

## THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH

John 16:1-15  
Key verse 13a

### *Discussion questions:*

- What is the truth that only the Holy Spirit can tell us?
- How does this strengthen our witness and our Christian life?

### *Inductive study questions:*

1. What has Jesus been telling them in the Upper Room dialogue? Why was Jesus telling them these things? (1, 4) Why would Jesus' followers be persecuted then and now? (2-3)
2. What did Jesus know about the disciples' state of mind? (5-6) Why is the Holy Spirit more advantageous than Jesus' physical presence? (7)
3. What does the Holy Spirit prove to the world? (8) What is the root sin? (9) How does Jesus reveal righteousness? (10) How does the Holy Spirit change people's mind about judgment? (11; Acts 17:31)
4. In what way did Jesus' disciples need to grow? (12-14) What does the Holy Spirit guide us into and how? How does the Holy Spirit glorify Jesus and help us? (14-15)