

JULY DEVELOPMENT GUIDE

SUBJECT: BEING LED BY THE SPIRIT



1. Have a daily devotional time in the Bible

- a. He guides through the word of God.
 - i. Isaiah 59:21 NLT: And this is my covenant with them, says the LORD. My Spirit will not leave them, and neither will these words I have given you. They will be on your lips and on the lips of your children and your children's children forever. I, the LORD, have spoken!

2. Spend time in prayer

- a. He guides in prayer
 - i. Romans 8:26 NLT: And the Holy Spirit helps us in our weakness. For example, we don't know what God wants us to pray for. But the Holy Spirit prays for us with groanings that cannot be expressed in words.

3. Do what God tells you to

- a. He guides in Christian living
 - i. Romans 8:14 NLT: For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.
 - ii. Galatians 5:18 NLT: But when you are directed by the Spirit, you are not under obligation to the law of Moses.

Who the Holy Spirit is:

The Holy Spirit is our Comforter, Counselor, Advocate, Intercessor, Standby, and Strengthener

The Holy Spirit's guidance of believers

- a. You are a spirit
 - i. 1 Thessalonians 5:23 NLT: Now may the God of peace make you holy in every way, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again.
- b. The Holy Spirit speaks to your spirit, your inward witness
 - i. Proverbs 20:27 KJV: The spirit of man is the candle of the LORD, searching all the inward parts of the belly.
- c. An unction or Red Light or Green Light in our gut

Additional scriptures to read:

The Holy Spirit will give us the words to say:

He guides in witness and evangelism: **Mark 13:11, Matthew 10:19-20, Luke 12:11-12, Acts 8:29 NLT, 1 Corinthians 2:13**

Jesus – Our example:

The Holy Spirit guides Jesus in his Ministry: **Luke 4:1, Matthew 4:1, Mark 1:12, Acts 10:37-38**

Discussion Questions:

1. What were your biggest takeaways from this teaching on faith?
2. How can you apply your faith to everyday life?
3. How can you increase your faith?