



## Handouts for Week of February 5, 2023- "Spirit"

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## Qualities & Attributes on “Spirit”

A way to study the subject on “Spirit” is to look up all the attributes and qualities that one can think of about Spirit.

Think about:

- **what Spirit is**
- **what Spirit does**
- **what Spirit frees me from**

*Here is my list, but I always am working each week to add to it.*

*I try to affirm and acknowledge that these qualities are a part of my natural being. I reflect SPIRIT because God IS SPIRIT. The kingdom of SPIRIT is within me.*

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**Words that describe SPIRIT:**

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***Pneuma* in Greek:**

***Rua’ch* in Hebrew:**

**Air, breath, divine force, holy ghost, inspiration, movement, prophecy, wind**

All Action  
All That Is Good  
Breath Of God  
Christ  
Consciousness  
Divine  
Energetic  
Energy  
Enthusiastic  
Free  
Harmony

Holy Ghost  
Identified  
Imperishable  
Inspired  
Inspiring  
Intangible  
Invisible by senses  
Law  
Mind  
Movement  
Only Science  
Perfect  
Persistent  
Powerful  
Radical  
Spirited  
Stable  
Strong  
Supreme  
Transformed  
Transparent  
True Substance  
Uplifting  
Victorious  
Vigorous  
Zealous

**What Spirit does:**

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All in all  
Baptizes  
Continuity of all things  
Controls  
Cuts with the sword of Spirit  
Demonstrates  
Eternal  
God is Spirit  
Governs  
Great architect  
Infinite  
Is our sanctuary  
Life only is Spirit  
Moves  
Not separate from God

Omnipotent  
Omnipresent  
Omniscient  
One real attraction  
Only intelligence  
Radical  
Reigns  
Renews  
Source of man  
Source of supply  
Supreme  
Unchangeable

**What Spirit frees me from:**

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Belief in sin and death  
Belief of life in matter  
False evidence  
Five senses  
Flesh  
Material sense  
Matter body  
Matter origin, birth in flesh



## “Spirit” Word Study

### Notes on “Spirit” - Holy

**Spirit:** Greek: *pneuma*  
and Hebrew: *rua'ch*

**Wind, spirit, breath, air,  
ghost (there is  
movement in all of that,  
divine force)**

**Inspiration; Divine  
Science**

**Inhaling; exhaling**

intangible, invisible, movement,  
life itself,  
the agent of life

It blows from the invisible world of  
the divine

Originally means wind or breath

Not found in secular literature: it is  
a unique term

**594:19**  
**SPIRIT. Divine substance; Mind;  
divine Principle; all that is good;  
God; that only which is perfect,  
everlasting, omnipresent,  
omnipotent, infinite.**

### Ghost – Divine Science

**“The Spirit moves upon the  
waters” Gen. 1:2**

**John 20:22 And when he had said  
this, he breathed on *them*, and saith  
unto them, Receive ye the Holy  
Ghost:**

The spirit of God is the Spirit of  
prophecy – moving and inspiring.

If you removed prophecy and  
healing from the Bible – you  
would only have the rust of  
religion. (Renault)

Where there are no prophets,  
there is no holy Spirit. The Holy  
Spirit departed from Israel after  
the last prophets – Hagai,  
Zacariah, Malacai.

There were 400 years in between  
OT and NT where there were no  
prophets, no prophecy, no  
inspiration.

As ritual increases, prophecy  
declines, decreases!  
(in rabbinical writings)

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In the NT at Jesus' baptism: the  
dramatic return of the Spirit in the  
form of a dove appears.

The term is resurrected after 400 years of silence.

SH 497:3-4

1. As adherents of Truth, we take the **inspired** Word of the Bible as our sufficient guide to eternal Life.

*(The God-breathed Word, prophetic Word, filled with inspiration)*

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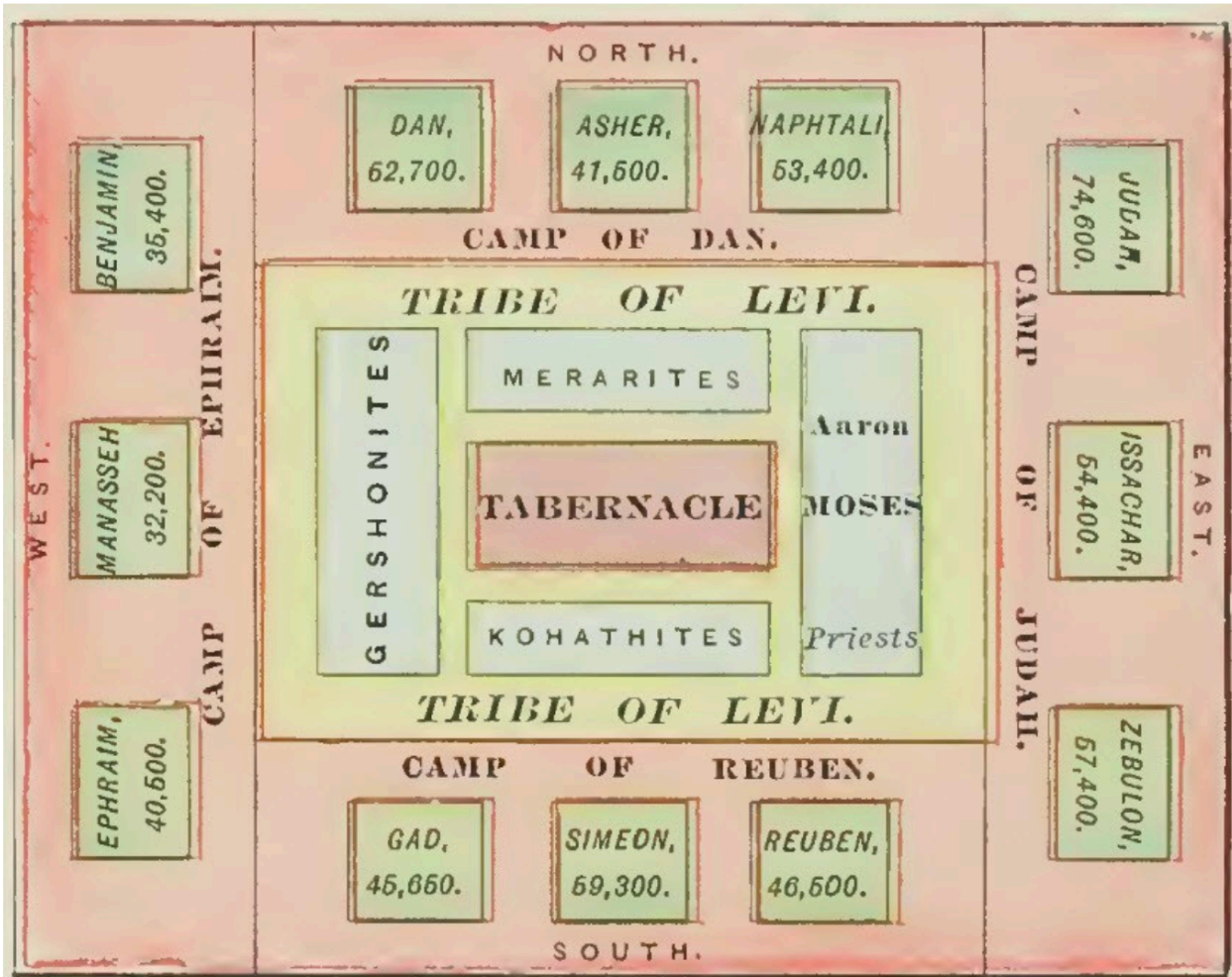
Theological Dict. one Testament:  
voluminous article on pneuma

- the elemental, natural, vital force which acts as a stream of air in the blowing of the wind and the inhaling and exhaling of breath, and hence; the breath of the spirit, detected outwardly and inwardly.
  - It fills with inspiration and grips with enthusiasm. What is true without is no less true within. Breath may be discerned with movement and is a sign, condition and agent of life. It suggests soul, spirit, or experiences of mental or spiritual reality. Any kind of breath or spirit that blows from the divine. Spirit originally means wind or breath.
  - There is no instance of the concept of the holy spirit in secular Greek. Found nowhere else than the Bible. It is a unique term. Bible Greek has coined this expression. Even in Latin it is
- In Greek thought, the word pneuma, it fills, generates, it inspires, discloses, gives power to say and do extraordinary things,
  - "speak with new tongues" if they believe on Jesus: new meanings drawn as if from a deep breath from a higher source than human mentality

original and special. Spiritus Sanctus.

# Encampment of the 12 Tribes

The Hebrew Encampment



## The Position of the Tribes

The twelve tribes, in groups of three, were divinely situated at a certain distance around the tabernacle. Four of the tribes, Judah, Reuben, Ephraim and Dan were recognized as tribal leaders. Each had its own standard or banner identifying it as a tribal head while the other tribes had ensigns, a lesser type of



## All Children of Israel



# The Tabernacle





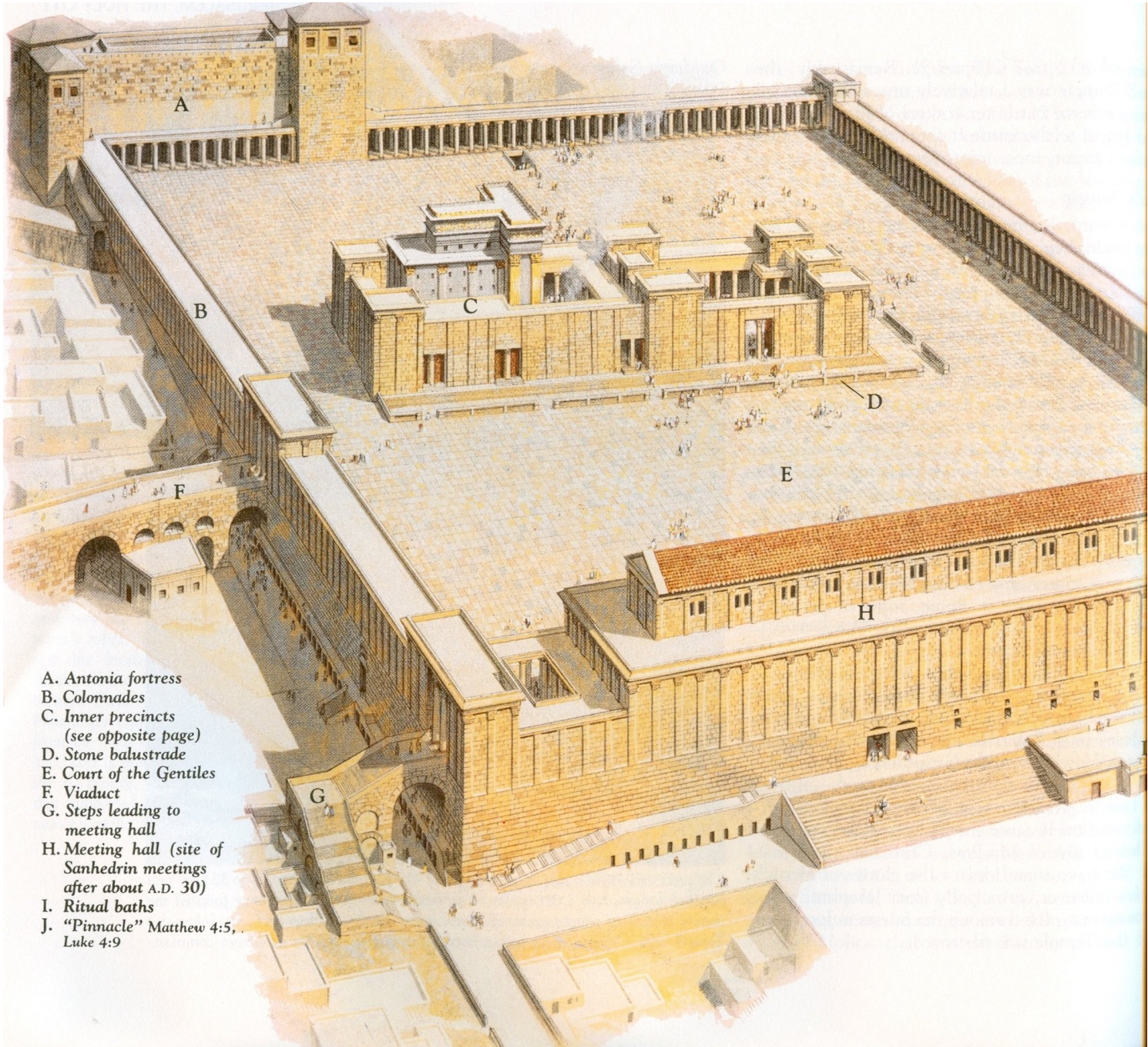
## Symbolism of Tribe Placement Around the Tabernacle

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# The Temple



- A. Antonia fortress
- B. Colonnades
- C. Inner precincts  
(see opposite page)
- D. Stone balustrade
- E. Court of the Gentiles
- F. Viaduct
- G. Steps leading to  
meeting hall
- H. Meeting hall (site of  
Sanhedrin meetings  
after about A.D. 30)
- I. Ritual baths
- J. "Pinnacle" Matthew 4:5,  
Luke 4:9