I'M THANKFUL FOR . . .—3

"The Abiding Presence of the Holy Spirit"

John 16:6-11

Introduction._____

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Notice three ways in which we can be thankful for the abiding presence of the Holy Spirit:

I. FIRST, I AM THANKFUL FOR THE ABIDING PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BECAUSE HE CONVINCES ME OF THE TRUTH CONCERING THE _____ OF SIN (John 16:8-9).

The Bible teaches us that we are sinners for three basic reasons:

A. First, because of what we _____—natural born sinners (Romans 5:12; Ephesians 2:3).

B. Secondly, because of what we ____—as natural born sinners, we commit acts of sin (Romans 3:10-12, 23).

C. Thirdly, because of what we _____ ____—as natural born sinners, we don't believe (John 16:9) ***"Of sin, because they believe not."***

II. SECONDLY, I AM THANKFUL FOR THE ABIDING PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BECAUSE HE CONVINCES ME OF THE TRUTH CONCERNING THE _____ OF SALVATION (John 16:10).

The Holy Spirit does many things FOR US:

A. First, He changes what we _____—our nature (Romans 8:16).

B. Secondly, He forgives what we've _____—our sins (Psalm 103:12).

C. Thirdly, He gives what we _____—which is His righteousness (Romans 4:5-6).

III. THIRDLY, I AM THANKFUL FOR THE ABIDING PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BECAUSE HE CONVINCES ME OF THE TRUTH CONCERNING _____. (John 16:11).