BE A WITNESS FOR CHRIST

ACTS 1:6 - 8

- » 6 † ¶ When they therefore were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel?
- » 7 † And he said unto them, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power.
- » 8 † But ye shall receive power, <u>after that the HOLY GHOST is come upon you</u>: and <u>ye shall be witnesses unto</u> me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and <u>unto the uttermost part of the earth</u>.

TEACHER: REMIND US

JOHN 14:16, 17, & 26

- » 16 † And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another **COMFORTER**, that he may abide with you for ever;
- » 17 † Even the **SPIRIT OF TRUTH**; whom the **WORLD** cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.
- » 14: 26 † But the **COMFORTER**, which is the **HOLY GHOST**, whom the Father will send in my name, he <u>shall teach</u> you all things, and <u>bring all things to your remembrance</u>, whatsoever I have said unto you.

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3875 » parakletos {par-ak'-lay-tos} paravklhtoß a primitive word; TDNT -- 5:800,782; n m

AV -- COMFORTER (4)

-- advocate (1) [5]

- 1) summoned, called to one's side, esp. called to one's aid
- 2) one who pleads another's cause before a judge, a pleader, counsel for defense, legal assistant; an advocate
- 3) one who pleads another's cause with one, an intercessor; so of Christ in his exaltation at God's right hand, pleading with God the Father for the pardon of our **SINS**.
- 4) in the widest sense, a helper, succourer, aider, assistant; so of the Holy Spirit destined to take the place of Christ with the apostles (after his ascension to the Father), to lead them to a deeper knowledge of the gospel truth, and give them divine strength needed to enable them to undergo trials and persecutions on behalf of the divine kingdom

GUIDE INTO ALL TRUTH

JOHN 16:12 - 15

- » 12 † I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now.
- » 13 † Howbeit when he, the **SPIRIT OF TRUTH**, is come, <u>he will guide you into all truth</u>: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.
- » 14 † He shall glorify me: for he shall receive of mine, and shall shew it unto you.
- » 15 † All things that the Father hath are mine: therefore said I, that he shall take of mine, and shall shew it unto you.

IMAGINATION OF THE THOUGHTS OF HIS HEART WAS ONLY ON EVIL CONTINUALLY GENESIS 6:1 - 8

- » 1 † ¶ And it came to pass, when <u>men</u> began to multiply on the face of the earth, <u>and daughters were born</u> unto them,
- » 2 † That the <u>sons of *GOD*</u> saw the <u>daughters of men</u> that they were fair; and they took them <u>wives</u> of all which they chose.
- » 3 † ¶ And **THE LORD** said, **MY SPIRIT** shall not always strive with man, for that he also is flesh: yet his days shall be an hundred and twenty years.
- » 4 † ¶ There were giants in the earth in those days; and also after that, when the <u>sons of *GOD*</u> came in unto the <u>daughters of men</u>, and <u>they bare children to them</u>, the same became mighty men which were of old, men of renown.
- » 5 † And GOD saw that the <u>WICKEDNESS</u> of man was great in the earth, and that <u>every imagination of the</u> thoughts of his heart was only <u>EVIL</u> continually.
- » 6 † ¶ AND IT REPENTED THE LORD that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.
- » 7 † And **THE LORD** said, I will destroy <u>man</u> whom I have created from the face of the earth; both <u>man</u>, and beast, and the <u>creeping thing</u>, and the <u>fowls of the air</u>; <u>FOR IT REPENTETH ME THAT I HAVE MADE THEM</u>.
- » 8 † ¶ BUT NOAH FOUND GRACE IN THE EYES OF THE LORD.

NOT TAKE THEM OUT; KEEP FROM THE EVIL

JOHN 17:15 - 23

- » 15 † I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the WORLD, but that thou shouldest <u>keep them from</u> the EVIL.
- » 16 † They are not of the WORLD, even as I am not of the WORLD.
- » 17 † ¶ Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.
- » 18 † As thou hast <u>sent me into</u> the WORLD, even so have I also <u>sent them into</u> the WORLD.
- » 19 † And for their sakes I **SANCTIFY** myself, that they also might be **SANCTIFIED** through **the truth**.
- » 20 † ¶ Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word;
- » 21 † That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the **WORLD** may believe that thou hast sent me.
- » 22 † And the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one, even as we are one:
- » 23 † <u>I in them</u>, and <u>thou in me</u>, <u>that they may be made PERFECT in one</u>; and that the **WORLD** may know that thou hast sent me, and hast loved them, as thou hast loved me.

YET WITHOUT SIN

HEBREWS 4:15 - 16

- » 15 † For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, <u>YET WITHOUT SIN</u>.
- » 16 † Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may **obtain mercy**, and **find grace TO HELP IN TIME OF NEED.**