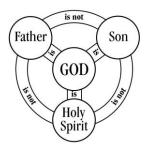
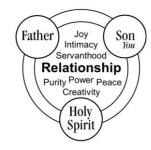
## TRINITY: EXPERIENCING GOD IN HD

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**MAIN IDEA:** Our purpose today is to *Grasp* the concept of Trinity in order to *Know* God as Trinity, AND *Experience* God as Trinity.





## TRINITY... WHO GOD IS WITHIN HIMSELF!

"God is One, but God is not alone." Tertullian

"At the center of the universe is a relationship.' That is the most fundamental truth I know. At the center of the universe is a community. It is OUT OF that relationship that you and I were created and redeemed. And it is FOR that relationship that you and I were created and redeemed!" **Darrell Johnson**, *Experiencing The Trinity* 

• **Intimacy**: (John 17:21; 5:9-10)

• **Joy**: (John 15:11; 16:24; 17:13)

• Servanthood: (Phil. 2:5-11)

Purity: (Isaiah 6:1-8)

• **Power**: (Heb. 1:3; Luke 24:49; Acts 1:5, 8; Eph. 1:19)

• Creativity: (1 Cor. 12:4-6).

• **Peace**: (Rom. 16:20; Phil. 4:9; 1 Thess. 5:23; Is. 9:6)

YOU'VE COME HOME

## What does this mean for us?

1. In Christ, you were RAISED UP and SEATED within the Trinitarian Fellowship as Family... Sons...Heirs!

"But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, <sup>5</sup> made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. <sup>6</sup> And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, <sup>7</sup> in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus." **Ephesians 2:4-7** 

2. In Christ, you're invited to be COMPLETELY IMMERSED in the Fullness of God's Threefoldness

"Go and make disciples of all nations, <u>baptizing</u> them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" **Matthew 28:19** 

3. You were designed to be FILLED with All the fullness of God

"that you may be <u>filled</u> to the measure of <u>all the fullness</u> <u>of God</u>." **Ephesians 3:19** (Col. 1:19-20)

"keep on being filled with the Spirit." Ephesians 5:18 ISV

## How do we respond to Trinity?

- Engage your IMAGINATION (faith).
- Own your new IDENTITY.
- LOVE... God... others... the world.
- **PRAY** yourself boldly into the Fellowship of God. (Eph. 3:14-21)