

The Human Spirit – How to avoid working in witchcraft

Good Morning Class,

Since we are constantly dealing with the demonic forces of Hell, I felt led to put this class together on the Human Spirit.

There are a lot of saints of God who do not walk in discernment of spirits, or just plain old discernment at all, and they need too.

I Cor 12: 4 – 11

There are different gifts but all the same spirit. If we are all flowing in the spirit the gift that is needed will come out when God wants it to come out.

If you don't know this, the prophetic and deliverance go hand in hand: you cannot really be a prophetic church or people without knowing or operating in some form of the deliverance ministry.

God spoke to Pst. Barbara and told her that He was beginning to move in the Deliverance area of the anointing.

I haven't heard her say any different, so I believe that this is still where God has the anointing right now for deliverance.

If we are listening to the voice of God, whether it be through His direct voice or through His prophets, we can readily discern the things that go on around about us.

It's important that we all as an everyday believer know that we are not fighting against flesh and blood but against principalities and powers of darkness.

The devil is real, his princes are real, demons are real, witches and warlocks are real.

We have talked about this before but we serve a real God and we at times have to fight a real devil.

God does not want us to be ignorant of what happens on an everyday basis in the spirit realm.

I have noticed that there has been a lot of talk by the prophets and prophetic people about traveling in the spirit realm.

Rev 1: 10 – John was in the Spirit on the Lord's day.

Acts 10: 10 – Paul was fasting and fell into a trance

II Cor 12: 2 – Paul was caught up to the third heaven

Rev 4: 2 I was in the Spirit

Rev 17: 3 John was carried away in the Spirit

All of these scriptures suggest that either John or Paul had no knowledge that they were going to be caught up in the spirit, nor did they expect God to catch them away in the Spirit... It just happened...

Does everyone see that?

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I am getting ready to make a point here that is extremely important.

All of these scriptures that we just read suggest that John and Paul had no prior knowledge that they were going to be carried away in the Spirit.

God chose to pull them out of there body and take them where it was that He wanted them to go...

Pst. Barbara had a similar experience... I have heard her tell it many times... The story has never changed... A voice spoke to her and told her to get up and kneel by her bed...

She was carried away in the Spirit and God showed her the visions that she saw...

Pst. Barbara wasn't lying there before thinking to herself let me go and see a vision...

If you are praying and forcing yourself to have a vision, if you are praying and forcing yourself to leave your body, you are operating in witchcraft.

If you are praying and forcing yourself to dream about heaven, think about heaven, be in heaven, and this doesn't happen by the will of God, you have opened a door for witchcraft to work in your life.

It needs to be said that if you initiate your spiritual traveling you are doing it in your flesh and God isn't involved in it.

Does everyone understand? Is anyone confused? [Pass out HO 1](#)

I Corin 15: 44 (Figure A)

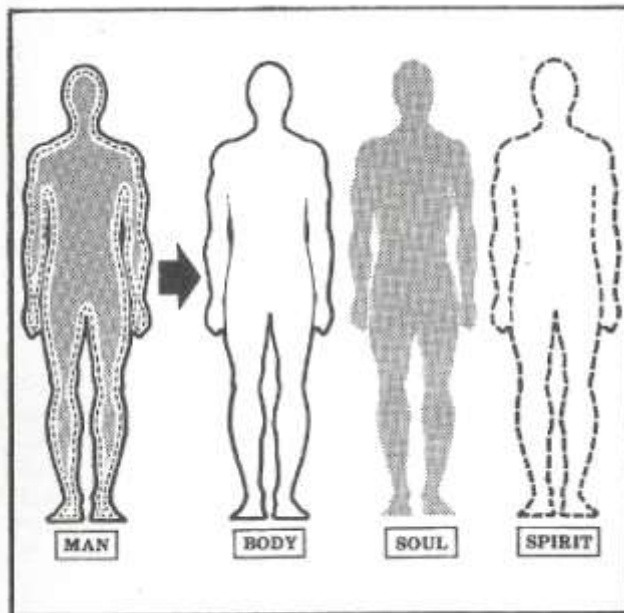


Figure A

Our spirits have a form or shape, a body corresponding to our physical body.

Rebecca Browns says, "That few people other than Satanists or those involved in such things as astral projection realize this."

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We read these scriptures earlier (**Rev 4: 2 and II Cor 12: 2**) but these scriptures show an experience perceived in the person's spirit, and that the spirit body was separated from the physical body.

Notice when John stated that he was in the 'spirit' that it is spelled with a small 's' signifying his own human spirit.

Rebecca Brown states that every time the Holy Spirit is referred to in scripture it is spelled with a capital 'S' as in **Rev 1: 10**

Rev 1: 10 and Hebrews 4: 12

Notice when John stated that he was in the 'spirit'

Hebrew 4: 12 has the small 's'

Did you ever wonder why it is necessary to divide between our soul and spirit?

According to **Hebrews 4: 12** if you take the sword of the Spirit a division can be made between the soul and the spirit.

Before the fall of Adam, Adam could relate to, and see the spirit world as easily as he could see the physical world. How?

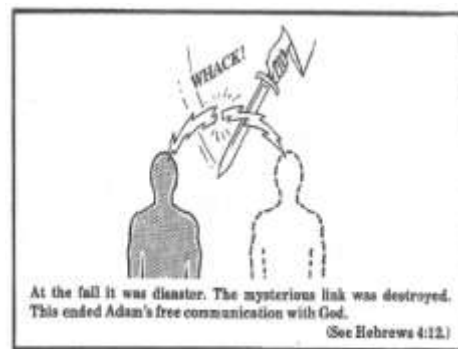
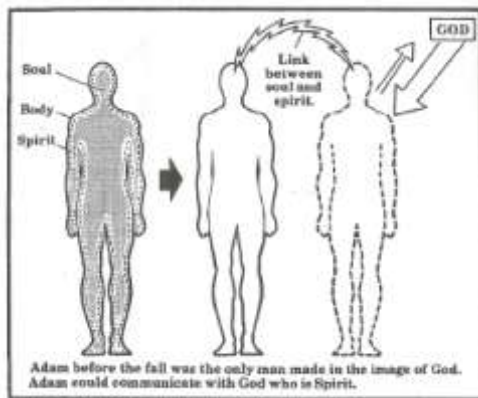
By the use of his spiritual body: this is demonstrated by the ease with which Adam could walk and talk with God in the Garden of Eden.

Adam had a conscious awareness of his spiritual body as well as his physical body.

Adams soul (conscious intellect and will) controlled both his spiritual and physical bodies.

But at the fall, spiritual death took place – that is Adam and us, were no longer consciously aware of our spiritual body, and thus could not commune with the Lord as he had once done.

Figure B and C



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Now, when the Holy Spirit comes in at the rebirth when you become born again, your spiritual body is reborn and the connection is remade between you and God.

It is through our spiritual body that we commune with and worship the Lord as Adam did before the fall.

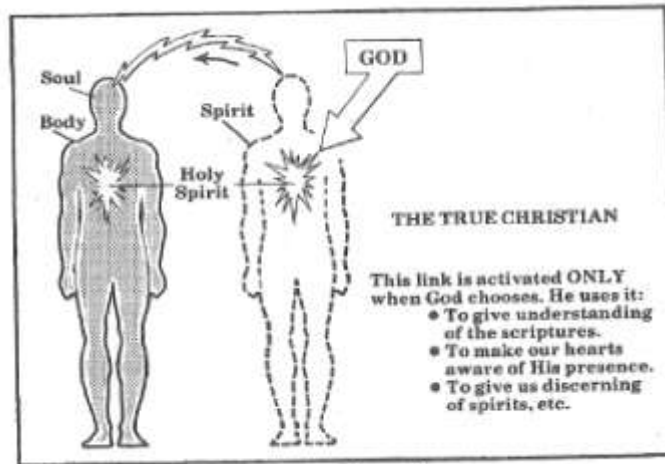
John 4: 23 – 24

It is through our human spirit (small 's') that we commune with God with the help of the Holy Spirit 'S'

Does your Bible have the difference in spelling?

Now Rebecca Brown concludes with Therefore: Therefore only a spirit can commune (that is communicate with the spirit world, this case worshipping God the Father who is a Spirit with a capital 'S').

Show figure D [Pass out Handout 2](#)



Is everyone still with me?

We are going to get into right now so if you have a question, stop me!

Psalm 104: 4

Angels are also clearly defined in the Bible as being spirits...

Hebrews 1: 13 – 14

Notice here that Paul quotes Psalms in Hebrews

Satan and his demons are fallen angels before they rebelled.

Jesus Himself defines these creatures as angels and thus spirits with a small 's'. (**Matt 25: 41** for reference)

So we see from scripture and many others that not only is God a spirit, but there are other spirit beings as well called angels – some angels work for God, some work for the devil.

Our spiritual bodies are the link between us and the spirit world because the spirit world cannot be seen or measured with anything physical.

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Rebecca Brown says, "Through the Holy Spirit, our spirits are able to commune with and worship God, but the scripture in **Hebrews 4: 12** shows us that it is not God's will for us to regain the conscious control of our spirit bodies while we remain here on the earth in our sinful condition.

This is why the sword of the Spirit severs between the soul and spirit.

Once the severing has taken place the soul (mind, intellect, and will) can no longer control the spirit body.

Now, we are not supposed to let our soul be in control of our spirit body.

Why? Our soul is geared towards satisfying the flesh, the soulish nature within ourselves.

I need to sleep, I need to eat, I need to use the bathroom, I want hugged, I want stroked, I want my pamper changed. The things of the soul...

I Peter 2: 11

James 4: 1

Our soul is geared towards a mindset of taking care of the things of the world.

We quote this scripture all the time but do we really take into account what Matt 26: 41 says when we hear Jesus saying this to us... Jesus told his disciples, "Watch and pray, that you enter not into temptation the spirit is indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak..."

Eph 4: 17 - 24

The soul – the mind, intellect, and will have to be renewed on a consistent basis...

Paul told the Ephesians you have to get a new mind, your old one is not geared towards God.

And we have to renew our minds with the washing of the water of the Word.

It's important that you crucify your flesh with the Word... It's important that you take the sword of the Lord and use it on yourself...

It's meant to be used on you, you take it and cut deep into your flesh, and you tell yourself that you are not supposed to act that way.

You read the Word and put it in front of your face and you yield yourself to the Spirit of God.

What's the word say, Walk not after the flesh so that you will not fulfill the lust of the flesh...

I Thes 5: 19 – 23

These again are instructions from Paul

Paul knew that the flesh was weak, but Paul prayed for the Thessalonians that all three parts of their bodies would remain pure before God. Body, Soul, Spirit.

Remember our spiritual bodies are the link between us and the spirit world and if your soul or your flesh is has regained its control over your spirit body.

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You will not be in communion with God.

This is why when you fast, you can hear God easier, your soul is not dominating your spirit man.

Your spirit man is free to hear from God without interference from your soul.

This is why have to be watchful of everything that you do, because you can shut down your own communication line between you and God.

Quench the Holy Spirit, will shut down the communication between you and God. When you do that you are usurping God's will/authority for your will/authority.

Our spirit must be under total mastership of Jesus Christ.

Rev 18: 11 & 13

Rebecca Brown: "There is a distinction drawn here between bodies and souls of men.

Why? Because there is a phenomenal amount of power and intelligence in the spirit bodies of humans especially when those spirit bodies are under the control of their soul.

Satan has been working steadily down through the ages since the fall of Adam to gain the use of these spiritual bodies for his own evil schemes.

Men's physical bodies are weak and really are of little use to satan, but their spiritual bodies under the conscious control of their souls, are very different.

Satan's goal is to teach humans to again regain the conscious control of their spiritual bodies.

Many humans have learned this hidden art...

Remember that the word occult means hidden...

Once a human learns how to consciously take control of their spiritual body they can perceive the spirit world as well as the physical world.

They can talk freely with demons, leave their physical bodies with their spirit bodies, and with full conscious awareness go places and do things with, what seems to the average human, supernatural power.

It is with their spirit bodies that the various witches and warlocks, without being physically present, would pull Elaine and Dr. Brown out of bed, throw them across the room, etc.

Elaine and Dr. Brown were unable to see them because their physical eyes cannot see into the spirit world.

Dr Brown says, "God does not want his people to control their spirit bodies in such manner.

If we did so, not only would we be open to overwhelming temptations to sin, we would not need to be dependant upon Him and we would also be constantly aware of satan and his kingdom.

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There is a special class of demons who frequently refer to themselves as 'power demons' who seem to provide the 'glue' so to speak, to establish the link between the soul and the spirit body enabling the person involved to gain conscious control of his spirit body.

The imagination is a key stepping stone to develop the link between soul and spirit.

That is why it is so important to bring every thought into captivity into Christ. (**II Cor 10: 3 – 5**)

A good example of the imagination as a link with the spirit world is found in the occult role-playing fantasy games.

See Figure E, F, & G

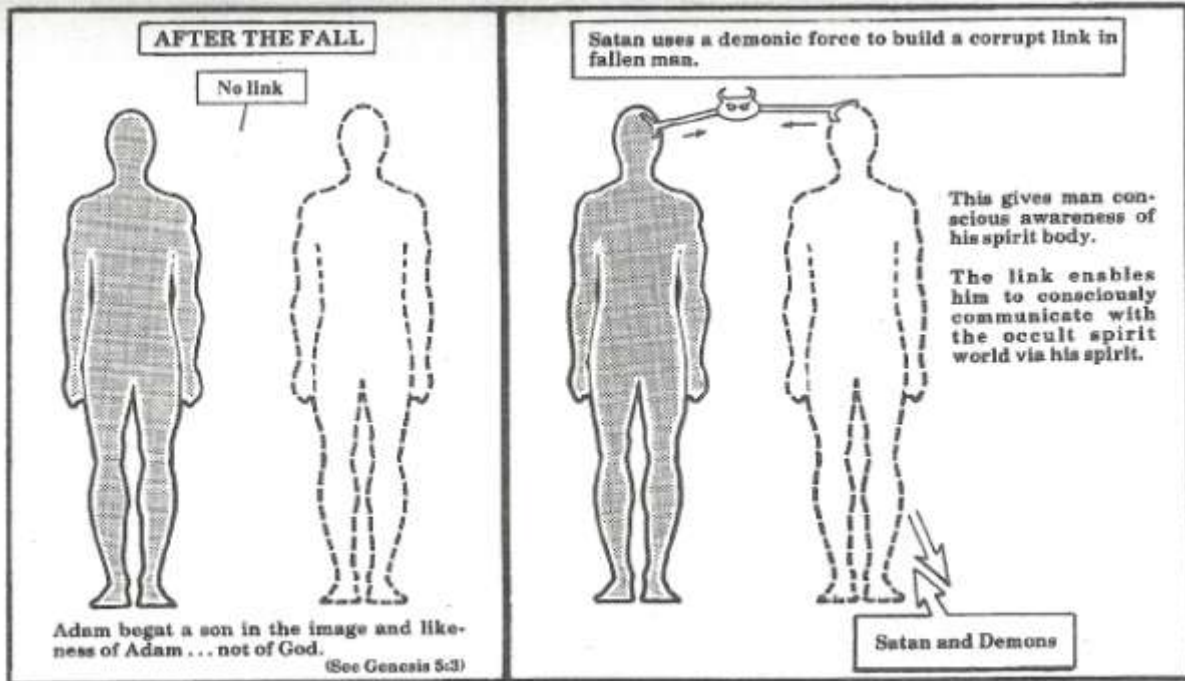
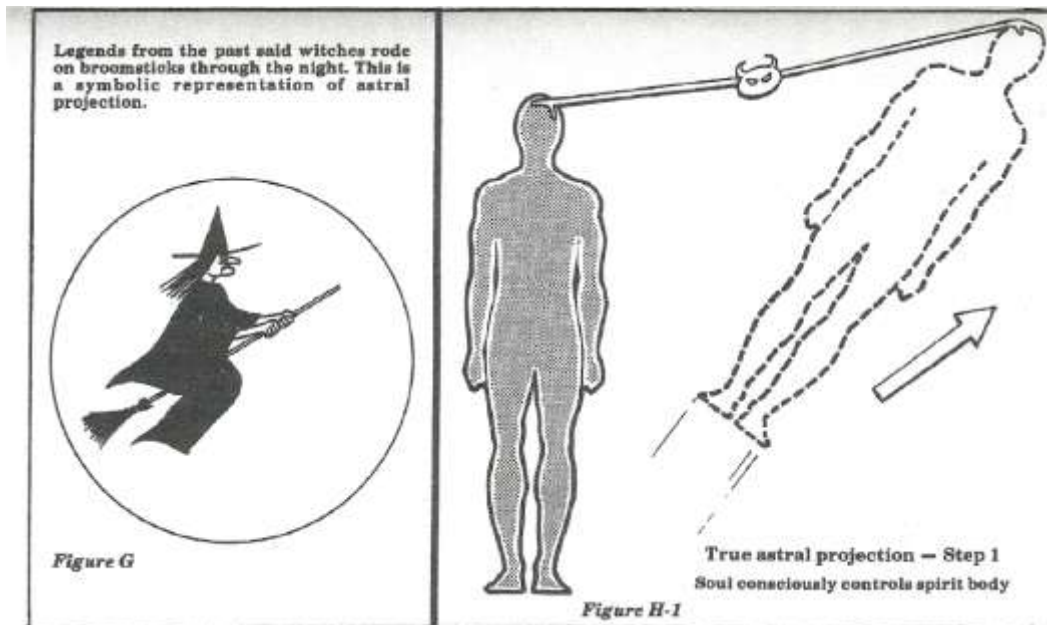
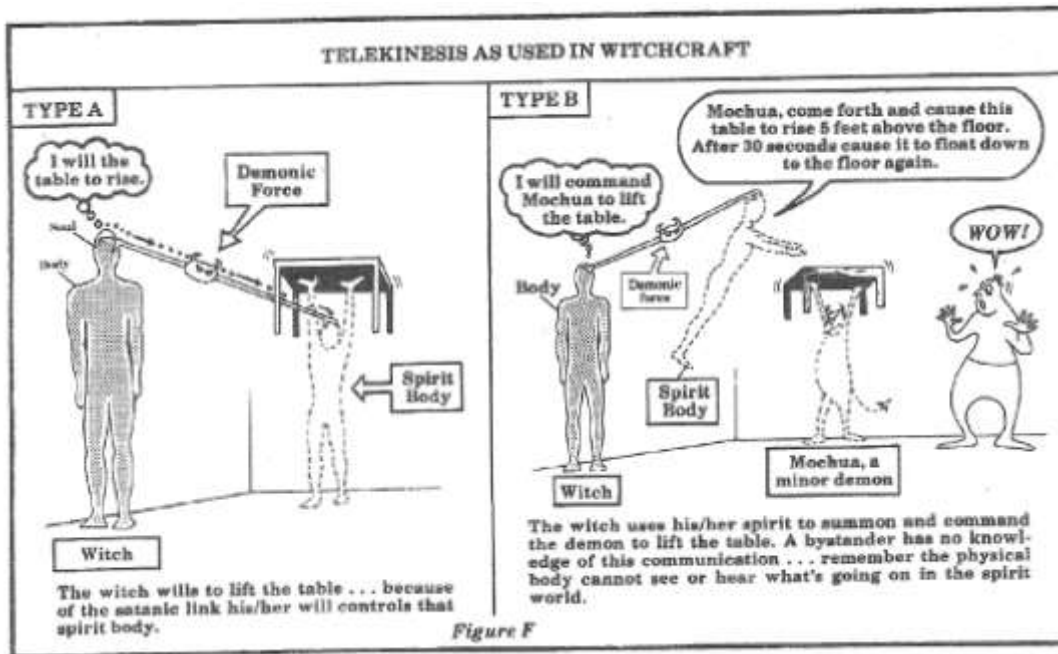


Figure E

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We have found that this is very overlooked area in deliverance and frequently this doorway is left open.

This results in much suffering as satan and his demons will continuously harass the person.

We Christians must be very careful to ask the Lord to take complete control of our spirits.

Many Christians fall into the trap of learning to control their own spirits.

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Many people are meditating page 170 stop

There has been someone who has been saying that she can travel to heaven at will and she claims that she goes there quite frequently.

That threw a warning light up in my spirit right away, it sounded very much like what the witches and warlocks do with astral projection.

I remembered what I read in Rebecca Browns book, "He Came to Set the Captives Free."

It was something that she said of what she had learned about the Human Spirit through Elaine who was a witch that God used Dr. Brown to help set free.

Chapter 14 is called The Human Spirit, Standing in the Gap, and the Spirit World.

Let's talk about Human spirits...

Human spirits – this is the power that witches and warlocks, like Elaine, developed and used in the art of occult.

I Thessa 5: 23

It was Paul who taught us that we humans are tripartite beings.

We have three separate parts: the body, the soul (which is our mind, will and emotions), and the spirit.

We just read in I Thessa 5: 23 that our spirit, soul, and body must be cleansed and committed to Jesus...

Jesus will enable us to keep all three parts blameless...

Gen 2: 7 says "And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul."

Adam lived and became aware of himself...

Our self is our soul which manifests in our mind, our will and our emotions

This morning I want to talk about this new phenomenon that is sweeping the prophetic church and I want to give you a warning from God.

Don't be seeking after experiences... seek after God.

I remember Pst. Barbara telling of a story of Sis. Theresa who was crying that she wanted to hear the voice of God... She cried out and cried out and a voice started talking to her, but it was the wrong voice.

Through discernment of spirits and deliverance Pst. Barbara got rid of that false voice that was speaking to Theresa.

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I believe that God wants us to understand how important it is for us to really be seeking Him and not just manifestations of Him.

This will get you a religious spirit in a heart beat.

We don't like to talk about this but the fake spirit is out there also... The devil does imitate the true and if you are not discerning, if the people that are around about you are not discerning you can be taken over by a demonic principality and power.

By me telling you this, I don't want you to stop seeking for the real God, I do want you to be aware of the fake that is out there.

I have told you all this before, there was a man who came in here with demonic tongues, he would be speaking in tongues and saying praise you satan at the same time, we have seen people who can manifest a shouting spirit, the dance at the drop of the hat...

A spirit has taken them over and they can't control it, it makes them do that, it makes them shout...

You will know by discerning of spirits whether these things are of God or not, the problem right now is that the body of Christ is so hungry for a move God we are just accepting any spirit and we are not testing the spirit to see if its of God or not.

If you are walking with the true Holy Spirit, your spirit man will bear witness whether or not a manifestation that is occurring is of God.

Again, we have taught on this before but I really felt led to refresh you all on this...

I John 4: 1 – 6

This is words coming from the Apostle John, he prophetically saw what was going to be happening in our day.

He saw the many false prophets and false teachers that were going to around in our day.

He saw the many anti-christ spirits that are here now amongst us, and he warned us to test the spirits.

I want to remind you who the Apostle John was: He was closest to Jesus, he was the most intimate with Jesus, he knew and prophesied about the things that were most terrible that Jesus knew would be happening in our day.

He was in love with everything that God did, and because of his intimacy with Jesus, Jesus revealed the deepest things to him.

So don't take his words lightly, don't take his warnings lightly this morning.

Jeremiah 29: 8 – 9

This passage cross references straight over to I John 4: 1, test the spirits; test the prophecy's...

Remember that in the last days the delusion, the deception was going to be so strong that even the very elect would be deceived.

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Matt 24: 4 – 14

This passage is also a cross reference from I John 4: 1

We see that it talks about false prophets and deception that is going to be strong in our time period.

I Thes 5: 21

I Corinthians 2: 11 – 16