

Divin' In – Wednesday Night Bible Study

THE CHURCH OF THE SPRINGS – 4/30/25

Back on our March 12, 2025 Bible Study, we talked about the TRI-unity of God, the ONE true God, but at the same time a MULTIPLE-UNITY one, like one congregation, or one cluster of grapes. But do WE also have a “trinity” nature?



The Trinity of People



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. God will make this happen, for He who calls you is **faithful**.”

AMP “...your spirit and soul and body...” / **CSB** “...whole spirit, soul, and body...”
LSB “...your spirit and soul and body...” / **KJV** “...whole spirit and soul and body...”
ESV “...whole spirit and soul and body...” / **TLB** “...your spirit and soul and body...”

Isaiah 42:1 ESV

[God] “Behold my Servant, whom I uphold, My **chosen**, in whom My soul delights; I have put My **Spirit** upon Him; He will bring forth justice to the nations.”

Matthew 3:16-17 ESV

“And when Jesus was baptized, immediately He went up from the water, and behold, the **heavens** were opened to Him, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a **dove** and coming to rest on Him; and behold, a **Voice** from heaven said, ‘This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.’”

BODY, SOUL, and SPIRIT

The **BODY**, is world conscious. Because you hear, smell, see, taste, and feel. Your body is **WORLD** conscious.

The **SOUL** is the part of you that has memory. **YOUR** memory, **YOUR** history, **YOUR** personality....and **THAT** part lives on forever. Your soul is **SELF** conscious.

And your **SPIRIT** is the part that belongs to God, goes back to God, and the **SPIRIT** is **GOD** conscious.

Hebrews 4:12 NASB

“For the **Word** of God is living and active, and sharper than any two-edged sword, even penetrating as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and able to **judge** the thoughts and **intentions** of the heart.”

HOWEVER....

The Hebrew word **nephesh** refers to an *integrated*, living being, life or self.

Genesis 2:7 CSB [Body and spirit together comprise a living soul.]

“Then the Lord God formed the man out of the **dust** from the ground and breathed the breath of life into his **nostrils**, and the man became a living being.”

Psalms 97:10 LSB

“Hate evil, you who love Yahweh, Who **keeps** the souls of His holy ones; He delivers them from the hand of the **wicked**.”

Isaiah 26:9 LSB [Soul and spirit the same thing with 2 different names.]

“At night my soul longs for You, indeed, my spirit within me seeks You **earnestly**; for when the earth experiences Your judgments, the inhabitants of the world learn **righteousness** [the quality of being morally right or justifiable].”

Mark 12:30 NLT [Quoting Deuteronomy 6:4-5] [So, FOUR parts?]

[Jesus] “And you must **love** the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength.”

2 Corinthians 7:1 CJB [We are intended to experience an intimate relationship with God.]

“Therefore, my dear friends, since we have these promises, let us **purify** ourselves from everything that can defile either body or spirit, and strive to be completely **holy**, out of reverence for God.”