

John 14:16~ **And I will request the Father, and he will give you another helper,¹ to be with you forever.**

Footnote: Or, another paraclete (comforter) Greek, al'lou pa-ra'kle-ton, Masculine

1· Jesus then promised, that upon returning to his Father in heaven, he would make request in their behalf, for a helper to come to be with them, a helper that would be with them forever. This helper is the Holy Spirit, and it was poured out upon his disciples 50 days later at the festival of Pentecost.

[Question] What request did Jesus show, that he would make of his Father, upon returning to heaven?

[Question] When actually did this helper come upon anointed Christians, who were waiting for it as promised?

2· And, look! I am sending forth upon you that which is promised by my Father. You, though, abide in the city until you become clothed with power from on high. (Luke 24:49)

[Question] Where did Jesus tell his disciples to wait, and until what happened to them?

3· When the helper arrives that I will send you from the Father, the spirit of the truth, which proceeds from the Father, that one will bear witness about me. (John 15:26)

[Question] How did Jesus identify this helper, the Holy Spirit?

[Question] What then, could anointed Christians receiving this Holy Spirit, know for a certainty?

4· Nevertheless, I am telling you the truth, it is for your benefit I am going away. For if I do not go away, the helper will by no means come to you, but if I do go my way, I will send him to you. (John 16:7)

[Question] What did Jesus show, that would not come to his disciples until after he himself had ascended to heaven?

5· Because John, indeed, baptized with water, but you will be baptized in Holy Spirit, not many days after this. (Acts of Apostles 1:5)

[Question] What did John the Baptist baptize with, and what does Jesus baptize with?

- 6· **And they all became filled with Holy Spirit and started to speak with different tongues, just as the spirit was granting them to make utterance. (Acts of Apostles 2:4)**

[Question] What happened fifty days later at Pentecost, and how did the Holy Spirit make Jesus' disciples act then?

- 7· **In like manner, the spirit also joins in with help for our weakness, for the problem of what we should pray for as we need, to we do not know, but the spirit itself pleads for us, with groanings unuttered. (Romans 8:26)**

[Question] How does the Holy Spirit help anointed Christians, regarding what to pray for, and how is this expressed?

- 8· **Remember the thing that I concluded with you people when you came forth from Egypt, and when my spirit was standing in among you. Do not be afraid. (Haggai 2:5)**

[Question] What did Haggai show, was standing in among the Israelites in the wilderness, as Yehowah God led them?

- 9· **Go therefore, and make disciples of people of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:19)**

[Question] What command did Jesus make to his faithful disciples, just before ascending to heaven?

- 10· **And while he was meeting with them, he gave them the orders. Do not withdraw from Jerusalem, but keep waiting for what the Father has promised, about which you heard from me. (Acts of Apostles 1:4)**

[Question] Where did Jesus tell his disciples to stay, and were they to wait for there?

- 11· **Then, indeed, the congregation throughout the whole of Judea and Galilee and Samaria, entered into a period of peace, being built up, and as it walked in the fear of Yehowah, and in the comfort of the Holy Spirit, it kept on multiplying. (Acts of Apostles 9:31)**

[Question] What happened among the anointed Christian congregations in Judea, and how did the Holy Spirit effect this?