

**** (Note: All Bible Quotes Are Taken From The Original King James Version)**

Subject: The World Cannot Receive The Holy Spirit:

You cannot become a child of God and enter the kingdom of heaven unless you are filled with the Holy Spirit. To be filled with the Holy Spirit means that you have been born again. If you have sinful, worldly ways of living, you cannot receive the Holy Spirit. The world cannot receive the Holy Spirit. Your life must be in line with the teachings of the word of God in order for you to receive the Holy Spirit.

When Jesus was sent to the earth, the world did not believe Jesus' gospel. The Holy Spirit will not come into a person's life who does not believe that they can live above or free from sin. You must repent of every sin that you have knowledge of to receive the Holy Spirit. The word of God teaches that all manner of sin will be forgiven, but you can't play church with God. You cannot sin, and be saved at the same time. Sin and salvation are contrary. The wrath of God will come upon the children of disobedience. So, to be prepared to receive the Holy Spirit, you must live above sin.

Subject: He Did Not Leave Us Comfortless:

Jesus wanted His disciples to know that though He was about to leave the earth, that He would not leave them without the necessary assistance for their salvation. Jesus promised the disciples that He would pray to the Father to send them another Comforter, which would be the Holy Ghost. While Jesus was with the disciples, He was able to comfort them by means of His gospel.

Jesus taught His disciples that God had given Him power to fulfill all the promises that He made to them. Jesus promised them that though they would die, they would also live again. Proof of their living again would be in Jesus' crucifixion and resurrection.

So the time had come for Jesus to climax His visit to the earth. The experiences that the disciples went through were for the purpose of strengthening their faith so that they would know that God had something better in store for them. Such experiences may have brought death to some, but they did not allow the experiences to be a terror to them, because they would witness Jesus laying down His life, and picking it up again.

So Jesus promised that when He went back to the Father, He would petition Him to send another Comforter, which would be the Spirit of truth. Those who did not receive Jesus would not be able to receive the Spirit of truth.

Subject: The Spirit Of Truth:

The Holy Ghost represents guidance. When you are filled with the Holy Ghost, it will guide you into all truth, because it is the Spirit of truth. We live in a world of false things that are deceiving. There are false preachers, false church folk, and false advertisement of things in commercial markets. Listen to what the Holy Ghost does in St. John 16:13:

Verse 13 - *Howbeit when he, the spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.*

Subject: You Can Only Enter The Kingdom Of Heaven With The Holy Spirit:

Only the Holy Spirit of God will give you access to the kingdom of heaven (Ephesians 2:18). Nobody will be able to get into heaven unless they are filled with God's Spirit. When you are filled with the Spirit of God, it means you are born again of the Spirit of God. It is the Spirit of God that gives you the new-birth in Christ. This means you have been baptized with the Holy Spirit. The Spirit of God is your Visa to get into the kingdom of God. You must acquire the Spirit of God while you are living in this present world. God will not give anybody the Holy Spirit after Jesus returns to the earth. You must get the Spirit while you are living in this present world by repenting of your sins (Romans 8:9).

Subject: Nevertheless You Will Live:

We cannot get sin out of our nature by our own strength. We can repent of some sins that we commit physically, but sin in our nature must be removed by God. When we totally surrender our lives to God, He then gives us the Holy Spirit that will burn up the nature of sin, and replace our sinful nature with the divine nature of God. The Holy Spirit crucifies the sinful nature with Holy fire, allowing the person to live a new life in Christ (St. Matthew 3:11). Listen to Galatians 2:20:

Verse 20 - I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.