## THE SPIRIT WORD: THE BREATH OF GOD

Reading One: The Spirit-Influenced Life
John 14:26
Ephesians 5:15-21
Galatians 5:16-26
Romans 8:1-17
1. In what ways does the Spirit of God help us interact with the Word of God?
2. How can a person be filled with the Spirit?
3. What does it mean to walk by the Spirit?
4. If a person claims to be a Christ-follower, what should be his or her relationship to the Holy Spirit?
Do you believe that people have a spirit? How can any person know if they are living a Spirit-directed life? In what ways have you seen the activity of the Holy Spirit in your daily life?
Reading Two: The Gifts of the Spirit  Ephesians 4:16
1. What do you believe are some of the things that "every joint" can supply?
2. What is the foremost motivation for the use of spiritual gifts?

3. How many gifts are there?
Do you feel you are becoming a spiritually mature believer? Can a Christ-follower evidence spiritua gifts and yet be immature? In what ways do you believe God has gifted you?
Reading Three: The Presence of the Spirit  1 Peter 3:15
Luke 24:44-49
In what ways do Christ-followers evidence the grace of Christ to those around us?
2. How would you describe the hope within you?
3. Of what are Christ-followers witnesses?
4. Where are we to be a witness?
In what ways do you know the Holy Spirit is a part of your life? Do you find it comfortable to tel others about your faith in Christ? Do you feel any more ready to tell others how to consider Christ for themselves? Can you distinguish the Spirit's voice?
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