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DAILY DOCTRINE
Holy Spirit: Indwelling
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1. The Holy Spirit indwells every regenerate person, Rom. 5:5; 8, 9.
2. The Holy Spirit begins to indwell the believer at the moment of salvation, Gal 3:2; 4:6.
3. In the Old Testament times, the ministry of the Holy Spirit was very limited, 1 Sam. 16:13 with Psa. 51:11.
4. In the New Testament from the Day of Pentecost to the rapture of the Church, the Holy Spirit indwells every believer permanently.
5. The indwelling of the Holy Spirit cannot be lost: it is as permanent, as is salvation, John 14:16.

John 14:16 "And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may be with you forever;
6. The indwelling of the Holy Spirit is the potential power resident in the believer, the use of which depends upon the filling of the Holy Spirit—which is only possible when the believer is in fellowship with God, 1 John 1:5-9.
7. In the New Testament the indwelling of the Spirit makes the body of the believer the sanctuary (Temple of God), 1 Cor. 3:16, 17; 1 Cor. 6:19. In the Old Testament the sanctuary was the tabernacle—a tent in the desert.
8. Because we are indwelt we should stay filled, 1 Cor 6:20.
9. Sin will not remove the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, John 14:16.
10. Provision has been made for sin of grieving and quenching the Holy Spirit in 1 John 1:9.
11. The purpose of the indwelling of the Holy Spirit is to enable the believer to
 - a. Understand spiritual truth – John 16:13; 1 Cor. 2:12.
 - b. Glorify Christ by living a supernatural life, John 16:14; Gal. 5:22.
 - c. Witness for Christ, Acts 1:8.
 - d. Overcome the power of the OSHGEN, Gal. 5:16-17.

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