

Exh 7:25-32 - Intro: David says "Take not thy Holy Spirit from me" we can't pray that. Temp & permanent (2) But we can pray against spirit (3) The magnitude of offense determined not alone by offense itself, but by degree, & one offended. Spirit does not w/ draw, rather He is grieved - ← Intro: Drawn shades of room in day-time

I - The fact - Can Be Grieved - to cause to sorrow, to hurt or pain -

- 1 - Pray He's a person -
- 2 - Our power - able to grieve spirit, pain & - Drawn shades of room in day-time (not only's holiness offended but love wounded)
- 3 - Grieve to a bad word - one can anger an enemy but not grieve him - the deeper the love, deeper the grief - Col 1 = love & spirit (2) love makes vulnerable
- 4 - Present tense = "stop grieving" - we are probably grieving spirit right now - "Bright surprise heaven our amazement at man wags we grieve spirit"

II - What Does It Mean - To Grieve Spirit?

- 1 - Difference between Quenching & Grieving

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Service 2 Gifts hindered 3 Public manifest 4 Power forfeited 5 Directly against spirit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Life 2 Fruit - love, joy, peace 3 Private ministry to believers 4 Joy lost 5 against others -
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Quench = 100 to spirit
Grieve = yest to sin
- 2 - Loss of Joy - Peas 1 - loss of joy & spirit Sinners Twins - member of family, grieved - casts gloom over all house
- 3 - Loss of Assurance - sealed ... Day of redemption. "Spirit is the pledge, guarantor of security = cause doubt"

III - How Grieved? - 25-32 = all word "holiness" in place of emphasis - all these things contrary to his nature -

- 1 - one clarity characteristic = each has to do w/ our relationships to others - w/in the fellowship (vs 3) spirit grieves, build up - not which tears down fellowship & doesn't build up grieves
- 2 - w/ each dont there is a do - negative & positive command -
 - 1 Corrupt speech grieves spirit - so does lack of edifying speech
 - 2 Stealing grieves P - so does withhold to needy
 - 3 Bitterness " " " " " lack of kindness

It is a feir against His Holiness
" " " " " Love