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SINS AGAINST THE HOLY SPIRIT

The Person of the Holy Spirit refers to the distinct role of His Person- the unseen power of God, the Person through Whom divine power is conveyed. He reveals the plan of God on earth and is the agent for executing the Christian way of life.

The lack of material form or substance, of the Spirit does not make Him any less a person than the Father, Who is equally invisible. The term *ghost* is a mistranslation of πνευμα (πνευμα), which is used for Spirit. There is no word for ghost in Greek. Πηαντασμα (πηαντασμα), which means *apparition* [Matthew 14:26] is never used for the Third Person of the Trinity.

The role of the Holy Spirit must not be confused with the other Members of the Trinity. The phrase “the Lord is the Spirit” refers to the Holy Spirit [2 Corinthians 3:17], which asserts the deity of the Third Person, the phrase never means that the Spirit supersedes the presence of the resurrected indwelling Christ in the believer [Romans 8:10, Galatians 2:20, Colossians 1:37].

The activity of one Member of the Trinity cannot be attributed to the other. They are separate and distinct Persons, both of whom are equally present with and in the believer.

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BLASPHEMY AGAINST THE HOLY SPIRIT refers to the unpardonable sins committed by unbelievers during the Hypostatic union of the Lord Jesus Christ. This is the sin of rejecting the work of the Holy Spirit in convicting the unbelievers to change their mind toward Christ [Matthew 12:13-32].

The sin of blasphemy attributes the works of the Lord Jesus Christ as coming from the devil. It rejected the redemptive work on the cross for the sin of the human race. They called Him the devil or Satan.

RESISTING THE HOLY SPIRIT [Acts 7:51] is the sin of rejecting the Holy Spirit in making convicting the unbeliever to change their mind toward Christ –so as to believe and accept Christ as Savior.

LYING TO THE HOLY SPIRIT [Acts 5:1-10] is the sin of false motivation coming from the old sinful nature based from satanic and human viewpoint. Lying to the Holy Spirit may appears with any or all of the following characteristics:

- Ignorance of the True Bible doctrine
- Arrogance and hatred complexes
- Desire for human recognition
- False Humility
- Desire for self-glory and self-honor
- Desire for divine approbation

Lying to the Holy Spirit stems from selfish desires to be known as spiritual, faithful or committed servant of God. It is aspiring great thing for God without giving Him all the glory. It is human motivation energized by ego and arrogance to do little or great things for God.

QUENCHING THE HOLY SPIRIT is the sin committed by the believers perform as human good work- energized by the old sinful nature, coming from the area of strength of the soul that results to asceticism [1 Thessalonians 5:19, 2 Corinthians 11:13]. Quenching the Holy Spirit is human good works outside spirituality. It is doing noble or good things from the power of old sin nature and apart from the will and purpose of God. It is doing the will of God by human power and resources.

GRIEVING THE HOLY SPIRIT refers to personal sins of the believers coming from the area of weakness of the soul that results to lasciviousness [Galatians 5:19-21]. It is thinking and acting contrary to the will of God, based from the satanic viewpoint. It is the adaptation of satanic will, purpose and scheming into the human lifestyle.

THE UNPARDONABLE SIN

31 "Therefore I say to you, any sin (ἁμαρτία) and blasphemy (βλασφημία) shall be forgiven men, but blasphemy (βλασφημία) against the Spirit shall not be forgiven.

32 "And whoever shall speak a word against the Son of Man, it shall be forgiven him; but whoever shall speak against the Holy Spirit, it shall not be forgiven him, either in this age, or in the age to come.

28 "Truly I say to you, all sins shall (παντα τα ἁμαρτεματα) be forgiven the sons of men, and whatever blasphemies they utter;

29 but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin"

BLASPHEMY is giving wrong impression to others about our Lord Jesus Christ- that is teaching or talking about false character or attributes of Christ. This category of blasphemy shall be forgiven [James 3:1-2].

The issue on the above verses is not between God and Satan but between the Holy Spirit and Satan – particularly, the work of the Holy Spirit in convicting men of sin, their spiritual standing before God.

FORGIVEN (ἀπηγεμι – ἀπηγεμι) meaning to remove away the sin, in order that the sin can never be fond and charge against the sinner [John 16:8-10].

It applies to any and all sins that will be removed by God from the regenerated men. This verb is in the coming future, which means that it will be taken away each time that is necessary to do so. This forgiveness is not automatic, but requires the exercise of human volition.

The forgiveness of God does not require any action from human resources or power but from the merit of Christ in behalf of mankind –His spiritual death on the cross.

SHALL NOT BE FORGIVEN HIM refers to (οὐκ ἀπηγεσεται – οὐκ ἀπηγεσεται), ἵμενος that, his sin or guilt shall not be removed or taken from the unsaved person [John 16:8-9].

This applies to one time blasphemy against the Holy Spirit, which will never be taken away from the unbeliever in this age or age to come. This applies to one time eternal sin of rejecting the salvation by grace through the spiritual death of Christ.

In the absence of the Holy Spirit, there is no one to convict the person of his sin. If the Holy Spirit does not convict a person, then he cannot and will not repent.

Genuine but carnal and worldly believers may suffer the sin unto death if they do not rebound [1 Corinthians 5:5, 1 Timothy 1:20] yet they are eternally saved. Sin unto death is the sin leading to death [1 John 5:16].

Among the Members of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit is the most subject of mockery, insults and persecution. All the members of Cultic-heathen religious groups who have heard but rejected the plan of God and those who rejected Christ will receive the full judgment of the lake of fire.

We do not pray for brethren under heaven heavy divine discipline leading to divine discipline of sin unto death. We do not pray for the cultic leaders to believe and receive the Lord Jesus Christ.

The phrase shall not be forgiven applies to the heathen and not to Christians any where in the world. This category of blasphemy has no forgiveness since it rejected the Lord Jesus Christ. God cannot forgive those who rejected His plan of grace.

Rejection of Christ are categorize into three:

Rejection from conviction (like Χαιαπηασ)

Rejection against conviction (like Pilate)

Rejection without conviction (like Herod)