

1. The Holy Spirit will convict the world of sin

John 16:8 "When he comes he will convict the world of guilt in regard to sin, righteousness and judgement:" (NIV=New International Version 1985)

John 16:9 "in regard to sin,..." (NIV 1985)

John 3:18 "Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but whoever does not believe stands condemned already because they have not believed in the name of God's one and only Son." (NIV)

John 3:16-17 "For God so loved the world that He gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him." (NIV)

John 15:26-27 "When the Counselor comes, whom I will send to you from the Father-the Spirit of truth who goes out from the Father-he will testify about me. ²⁷And you also must testify..." (NIV)

2. The Holy Spirit convicts in regard to righteousness

John 16:10 "in regards to righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer:" (NIV)

John 9:24 "...Give glory to God," they said. "We know this man is a sinner." (NIV 1985)

John 10:33 "...you, a mere man, claim to be God." (NIV)

Matthew 12:24 "But when the Pharisees heard this, they said, "It is only by Beelzebub, the prince of demons, that this fellow drives out demons." (NIV)

Deuteronomy 21:23 "...anyone who is hung on a tree is under God's curse." (NIV 1985)

Galatians 3:13 "Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us, for it is written: "Cursed is everyone who is hung on a tree."" (NIV 1985)

2 Corinthians 5:21 "God made Him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God." (NIV 1985)

Acts 3:14 "You disowned the Holy and Righteous One and asked that a murder be released..." (NIV)

3. The Holy Spirit convicts in regard to judgement

John 16:11 "and in regard to judgement." (NIV 1985)

Acts 17:31 "For he has set a day when he will judge the world with justice by the man he has appointed. He has given proof of this to all men by raising him from the dead." (NIV 1985)

John 5:22-23 "Moreover, the Father Judges no one, but has entrusted all judgement to the Son,²³ that all may honor the Son just as they honor the Father. ..." (NIV)