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Bible Class Lesson Seventeen:

GROWING YOUR SPIRIT SOUL

Chapter Four Emotions vs. Spiritual Feelings

Key Scripture:

"¹⁶And I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; ¹⁷Even the Spirit of truth; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him: but ye know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. ¹⁸ I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you. ¹⁹Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also. ²⁰At that day ye shall know that I am in my Father, and ye in me, and I in you."

John 14:16-20

Lesson Objective:

To increase our spiritual growth by increasing our understanding of how important it is to live and exist in the spirit instead of the flesh. To teach us how to know the difference between natural emotions and supernatural spiritual feelings, urgings, spiritual sensing, and inspirations from our Heavenly Father. To move us towards living and following the spiritual examples of Jesus of

Nazareth, Who followed the Example of the Father by following the spiritual senses which are a part of the spiritual attributes of the born-again believer.

Lesson:

Sensing and Knowing

Sensing or Knowing. The "feelings" other than being physically "touched" which most people experience and which they believe are emotions are really spiritual "senses" or spiritual "sensing." It is a critical part of our spiritual growth. This is a very real characteristic of Father God, which we experience daily. We experience it daily because it is a power, which we can use to change our worlds; and the world as a whole daily by making every response (emotion) and choice (decision) be a positive one. Be positive in all you say and do.

Spiritual Feelings or Spiritual Emotions Are a Critical and Essential Part of our Spiritual Growth The spiritual knowledge concerning this sensing or feeling is really "illumination" or "spiritual urges" (unction) which comes from your Heavenly Family. These are not necessarily a deceased family member—but possibly from one of the millions of Saints who have gone on to be with the

Lord, from Jesus (Emmanuel, **MMNL**), or Guardian Angels, Cherubim, Seraphim, or Archangels. Negative spiritual "feelings" may come from the evil-side of life or from the selfish-side of life.

An example of "evil-side" or "selfish-side" spiritual "sensing" or spiritual "feelings" is the "rush" or the "feeling of living" or the "feeling of life" that people sense when they are in a store stealing or at the black jack table or gambling or doing some evil activity which gives them an emotional sensation when the person enjoys and it feels like a "feeling" but it is actually the physical manifestation of the presence of an evil entity which is exercising its nature.

What am I saying here? I am saying if you have a stealing spirit, when you go to a store and start the stealing process, you will get all excited inside and feel exuberated or whatever name or adjective you want to call it. What you are actually experiencing is that devil inside of you being active. In its being active, it will stimulate body or natural bodily functions because, remember: what happens in the natural realm effects the supernatural (spiritual realm) and what happens in the spiritual realm (supernatural) affects the natural realm. So as that devil inside you moves you through the stealing process it is moving in the spiritual realm affecting the natural realm—and you are that part of the natural realm that is affected. You feel it in the form of what we call emotion; brain chemistry.



QUESTIONS:

- 1. Who or what was the first Comforter given to us by our Heavenly Father?
- 2. Where does the Comforter, the Spirit of Truth dwell?
- 3. Is Christ Jesus of Nazareth, the Comforter? John 14: 18-20 represents a mystery; the mystery of One.
- 4. Why does John 14:20 represent the Seal of God?
- 5. Why do we as a Christian, not only have to be saved, but also be born-again?
- 6. What power has Father God given us to change our world more positively daily?
- 7. What is spiritual illumination?
- 8. Describe the experience of the presence of evil exercising its spiritual nature in humanity.
- 9. Explain the relationship between the spiritual and the natural and how they effect one another.