

## **The Holy Spirit in the Tribulation Period**

To say that the Holy Spirit will no longer be indwelling believers in the Tribulation is NOT the same thing as saying that the Holy Spirit will no longer be present on the earth, or that the Holy Spirit will no longer be operating in the lives of humans during the Tribulation Period.

The Holy Spirit will be present and active during the Tribulation Period.

The active work of the Holy Spirit during the Tribulation will include:

- (1) Salvation for millions of Jews and Gentiles
- (2) A powerful witnessing ministry
- (3) Prophecy

- (1) Salvation

The Holy Spirit has always been active in the work of convicting and regenerating people in all ages, not solely during the Church Age.

Scriptural documentation:

- Genesis 6:3
- John 3:1-12
- Revelation 7: the salvation of the 144,000 Jews, and a multitude besides  
Revelation 12:11,17
- Revelation 14:4

(2) Witnessing: powerful preaching direction by the Holy Spirit

Scriptural documentation:

- Acts 1:8
- Revelation 7: 144,000 evangelists
- Revelation 11: the Two Witnesses

(3) Prophecy

Scriptural documentation:

- 2 Pe 1:21
- Rev 11: 3-6: the main function of the two witnesses is to prophesy.

See also:

- Joel 2:28-32 which seems to say that the pouring of the Spirit onto mankind may begin before the Second Coming.