

## Our Divine Teacher

We not only need a Divine Savior, we also need a Divine Teacher.

The Holy Spirit came to teach us just as truly as

The Lord Jesus came to save us.

### **1 Corinthians 2:10,11**

We must learn to trust Him to do his work IN us,

just as we trust the Lord Jesus to do His work FOR us.

This morning, let us consider four (4) characteristics of The Holy Spirit's teaching.

#### I. HIS TEACHING IS INDISPENSABLE.

##### **1 Corinthians 2:11-14**

*No one can know God's thoughts except God's own Spirit.*

Except for the teaching of the Holy Spirit, God's ways are past finding out

##### **Romans 11:33-35**

Man is incapable of knowing God, or the things of God unless he is taught by God!

And that The Holy Ghost Alone can do!

#### II. HIS TEACHING IS INFALLIBLE.

*For his Spirit searches out everything and shows us God's deep secrets. 1 Corinthians 2:10*

##### **Isaiah 40:13**

If we reject the Holy Spirit and His teaching, we will never gain spiritual wisdom.

##### **Proverbs 14:12**

True Spiritual Wisdom can only be found through the teaching of the Holy Spirit.

#### III. HIS TEACHING IS ALL-SUFFICIENT.

##### **1 John 2:26, 27**

But wait!

##### **Ephesians 4:11-16**

Yes, the Lord has called pastors and teachers for the perfecting of the saints.

The 1<sup>st</sup>. priority of all preaching and teaching must be to equip the saints.

a. To become more like Christ.

b. To grow to Spiritual Maturity.

Those goals can only be achieved when the focus of that preaching, and teaching is on

The Lord and developing an intimate walk with Him.

Still:

*But when the Father sends the Advocate as my representative—that is, the Holy Spirit—he will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you. John 14:26*

##### **John 16:13, 14**

Here is the key

##### **John 7:16, 17**

#### IV. HIS TEACHING IS UNASSUMING

*He will not speak on his own but will tell you what he has heard. John 16:13*

In this He is the example to all pastors and teachers.

If He is so unassuming, how should we appear?