

7 Ones- Ephesians 4

Unity Comes from – One Spirit

- 1.) Ephesians (2:18-22) –
 - a. Access to the Father
 - b. Strangers and Aliens No More, but Fellow Citizens
 - i. Of God's House... Built on Word of God... Cornerstone is Christ
 - c. Whole Thing is Growing into a holy temple
 - d. You are Being Built Also
 - i. Into a dwelling of God
 - ii. In the Spirit
- 2.) God's Spirit as Animator
 - a. Genesis 2:7 – man became a "living being"... the Spirit God gives creates the life
 - i. Genesis 1:1-2
 1. Spirit of God was moving/hovering over the surface of the waters
 2. Hebrew – "like a hen nests over eggs ready to hatch"
 - ii. Matthew 1:20 – Jesus conceived by Holy Spirit
 - b. James 2:26; Luke 23:46; Acts 7:59; Psalm 104:29; 146:4; Ecclesiastes 12:7
 - i. No life without the Spirit
- 3.) Holy Spirit as Seal
 - a. Ephesians 1:13-14; 2 Corinthians 1:22
- 4.) Holy Spirit as Promise of Help
 - a. Acts 2:38; John 14:16-17
 - i. Behind Teaching – 1 Corinthians 2:10-16; 1 John 4:1-6
 - b. No Condemnation – Romans 8:1-27
- 5.) Holy Spirit as Essence of the Kingdom
 - a. Romans 14:17 – conscience, relationships, highest spiritual intent
 - i. Righteousness, Peace, and Joy in the Holy Spirit
- 6.) Holy Spirit Indwelling
 - a. Spirit is writing in you – 2 Corinthians 3:3-6
 - b. Dwells in you – Romans 8:9, 11; 1 Corinthians 3:16; Ezeziel 36:27; Jn 14:17; 2 Timothy 1:14; 1 Jn 4:12-13; 2 Timothy 1:7
- 7.) Christ is the Spirit
 - a. 1 Corinthains 15:45 – live giving spirit
 - b. 2 Corinthians 3:17-18 – the Lord is the Spirit
- 8.) Hurting the Holy Spirit
 - a. 1 Thessalonians 5:19 (quench); 1 Thessalonians 4:7-8 (reject); Ephesians 4:30 (grieve)