Seven-fold Operations of God's Spirit...your help in times of trouble



Isaiah 11

King James Version

11 And there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots:

2 And

the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him, the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and of the fear of the Lord;

3 And shall make him of quick understanding in the fear of the Lord: and he shall not judge after the sight of his eyes, neither reprove after the hearing of his ears:

4 But with righteousness shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth: and he shall smite the earth: with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips shall he slay the wicked.

5 And righteousness shall be the girdle of his loins, and faithfulness the girdle of his reins.

Revelation 4

4 After this I looked, and there before me was a door standing open in heaven. And the voice I had first heard speaking to me like a trumpet said, "Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this." 2 At once I was in the Spirit, and there before me was a throne in heaven with someone sitting on it. 3 And the one who sat there had the appearance of jasper and ruby. A rainbow that shone like an emerald encircled the throne. 4 Surrounding the throne were twenty-four other thrones, and seated on them were twenty-four elders. They were dressed in white and had crowns of gold on their heads. 5 From the throne came flashes of lightning, rumblings and peals of thunder. In front of the throne, seven lamps were blazing. These are the seven spirits[a] of God. 6 Also in front of the throne there was what looked like a sea of glass, clear as crystal.

Revelation 4:5 That is, the sevenfold Spirit Message: Seven fire-blazing torches fronted the Throne (these are the Sevenfold Spirit of God).

Isaiah 11 The Message A Green Shoot from Jesse's Stump 11 1-5 A green Shoot will sprout from Jesse's stump, from his roots a budding Branch.

The life-giving Spirit of God will hover over him, the Spirit that brings wisdom and understanding, The Spirit that gives direction and builds strength,

the Spirit that instills knowledge and Fear-of-God.

Fear-of-God

will be all his joy and delight.

He won't judge by appearances, won't decide on the basis of hearsay.

He'll judge the needy by what is right, render decisions on earth's poor with justice.

His words will bring everyone to awed attention.

A mere breath from his lips will topple the wicked.

Each morning he'll pull on sturdy work clothes and boots, and build righteousness and faithfulness in the land.

Isaiah 11:2&3:

the spirit of the Lord shall rest upon him

• ruach of Jehovah

the spirit of wisdom

- skill (in war)
- wisdom (in administration)
- shrewdness, wisdom
- wisdom, prudence (in religious affairs)
- wisdom (ethical and religious)

and understanding,

- Intelligence
- insight
- skill in understanding the times

the spirit of counsel

- purpose
- advice
- plans

and <mark>might</mark>,

- strength
- might, valour, bravery
- might, mighty deeds (of God)

the spirit of knowledge

- knowledge,
- perception,
- skill
- discernment,
- understanding,
- wisdom

and of the <mark>fear of the Lord</mark>

- respect
- reverence
- piety

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