

# The Company Of The Comforter

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- Steve, bend us for we are too stubborn. Bend us for your use. Break us. Mold us. Melt us. Fill us with yourself. As we hear your word, let the heavens be opened upon us that we will have an encounter with you. Let sicknesses be healed.
- Let the sinning be convicted. Let the lost be saved. Let the discouraged be encouraged. And let there be an encounter with your presence. Thank you, Holy Spirit.
- [ 1 : 14 ]     We welcome you to take precedence and have your way in our midst. In Jesus' name. Amen. Hallelujah. Hallelujah.
- I will be teaching on something very, very important. This month is a month of kingdom investment. Many people don't have investment in life, particularly among certain group of people.
- All their money is in their dress, their shoes, their food, their house. Let your children come and grow up and say, Mom left us something.
- By the time your child finishes uni, wants to buy their first house, you have saved some amount of money. Loan is not a breakthrough because you don't pay the same amount.
- There are people who are married here and their marriages are in turmoil because your husband or your wife has so much loan to be paying debts because of their studies.
- [ 2 : 20 ]     And it's brought it into their marriage. And you are not happy, but you can't talk about it. I don't know who I'm talking to. Think investment.
- But Pastor, even water will eat. I don't have it. How are you talking about investment? Most wealthy people save a lot of the pennies. Most poor people don't respect the pound.
- They don't respect the pound. Oh, this is one pound. But wealthy people, the bank, penny, they will chase you for the penny. So there are ways you can save. But however, because God is a good God, even if you, you see, there are people who have so much investment on earth, but they die.
- Dried! And they die in fear. And they leave everything for somebody or a dog or a tax man to take it.
- For your information, those of you who are not aware, I want you to be acutely aware this morning that life does not end with death. After death, there is judgment.
- [ 3 : 35 ]     It's good to hear that. So that from Monday to Saturday, you think about the things you do and how you do things. Because the tax man may not get you, the policeman may not get you.

But when you die, say kingdom investment. Say kingdom investment. If you have not been able to invest much in your life here because of hardships and difficulties, sometimes people have their hearts to invest, but actually they just don't have what it takes.

There are people sitting here right now, you don't know how you are going to pay your next rent. And this master is also taking you, investing for your... I can't even pay by the new shoe.

My child is now nine years and he's wearing the shoe for six years. See, I'm not only addressing Londoners and people in the UK, people are watching us all over the world.

Investment. But what I'm trying to say, even if you can't, at the moment, you are not in the position, you have to invest. It's very important to secure tomorrow at least. Just keep some money aside. Everything you earn is not supposed to enter your stomach or go on your suit or your wig.

[ 4 : 53 ] Some of it. He is working maybe at Sainsbury's, yet they have an investment for their child with an investment company.

And they are managing their... So by the time they are retiring, things are comfortable. And you see another person, he's the manager of Sainsbury's. But he's buying big, big cars, which he can't afford.

And he's looking at him, but he says, hey, this man is prosperous. He's not. But the point here is, the reason I came into investment is I don't know, because it's for somebody.

Why must you be in debt with all these monies that are flowing into your hands? And you are in debt now? How come? How come? Because most of us, let's say you are earning 2,000, you start to earn 3,000, you change where you buy your suits.

Primark has been fine. All of a sudden, all of a sudden, you want to wear a swabotin. I'm not saying a swabotin is good, but it's just, some of it, you don't need it.

[ 5 : 59 ] Actually, people don't, they don't want to notice. Many people don't notice. Many people will notice, the designer, say kingdom investment. Kingdom investment. Why would you borrow money for a wedding?

10,000 pounds for a wedding. Are you okay? To impress who? Sort out their marriage. Think about how you make the marriage work. Instead of trying to do a celebrity wedding, you are not a celebrity.

Build a good home. Build a good home. Even the celebrities, everybody values good home. What is it if you are a public success by a domestic failure?

Manage your life well. 32 in television. We show you the same picture, 60 in television. We show you. the same. The same. Now issue, you have to go to charity.

Because you have so much, you are confused. You are still buying some. So now you just have to find a way or send it to charity or something. What you are wearing is okay.

[ 7 : 17 ] Sister, sister, learn how to cook. Outside food is too much. No, no, wait. Take a minute. Let me finish. You are eating too much from outside. You are eating too much.

Every time. You find it so easy. I'm buying this. I'm going to buy Chinese. And Chinese. Don't get me wrong. I didn't say Chinese is not good.

Nando's is not good. I know. But I think that sometimes it burns a bit more into the realm of irresponsibility for you to always constantly. You have a kitchen constantly just buying food and eating from outside.

Constantly. There is something wrong. Say the company of the comforter. When.

So you must have investment in life. But peradventure. You are not yet in the fortunate position to have an investment physically. Bible says that you have to make an investment.

[ 8 : 21 ] As for kingdom investment no one can say I can't make investment to the hereafter. You can't. You know one can have an excuse. Financial investment yes, most of us may say I just don't have the money.

I can't. But not kingdom investment. Because kingdom investment is not based on your financial or your fortunate position. It's based on the condition of your heart which is informing your activities.

So Jesus puts it this way. It's Matthew chapter 6 verse 19 and verse 20. See how Jesus puts it. Do not lay out for yourselves treasures on earth where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal.

Now this scripture is not depicting or is not suggesting is not speaking against investment physical investment. That's why I had to make it clear that investing making some investment in life is just common sense.

Right? It's just not normal. It's okay to do that. Right? But he says what the problem is most of us all our investment is just here. It is pathetic to have all your investment any investment in life is here.

[ 9 : 39 ] The things you have invested your energy the things you have invested your finances is just here. Go to the next verse and see how he puts it. He says that but lay out for yourself treasures where in heaven treasures where in heaven treasures where in heaven lay out for yourself treasures in heaven where neither moth nor rust destroy and where thieves do not break in and steal.

Lay up treasures in heaven for yourself. How is that? I'm thinking how to survive here. You will not be here permanently. You will not be here unless you are going to hell.

That's a different matter altogether. Oh it's true some people will go to hell but it's not you say no me. Some people can't say it but say no me. No me.

I don't believe in hell. You wait. But the time you believe it's too late. Alright so lay up for yourself treasures in heaven kingdom investment in the book of Luke chapter 12 verse 21 I like the way he puts it.

Luke chapter 12 verse 21 you know how he says he says that you can be rich on earth but poor and empty towards God. Is that serious one? Let's go read it out together.

[ 11 : 06 ] Let's go. Let's read it out. he who lays out treasures for himself and is not rich so you can lay treasures for yourself on earth and you are not rich towards God Bible says that if you do that Bible actually calls a fool when you read the scriptures before the text before he's talking about the rich fool who was so wealthy and laid up so much on earth but died broke so long as heaven is concerned so be rich towards God I like that statement those of you here can we read this together let's go one more time so you can be rich in material things but not rich towards God you have to be rich towards God and that one anybody and everybody can do that look at verse 33 verse 33 and verse 34 sell what you have and give arms provide yourself money bags which do not grow old did you see that your investment the things of God did you hear the testimony he said two testimonies he said when I open my house for care group for cell meeting for church people to come and have meetings there when I open my house things have begun to change so kingdom investment does not only pay when you die it pays on earth one of the reasons why I am enjoying good health is because my whole life has been invested in God so there is no space for sickness

I can't break down because I am too busy for God my life is God's investment God manages it so the point I am trying to make is that once you make an investment in the things of God God keeps an eye on you God keeps an eye on you sometimes it may look like you are failing or it may look like you are going down oh the story is not yet over the story is not yet over the story is not yet over because you are a kingdom investor you are a kingdom investor you are in partnership with God you are a shareholder in what is happening on earth by God you are a shareholder so when people are being blessed guess what part is going to your account it's going to your account because of your investment you invest your resources your energy your time many people don't have time for God but they believe

God owes them every benevolence say kingdom investment kingdom investment look at the verse 34 of Luke chapter 12 verse 34 says that for where your treasure is there your heart will be also so see where people spend their money that tells you what they love oh I mean I love God I love God I love God if you love God it will show where your expenditure goes some of the schools our children must attend maybe at the moment your pocket cannot fund it but kingdom investments can open some doors some serious scholarships one of the daughters here said God mother just decided oh she has a child everything she has money and houses in America bequeathed it all he said everything is for you so God has a way to take care of you invest your time invest your energy invest your resources some people when they hear giving money to church somebody wants no one wants your money you can't take it because God doesn't

God doesn't need your help that's the truth before you showed up things have been happening and after you leave things will continue happening whether you whether you join or you don't join things God will do what he has intended to do how can a church like us be able to afford the things that are happening here it must be God it must be God and we are one church that will not be telling hey bring money for what bring your heart God said give me your heart he didn't say give me your cash many people do not invest financially into the things of God because they don't have a heart for God me my mind my life it all belongs to you and that is what determines the things that God the heaven can be committed to you God can commit to you and entrust into your hands your heart for heaven take no investment in Matthew chapter 6 verse 33 it says that seek

Jesus we have to all read it together are you ready to read it out loud from the screen but seek first the kingdom of God some of you are not reading it out loud let's go let that out loud but seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness and all these things shall be added to you did you see that when you read it within context from previous verses that all these things are talking about things that people worry themselves about they can't sleep about he said there is a way and a better way to secure your future to secure your life seek the kingdom of God first make the things of God a priority seek the kingdom of God first seek the kingdom of God first for seven years they have done everything they could sent every document they knew was right the same documents for seven years nothing was happening they tried and tried and nothing was happening until they opened their home for God's people to meet in their home in less than three months the same documents the same documents those same documents those same documents to the same home office

[17:07] God can get involved by initial permission he wants to see your heart say love the Lord with all your heart with all your mind with all your soul he said that is the first commandment stop talking about ten commandments it's a heart issue the heart of the matter is a matter of the heart your heart your heart hallelujah God is not a robber he won't take advantage of you but if you're wise you will take advantage of his goodness God doesn't take advantage of people but wise people take advantage of his goodness now so I want to live a life of kingdom investment but what should I do you see Jesus said

I'm the brand you are the branches John chapter 5 verse 5 said you are the branches and he says that without me you can by yourself do nothing so anything you can do for God has everything to do with your connection with God God empowers you in the book of Philippians chapter 2 verse 13 it says that for it is God who works in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure you can't do to please God by yourself you don't get it you don't get it just like a woman says that I'm going to get pregnant by myself no just like a man says that today I think I've become so powerful I've decided that now I'm going to be pregnant it can't happen some things can't happen you need the assistance now watch this it is a risk to run your life without the involvement of the Holy Spirit it's a risk life is risky without the guidance of the Holy Spirit so when Jesus was about to go to heaven he said hey guys

I'm not happy because I'm about to go but you should be happy because if I don't go you are at a disadvantage you are running a risk without securing his company because life is risky life is not certain listen there is nothing certain in life nothing is certain in life America thought everything was together so 9-11 happened you have to you know the laws we have around the world in our country in other places like America they will remain the same they will keep changing because nothing is certain you have to keep changing so if you put yourself the law is good the systems are no system can protect you no system can protect you Bible says that he that dwells in the secret place of the most high shall abide under the shadow of the almighty he says that for in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion

God is a protector and in all the good news God will protect you listen there is no need you should be afraid when you are going to work you are going to town join the train go on the train as long as you are there no one can bring a bomb on the train that's what when someone is kingdom investment minded if you're a kingdom investor you go to some place you know that did you hear what the woman said had it not been for God she would have been crying over her son by now I remember she said that God God interrupted me just about two weeks ago and I went there I said mom you will not bury a son you will not bury your child why did I have to say that because she's not the only one with a son or a child but why because it's the only one the Holy Spirit who can tell what is ahead and just through a declaration of a prophetic word can stop it and save someone that's why that's one of the reasons

I come to church because it's for our own health and safety hallelujah hallelujah hallelujah hallelujah god will bless someone and so you cannot you cannot live a smooth life without the Holy Spirit on earth nothing is safe your health is not guaranteed you are going to sleep you never know what you wake up what pain you are going to wake up with no doctor can guarantee that no doctor you wake up swell nothing will happen nobody can guarantee your health am I speaking the truth there are wealthy people who can't eat sometimes some of us don't know what it means to be under strict instructions on what you can eat and what you can eat it's not nice I pray that anyone who is suffering from any form of health attack any form of health challenge I prophesy over your life that the power of the Holy Ghost comes upon you now and brings a turn around in the name of Jesus

[ 22 : 29 ] I pray for your healing I pray for your health I pray for your healing in the name of Jesus now the same way I declared there's a lady who was going through the blood issue every time I have to inject some stuff every time I have to take some medication it took one moment in the Holy Ghost presence to take away that problem your sickness is not final because Holy Spirit can heal you and Holy Spirit is healing somebody right now don't allow the devil to tell me knowing so many bad things I don't know if God is interested in helping you it doesn't matter what you did drop that everyone did something and others are doing he said woman John chapter 8 why are your accusers they are not there he said therefore go I also do not condemn you but go and sin no more when you have an encounter with him he's not thinking about your history he's thinking about your future he's not interested in credit check when you come to

Jesus your credit history he said no I want to help you from now so that I can give you a better future he said the thief comes not but to steal kill and destroy but I have come that you may have life and have it more abundantly John 10 10 I have come for life to be better for you I have come for life to be good for you anyone who tells you Christianity is a cause for frustrated life is a lie from the devil Christianity puts you not religious Christianity I'm talking about a relationship with the Holy Ghost it puts you in command the other time about six weeks ago I told you suddenly I felt this sharp pain on my back where is this coming from sickness is not allowed to be here where is it coming from hey and I thought it would just go but it won't go away when I took deep breath it was I just had to lay my hands I command sickness go and guess what he's gone he had to leave

I'm in command because I'm walking with the Holy Spirit that's that's the key God wants to put you in command so long as your life is concerned as long as you can put him in command when you put God in command of your life you'll be in command in affairs of life say hallelujah and so Jesus said you need the Holy Spirit I want you to learn something very quickly when you look at John is okay we all ready from the screen let's go let's read and I'll pray the father and he will give you another helper that he may abide with you forever now I would want you to give us the King James version because of the way it was rendered now let's read again and I will pray the father and he shall give you another comforter that he may abide with another word another word

I can't hear you who is this comforter he's talking about he said I'm going to the father but you are sad don't be sad because I'll pray the father he'll give you I can't hear you I can't hear you two words there another and comforter another I'll come back to this particular text but would you be able to put on the screen again John chapter 14 verse 26 put the verse 26 on the screen again please he said that I prefer King James on these two more scriptures but which is the holy clearly it tells us so he didn't want us not to be sure but he said the comforter which is the holy ghost whom the father will send in my name comforter so then he tells us what the comforter will do he will teach he will guide and all that you remember

I was teaching that on Friday so the comforter would but Jesus referred to him as a comforter look at chapter 15 verse 26 again chapter 15 1 5 verse 26 he Jesus kept calling and referring to the Holy Spirit said but when the comforter is come who I will send unto you from the father and they said even the spirit of truth so how does Jesus the Holy Spirit comforter he kept referring to him on three occasions we saw here the comforter but the first description he gave to him was very very significant in John chapter 14 verse 16 the first scripture John chapter 14 verse 16 it says that I will pray the father and he shall give you another say another say it again please now what does that mean another the Greek word for another comforter is allos parakletos parakletos so allos parakletos is that okay to say it say it let's say it wow you guys are amazing you remember that allos parakletos but when you go to the chapter verse 26 he referred to him as the parakletos the parakletos but the first time he said allos another comforter now do I have to explain this because when he said another it's not talking about okay

[ 28 : 19 ] I finished my job another person is coming right but what he meant is another of the same good right what do I have in my hands two envelopes all right so I gave this envelope to pastor here and then she was holding it and then I collected that and gave her another envelope but you realize that's practically no different even though it's another of the same it's different from I gave her something to hold and I collected it and gave her something else another paper but these are two different things does that make sense so when we talk about allos paracletos thank you allos paracletos we are talking about another of the same so the holy watch this watch this the holy spirit is not different from Jesus the holy spirit is not different from Jesus he actually comes to do exactly what Jesus will do when he's here so when we meet and the spirit of

God is present is Jesus the spirit and Jesus himself is here does that make sense now so another the allos paracletos means another comforter now I want you to take note of the word comforter say comforter comforter what does it mean there the allos paracletos why they use the word comforter comfort comfort or comfort is made up of two words the original latin two words com which has kind of similar to com latin roots so com and com that's why we talk about conform to form with so com com and con is usually when it's used as a prefix it actually has to do with with with with or end so when you say another comforter it's like but what is the forter the latin word forte how many of you have heard this word piano forte softer and louder what we call piano the original name is piano forte loud that's why we get the word fort fortify fortress strong loud it's not your forte so strength so something that is not your forte the com forter hey the comforter comes with forte that is not yours he comes with strength that is not yours he comes with power that is not yours but it's why

I see that from tonight or from this morning somebody is changing somebody is going to have some great accomplishments in your career in your family life as a husband as a wife as a mother as a father the Holy ghost is about to that people with your background cannot do strength to do things that people like you could not normally achieve shout yes with strength so he says that if I don't go the comforter he's coming with strength so in Acts chapter 1 verse 8 he said but you shall receive power do not miss Jesus I feel the Holy Spirit here you shall receive do not miss that's the word translated power do not miss two great words translated power one is authority one is power there's a difference between power and authority exousia is authority but do not miss power that's where we get the

English word dynamite when you put dynamite in the rock it doesn't play with the rock it will shatter the rock and he says that when the Holy Spirit comes he's coming with dynamite so you end up doing things achieving things that normal people with your kind of background can't do and you become a surprise people who have always known you they are wondering where did you get this idea that's what is coming on some of you complex problems that your bosses cannot solve the comforter will come to you with a unique forte that you begin to give the answers they don't have a choice when they are laying everybody off they said this one like that because if you lay him off problems ahead we can solve because this one has their comforter when Daniel was in

Babylon the wise men were about to die until Daniel showed up because Daniel came with unique insights such that they couldn't kill the wise men they needed Daniel someone is receiving unique strength listen listen listen hey hey those days are where you are studying and you say I can't study when I study nothing is sticking in my head you need the Holy Spirit I read and read and read and I'm just confused I can't see anything and the same thing others are reading and excelling and you are reading and you can't excel you need the comforter you need the comforter you need the comforter I don't know why anything my life does is upsetting me and I'm just getting I don't know I'm losing my don't lose your mind you need the Holy Spirit you need the Holy Spirit and God loves us so much once you are born again I'm going to send you the comforter send him to you so that he will abide with you forever he's not coming for temporal visitation he's coming to stay with you and stick with you you must believe

[ 34 : 15 ] God your children must not be the last in the class the devil is a liar no no no no no way no way no way no way it's not nice for teachers to always call you this your son I think he has a problem he said everything okay he said I have been trying and by the time when the report is coming you are praying before you open the report because you know that headache is coming but the story is changing from today you will excel do you know why because you are going in the strength that is not yours what originally was not your forte is becoming a common occurrence in your life people look at you and they will say people like you shouldn't be able to produce this kind of thing and yet you are producing it in amazing numbers amazing dimension why because they're comforter because they're comforter because their comforter because their comforter is with you if you believe in sharia when you hear the trinity what comes to mind what what we mean by the trinity i can hear you one more time for the last time and what's that the trinity father son and what we didn't say father son the spirit and we didn't say holy father holy son but why the holy spirit because it is he who applies one the holiness of god on us and he can only it's like you want a helicopter to land in peckham we have to find a park but can't land the flats are why because you have to create space so for you to have a successful and effective relationship with the holy spirit you have to create space create space in these times of kingdom investment create space look at what

God said to Moses before then you see when you walk with the holy spirit and you talk with the holy spirit it's not good though in Isaiah chapter 63 verse 10 those who enjoy grieving the holy spirit look at what he says but they rebelled and grieved his holy spirit so he turned himself against them as an enemy when you come to church don't come and grieve the holy spirit and Ananias and Sophia did that and they saw the other side of the holy spirit listen may I submit to someone this is not just an ordinary non alcoholic gathering can I say it again this gathering is not just an ordinary non alcoholic gathering or religious gathering the spirit of God is here God is how can someone can just be healed just by a declaration and is healed something else was operating here because you didn't have to touch the person he says

God God is healing you receiving and the person is healed how did that happen the spirit is here so if you underestimate the influence working here you will have to answer some things yourself because he said they grieve him and he turned against them especially when he's on the move stay out of his path if you will not comply then stay out of his path other than that you become a victim hallelujah a sound m talked to x verse five

God told Moses when Moses came near yes that's right that's what I'm looking for he says that he said to him do not draw near this place take your sandals off your feet why?

for the place where you stand is holy say holy say holy anything holy cannot accept anything or cannot accept everything anything holy cannot accept everything so to have my title I'm talking about the company of the comforter to secure his company some things that may not be holy or that would not be classified by him as holy but stay away because as soon as Moses he showed up to Moses he appeared to Moses he decided to show up but as soon as he showed up Moses was interested he said Moses wait remove the sandals the sandals is a statement it epitomizes connection with the world your connection with the world worldliness lust flesh he said remove it put it aside you can't walk with the Holy Spirit with lust and worldliness choking your system it does not work right in Joshua chapter 5 verse 15 the same thing happened



[ 39 : 37 ] Joshua had an encounter with the captain of the lost horse and when he was coming closer the angel told him take your sandals off your feet for the place where you stand no it's ah so God doesn't want anyone to wear shoes no he said the condition is where you stand it's not about shoes it has to do with connection connection to worldliness connection to the world some of us want to enjoy the Holy Spirit but we are filled with all kinds of emotional baggage all kinds of things all kinds of bitterness all kinds of food all kinds of stuff you can't do that when you are born again the Holy Spirit comes upon your life it comes upon your life for him to work through you something must live your life did you hear that something must live your life oh this one is a holy man everyone everyone is called to be holy as long as you are born again if you are not born again please you don't fall in the category

I'm talking about if you have not given and surrendered your life to Jesus you can you can receive healing you can receive miracles you can receive blessings because God is a good God once you come into that atmosphere if it's raining here you'll be soaked as well alright so that's how God works it's general benevolence alright the general grace of God can affect anybody but for the Holy Spirit to use you for him to come upon you and to work with you you first of all must belong to Jesus you first of all want to pave the way for the Holy Spirit to rest upon a person's life and to enjoy communication with the Holy Spirit is number one prayer say prayer say prayer I'm not talking about our father who art in heaven hello be daddy I'm not talking about that I'm talking that is recitation that's recitation you are reciting some stuff can you imagine every day you go to your husband or your wife or your son comes to you then he has written everything he has to talk to you and then come and read it father today I'm going to is that a relationship that's not a relationship you might as well get the computer to do it or your iPad to do it like the woman the husband was struggling with her and they were at loggerheads and the husband had to wake up early he didn't sleep early so he wrote a note when he was going to bed put you on the table that wife told the wife when it's 6 please wake me up and the wife also no problem he saw the note so when it was 6 he also wrote it is 6 wake up you those things are recitation

I'm talking about prayer there's no one who is so busy that he can't attend to emergency even our prime minister when he's on holiday and there is an emergency he stops the holidays and comes busy busy you are so busy you can't eat haven't you realized you are dying it happens to a lot of people sometimes we are so busy you can't eat doctors tell you you have to take time to eat you are so busy you can't sleep you will break down there are some things that are non-negotiables in life godliness is non-negotiable spending time with God is non-negotiable as a Christian when you go to church when you pray you are not doing anybody a favor you are not doing a pastor a favor you are just doing yourself a favor so that their comforter will come on you with a unique forte for you to have great achievement in your own life shall I believe say hallelujah if you are sick you are not permitted you are not supposed to take the sickness back home drop it here you are not supposed you have to make a decision that I'm leaving the sickness here

I'm going healed I'm going healed I'm going healed tomorrow someone is going back to your GP by this week someone is going back to the doctors and you will hear that their sickness is no more there shout amen I know what I'm talking about do you know why because the comforter is here quickly prayer number two word I didn't realize that if you don't study the word of God strongly and more you really miss flow with the Holy Spirit so you have to take time to read your Bible study your Bible spend time with your Bible it intensifies and strengthens the connection with the Holy Spirit and number three God of time number three say practice say practice say practice the things you practice will determine how the Spirit of God can hang around you the things you practice whether publicly or secretly practice Bible says put off in Colossians chapter 3 verse 5 down 5 to 8 it says that lay aside put off there are some things

Colossians chapter 3 there are some things that need to be put off so that the Holy Spirit can really have a flow in your life some things must be put off sister brother you have to check your practices as a Christian a Christian cannot do anything and everything I don't want to be religious no this is not talking about religious you are creating room for the Spirit of God to be able to work with you to keep his company because for him to work with you and work through you some things must leave you some relationships must go that's when pastors they are always preaching about this you have to do this no no no no no I don't have time for that I am so hungry for the Holy Spirit and I believe that there are people here who want more of the Holy Spirit as well so these are the things that can help you it is listen the presence of the Holy Spirit on people's life is not the exclusive preserve of pastors and ministers because you are a preacher that's why no no no he comes on Christians not preachers

[ 45 : 24 ] Christians preachers is just part of their duty there are preachers who are preaching and the Holy Ghost is not on them don't you know about that you can train and read there are nowadays preachers go on the internet and do a search and get sermon outlines and come and preach the Holy Ghost doesn't have to tell them they will find it on the internet and come and preach they won't pray they are very eloquent see if it has to do with eloquence I shouldn't be standing in the corner there are people here who are more eloquent than me it has to do with their calling and grace and their spirit say hallelujah hallelujah and so practice watch your practice Galatians chapter 5 from 19 to 21 a very serious from particularly verse 16 to 21 a very interesting text these are the last quoting then I rest my case Galatians chapter 5 what did I say Galatians chapter 5 some of you don't know where Galatians is Galatians is near a city called Ephesus hallelujah

Galatians chapter 5 from verse 16 very interesting text alright take note of this it says that I say walk in the spirit and you will not fulfill the law of the flesh for the flesh is against the spirit and the spirit against the flesh and these are contrary to one another so that you do not do the things that you wish alright so the flesh is contrary to the spirit the flesh is contrary to the spirit fighting against the spirit the spirit is trying to do something in your life and your flesh is trying to stop the spirit and all that it becomes a battle an ongoing battle but if you are led verse 18 but if you are led by the spirit you are not under the law now the works of the flesh watch this the works of the flesh are evident you don't need to be told are evident which are adultery fornication uncleanness lewdness idolatry sorcery hatred contentions jealousies sisters jealousies sisters brothers jealousies jealousies outburst of wrath outburst of wrath even in the car outburst of wrath at home it is the work of the flesh and it chokes the Holy Ghost your practice can stop the Holy Ghost outburst of what wrath that's for me you know

I throw tantrums that's my nature anything outburst of wrath please watch that self ambitions dissensions heresies envy murder drunkenness reveries and the like there are a lot and the like and the like watch this what it says the like of which I tell you beforehand just as just as I also told you in time past that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God so you inherit the prayer you can't inherit the Holy Ghost can't stay around you because it's holy some things can affect please don't think that okay once I come and pray and pray and pray the Holy Spirit will come you are praying and praying and praying but you are acting and acting and acting to suck him away our actions tell him whether we want him or not that's why kingdom investment please brothers and sisters take some time invest into securing a relationship with the Holy Spirit invest invest your energy in prayer in Bible reading in regular church attendance it will help you amen hallelujah and finally let me show you this in Colossians as I said earlier

Colossians chapter 3 there's something there it's kind of an interesting text which I want us to take notice of Colossians chapter 3 right from verse verse 5 therefore put put to death your members which are on the earth fornication cleanliness passions your members yes your members it's interesting not church members so your members it's with you and I say when you say that's how I am you know your members a man you are beating your wife that's how I am that's how I am I don't understand how you can do that we have to beat you because of this is this is this is this is quite scary because of these things which are what are these things the things that because of these things the wrath of God is coming upon the sons of disobedience in which you yourself once walked say once walked so that means once you come to Christ you are not supposed to be walking in these things again right you yourself once walked when you lived in them but now you yourself are to put off all these things anger say anger wrath say wrath malice say malice blasphemy say blasphemy filthy language filthy language out of your mouth there are some things you should never be found saying because you want the

Holy Spirit around you sister don't say brother don't say it it is filthy language it will drive the Holy Ghost away hallelujah this one is a serious one look at the verse nine do not lie to one another since I do not do what lie do not do what lie this is specifically for you lift up your hands let's pray ask the Holy Spirit that Holy Spirit I need you more in my life I need more of you in my life come on pray right now pray a genuine prayer I need more of you you are the comforter you are the comforter you are the comforter I need more of you in my life I need more Lord

[ 51 : 25 ] I give you my heart I give you my soul I live for you alone every breath that I take every moment I'm awake Lord have your way in me this is my desire Holy Spirit I need more of you I need more of you I need more of you I need more of you I need more of you I need more of you thank you for listening for more resources please visit carious.org and call us on 0207 740 9960 God bless you