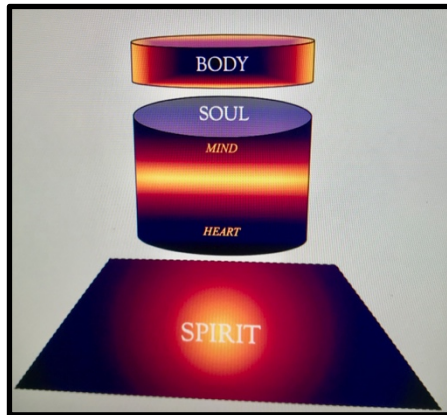


# What it Looks Like to Be Led By the Holy Spirit

## 1. God Made You with Body, Soul & Spirit

(1 Thess. 5:23)



## 2. Sin Killed Your Spirit

(Genesis 2:17)



## What Living is Really Like...

### Romans 7:14-24

<sup>14</sup>So the trouble is not with the law, for it is spiritual and good. The trouble is with me, for I am all too human, a slave to sin. <sup>15</sup>I don't really understand myself, for I want to do what is right, but I don't do it. Instead, I do what I hate. <sup>16</sup>But if I know that what I am doing is wrong, this shows that I agree that the law is good. <sup>17</sup>So I am not the one doing wrong; it is sin living in me that does it...I want to do what is right, but I can't. <sup>19</sup>I want to do what is good, but I don't. I don't want to do what is wrong, but I do it anyway. <sup>20</sup>But if I do what I don't want to do, I am not really the one doing wrong; it is sin living in me that does it.

<sup>21</sup>I have discovered this principle of life—that when I want to do what is right, I inevitably do what is wrong. <sup>22</sup>I love God's law with all my heart. <sup>23</sup>But there is another power within me that is at war with my mind. This power makes me a slave to the sin that is still within me. <sup>24</sup>Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death?

## Illustration

### 2 Cor. 10:3-5

<sup>3</sup>We are human, but **we don't wage war as humans do.** <sup>4</sup>**We use God's mighty weapons, not worldly weapons, to knock down the strongholds of human reasoning and to destroy false arguments.** <sup>5</sup>We destroy every proud obstacle that keeps people from knowing God. We capture their rebellious thoughts and teach them to obey Christ.

### (1) The WORD (Hebrews 4:12-13)

**For the word of God is alive and powerful. It is sharper than the sharpest two-edged sword, cutting between soul and spirit, between joint and marrow. It exposes our innermost thoughts and desires.** <sup>13</sup> Nothing in all creation is hidden from God. Everything is naked and exposed before his eyes, and he is the one to whom we are accountable.

### (2) PRAYER (James 5:16)

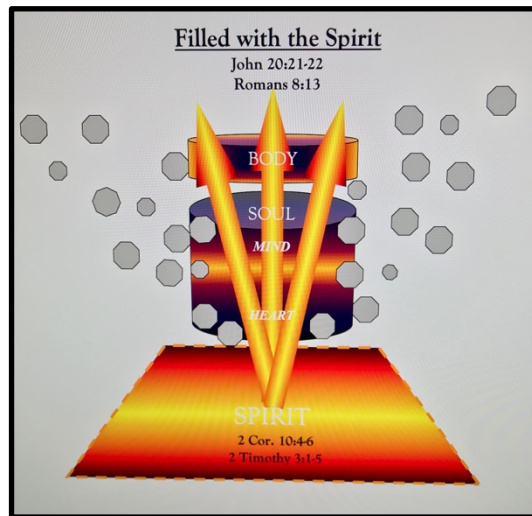
Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous person has **great power and produces wonderful results.**

### (3) The Holy Spirit (John 7:37-39; Romans 8:12-14)

“Anyone who is thirsty may come to me! <sup>38</sup> Anyone who believes in me may come and drink! For the Scriptures declare, ‘Rivers of living water will flow from his heart.’” <sup>39</sup> (When he said “living water,” he was speaking of the Spirit, who would be given to everyone believing in him.)

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, dear brothers and sisters, you have **no obligation to do what your sinful nature urges you to do.** <sup>13</sup> For if you live by its dictates, you will die. But if through the power of the Spirit you put to death the deeds of your sinful nature, you will live. <sup>14</sup> For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.

- You Don't have to live like this anymore...
- The Spirit will give you a new way of Life



**But What does this Really Look Like in Every Day Life?  
How Do I Truly Learn to Live Like This?**

**Renewing of Your Mind**

**Continual Cleansing**

**Knowing His Voice**

**The Intimate Abba-Father Relationship**

**Spiritual Gifts**