# Lesson 26: God the Holy Spirit

## Memory work

You may also memorize the song on the other side of this sheet.

***53. Q. What do you believe concerning the Holy Spirit?***

*A. First, He is, together with the Father and the Son,*

*true and eternal God.*

*Second, He is also given to me,*

*to make me by true faith share in Christ and all His benefits*

*to comfort me, and*

*to remain with me forever.*

***57. Q. What comfort does the resurrection of the body offer you?***

*A. Not only shall my soul after this life immediately be taken up to Christ, my Head,*

*but also this my flesh, raised by the power of Christ,*

 *shall be reunited with my soul*

 *and made like Christ’s glorious body.*

## 58. Q. What comfort do you receive from the article about the life everlasting?

## A. Since I now already feel in my heart

##  the beginning of eternal joy,

##  I shall after this life possess perfect blessedness,

##  such as no eye has seen,

##  nor ear heard,

##  nor the heart of man conceived –

##  a blessedness in which to praise God forever.

## Homework

Look up John 14:15-27 and 16:5-15.

1.(2) Jesus says he will ask the Father to send *another* Counsellor. This implies there are at least two Counsellors. Which two Counsellors are there? (Hint: 1John 2:1)

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2.(2) Why will the other Counsellor be sent to the disciples (14:26)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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3.(2) Why will the other Counsellor be sent into the world (16:8)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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4.(1) How does the Lord Jesus also refer to this other Counsellor (16:13)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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5.(3) What does it mean that the Spirit “will not speak on his own authority”? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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***Alternative Memory Work – all of the following song***

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