

## Life Application Questions

February 7, 2021

### “Enduring Promise of the Indwelling Spirit”

John 14:15-24

1. According to this week’s text, how do we know the Holy Spirit is at work in a person's life? What evidence will be obvious? According to vs. 15, 21, and 23, how will our love for Jesus be evident? How does John say it in 1 John 2:3-4?
2. Consider the promise of Ezekiel 36:25-27. What is the connection between that promise and the affections and desires that are needed to treasure the commands of Jesus?
3. In 1 John 5:1-3 John captures both the new way of living and the new affections produced by the Holy Spirit. How does John say our love for God will be displayed? What will be our attitude towards the commands of Jesus? Do you view the commands of God with joy or as a burden?
4. Why can’t the world receive the Holy Spirit, see the Son, or know the Father?
5. In light of His soon-coming departure, what life-giving hope does Jesus give His disciples, and us, in John 14:16, 18, and 23?
6. **Questions for Personal Reflection:** What is the attitude of the man in Psalm 1:2 towards God's commands? What is the attitude of the nations towards God's rule in Psalm 2:1-3? Which one represents you? Whose authority and commands are you living under? Do you find a love for God's word growing within you?