

## BETTER THAN JESUS?

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### The Holy Spirit and the World

In regards to \_\_\_\_\_

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### The Holy Spirit and the Disciple

The Holy Spirit knows exactly \_\_\_\_\_ you need and \_\_\_\_\_ you need it.

He will \_\_\_\_\_ you into all the \_\_\_\_\_

He will not speak \_\_\_\_\_

He will glorify \_\_\_\_\_

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS & GROUPS

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1. Eric asked this question at the beginning of his sermon: If you had the perfect life coach that knew everything about you and always provided for you the perfect coaching, what do you think you'd be getting more of right now- support or challenge? How would you answer that question and why?
2. Why do you think Eric went out of his way to point out that the Holy Spirit is a He, not an it? As a group, try to come up with three good reasons why that distinction actually matters.
3. Read John 16:7-11. Focusing on the words sin, righteousness, and judgment, what do you understand the role of the Holy Spirit to be in relation to the world? Hint- think about your own story before coming to faith in Jesus. Can you identify how the Holy Spirit was at work in your life to call you out of the world?
4. "The Holy Spirit knows exactly what you need and when you need it". Can you share any stories about when this has been your experience. This could be in big ways or small ways.
5. Read John 16:12-15. Based on these verses, what are some of the things that the Holy Spirit does for disciples of Jesus?
6. Do you currently have or have you had in the past any apprehensions about the Holy Spirit that these verses help alleviate?
7. How does it make you feel that the persons of the Trinity (Father, Son, Spirit) are in perfect unity and they work together in your life in complete agreement- sort of a "package deal"? Why does it make you feel that way?
8. Read John 16:4-7. How would you explain how this is better to another person?
9. How can you better cooperate with the Holy Spirit in your life?