



I came that you
may have life.



- Jesus



LIFE IN CHRIST

a study through Romans 8



IN THE SAME WAY, THE SPIRIT HELPS US IN OUR WEAKNESS. WE DO NOT KNOW WHAT WE OUGHT TO PRAY FOR, BUT THE SPIRIT HIMSELF INTERCEDES FOR US THROUGH WORDLESS GROANS. AND HE WHO SEARCHES OUR HEARTS KNOWS THE MIND OF THE SPIRIT, BECAUSE THE SPIRIT INTERCEDES FOR GOD'S PEOPLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WILL OF GOD. ROM 8:26-27 NIV



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AND I WILL ASK THE FATHER, AND HE WILL GIVE YOU
ANOTHER ADVOCATE TO HELP YOU AND BE WITH YOU
FOREVER

JOH 14:16 NIV

A glowing, teardrop-shaped light fixture with a filament bulb, set against a dark background with blurred bokeh lights. The light fixture is the central focus, with its warm, golden glow contrasting against the dark surroundings. The background is filled with out-of-focus, circular bokeh lights in various shades of orange and yellow, creating a sense of depth and atmosphere. The overall mood is warm and intimate.

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PARAKLETOS (G3875), LIT., "CALLED TO ONE'S SIDE," I.E., TO ONE'S AID, IS PRIMARILY A VERBAL ADJECTIVE, AND SUGGESTS THE CAPABILITY OR ADAPTABILITY FOR GIVING AID. IT WAS USED IN A COURT OF JUSTICE TO DENOTE A LEGAL ASSISTANT, COUNSEL FOR THE DEFENSE, AN ADVOCATE; THEN, GENERALLY, ONE WHO PLEADS ANOTHER'S CAUSE, AN INTERCESSOR, ADVOCATE, AS IN 1JN_2:1, OF THE LORD JESUS. IN THE WIDEST SENSE, IT SIGNIFIES A "SUCCORER, COMFORTER." CHRIST WAS THIS TO HIS DISCIPLES, BY THE IMPLICATION OF HIS WORD "ANOTHER (ALLOS, "ANOTHER OF THE SAME SORT," NOT HETEROS, "DIFFERENT") COMFORTER," WHEN SPEAKING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, JOH_14:16. IN JOH_14:26; JOH_15:26; JOH_16:7 HE CALLS HIM "THE COMFORTER." "COMFORTER" OR "CONSOLER" CORRESPONDS TO THE NAME "MENAHEM," GIVEN BY THE HEBREWS TO THE MESSIAH.

PARAKLETOS

MEANWHILE, THE MOMENT WE GET TIRED IN THE WAITING, GOD'S SPIRIT IS RIGHT ALONGSIDE HELPING US ALONG.

ROM 8:2 MSG

A glowing, teardrop-shaped light fixture with a filament bulb, set against a dark background with bokeh lights. The light fixture is the central focus, emitting a warm, golden glow. The background is dark with several out-of-focus light sources, creating a bokeh effect. The overall mood is warm and spiritual.

PRAYING IN THE SPIRIT

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FOR ANYONE WHO SPEAKS IN A TONGUE DOES NOT SPEAK TO PEOPLE BUT TO GOD. INDEED, NO ONE UNDERSTANDS THEM; **THEY UTTER MYSTERIES BY THE SPIRIT**. BUT THE ONE WHO PROPHESES SPEAKS TO PEOPLE FOR THEIR STRENGTHENING, ENCOURAGING AND COMFORT. ANYONE WHO SPEAKS IN A TONGUE **EDIFIES THEMSELVES**, BUT THE ONE WHO PROPHESES EDIFIES THE CHURCH.

1Co 14:2-4 NIV

PRAYING IN THE SPIRIT

BUT YOU, DEAR FRIENDS, BY **BUILDING YOURSELVES UP** IN YOUR MOST HOLY FAITH AND **PRAYING IN THE HOLY SPIRIT**, KEEP YOURSELVES IN GOD'S LOVE AS YOU WAIT FOR THE MERCY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST TO BRING YOU TO ETERNAL LIFE.

JUD 1:20-21 NIV