

# GHOST STORIES

## “The Other One”

<sup>7</sup> But very truly I tell you, **it is for your good that I am going away**. Unless I go away, **the Advocate** will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. **John 16:7 (NIV)**

<sup>8</sup> But you will receive **power** when the **Holy Spirit** comes on you; and you will be my **witnesses** in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”<sup>9</sup> After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight. **Acts 1:8-9 (NIV)**

### POWER TO WIN OVER SIN

<sup>16</sup> So I say, **walk by the Spirit**, and you **will not** gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup> For the flesh desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the flesh. They are in conflict with each other, so that you are not to do whatever you want. **Galatians 5:16-17 (NIV)**

### COURAGE TO STAND FOR THE MAN

<sup>7</sup> They had Peter and John brought before them and began to question them: **“By what power or what name did you do this?”** **Acts 4:7 (NIV)**

<sup>8</sup> Then Peter, **filled with the Holy Spirit**, said to them... **Acts 4:8a (NIV)**

<sup>13</sup> When they saw the courage of Peter and John and realized that they were unschooled, ordinary men, they were astonished and **they took note that these men had been with Jesus**. **Acts 4:13 (NIV)**

### CHARACTER THAT SCREAMS SUPERNATURAL

<sup>22</sup> But the **fruit of the Spirit** is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup> gentleness, self-control... **Galatians 5:22-23 (ESV)**

## The Holy Spirit's role...

- **He comforts us!** (John 15:26)
- **He resides in us!** (1 Cor. 6:19-20)
- **He guides us!** (John 16:13)
- **He intercedes for us!** (Romans 8:26-27)
- **He counsels us!** (Galatians 5:25)
- **He helps us!** (John 14:15-17)
- **He overflows out of us!** (Galatians 5:22-23)

<sup>18</sup> Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be **filled** with the Spirit, <sup>19</sup> **speaking** to one another with psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit. **Sing** and make music from your heart to the Lord, <sup>20</sup> always **giving thanks** to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>21</sup> **Submit** to one another out of reverence for Christ. **Ephesians 5:18-21 (NIV)**