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The Holy Spirit came as God's **presence** after Jesus left.

God's kingdom/people/purpose... everywhere simultaneously As the disciples had traveled and lived with Jesus, he had always been **available** to them.

This is (part of) the emphasis of the unique word Jesus used... paraclete.







para = along side of (English > parallel)

kaleo = to call (English > call)

The Holy Spirit is called along side of us by our trials, fears, and needs. His response is triggered by our helplessness, our need to know, our danger, our ignorance, our weakness, etc.





a) advocate (standing with us as comforter, companion, friend (John 14:18) guide (showing us how to live) 16:13 b) teacher (making us wise) 14:26, 15:26 C) prompter (convicting/convincing.. d) truth and error) 16:8-10 e) delegator (giving us the influence that **Jesus had)** 16:15

A new promise... the Holy Spirit is not simply <u>with</u> us, but is <u>in</u> us... not simply for a <u>day</u> or a job, but for our entire <u>life</u>.

He <u>seals</u> our hearts... He <u>keeps</u> us by his power until our full salvation is realized.





When I ask/trust Christ to save me, I <u>receive</u> the Spirit.

(1 Cor. 12:13)

The Spirit give me **power**. (Acts 1:8)

<u>Unity</u> and <u>peace</u> with other Christians is prompted and promoted by the Holy Spirit. (Eph. 4:3-6)

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