

EXPERIENCING GOD: THE HOLY SPIRIT

FOUNDATIONAL PRINCIPLES OF THE SPIRIT – FINDING HIS PURPOSE

1 Corinthians 2:9-16

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Thesis: The Holy Ghost is God's connection on the	inside, and it is only dependent on
Point 1. If you are not	, you do not understand the doctrine
Point 2. The Holy Spirit is not finished	through God's people
	1 Cor 12:9; 2 Co 4:13; Gal 5:5,22; 2 Tim 1:7; Rom 5:5; 15:13; Psaln -22; 2 Cor 3:7-8; Gen 3:17; Rom 1:20; Ezek 33:11; Jer 29:11
Point 3. When you put on the new man, you are the	ne image of God slowed-down into
– or else you are not walking in the Spirit.	
	1 Cor 2:9-12,16
• Job is the unhappy man	
• Psalms is the singing man	
• Proverbs is the wise man	
 Song of Solomon is the heavenly man 	
• Ecclesiastes is the	
	Eccl 3:9-11; Isa 53:2
Point 4. While you cannot aspire to the things that	make the Holy Spirit fully God – you

to the things that make the Holy Spirit touch humanity through you.