

## The Trinity

### Basics of the Trinity

The Father	The Son	The Holy Spirit
<p>The Father is the most traditional view of God, the creator and the destroyer and the one who controls all. The Father is the one who is praised. The Father sits on his throne and as the creator, he is also the destroyer, his job will be to destroy those who sin. God doesn't obey his own rules, he says in the 10 commandments not to be jealous, but openly allows 1 of the other commands to be that he himself is jealous. God can be both wrathful and loving just like humans can. He created humanity in his image after all. God wants humans to thrive with one another, so he set up the commandments so that they might live in peace. The Father is also unbound by time and space and things we would associate with restriction (transcendence).</p>	<p>Jesus is no less equal to God in the eyes of most Christians and is just a physical embodiment of what they consider to be God. Both can supply Grace, Peace and an entryway to Heaven. The Son is involved in judging the good and the bad at the end of time. When Jesus died, he created an atonement for humanity's redemption that will last for eternity. Jesus is God in human form, with the nature of God. Yet he also has the nature of a servant. Jesus spread the word that humanity must be kind and love each-other. Jesus is not able to create or destroy as the father is but is a physical embodiment of God, a messenger perhaps who uses the Holy Spirit. When he went to Heaven, Jesus sat at the right hand of God. Jesus's purpose was to die and then be resurrected to demonstrate God's power.</p>	<p>The Holy Spirit is an expression of God's power and while for most Christians is an expression of the trinity, can also be considered a force used by the father to perform miracles in the face of man. The Holy Spirit is the mediator between God and humanity. It is the presence of God and is always reminding people of God's word. The spirit is omnipresent, meaning it is the same spirit that raised Jesus from the dead that is within you. The Holy Spirit is what makes God personal and omnipresent. Where the father sees only creation and destruction of good and evil the Holy Spirit is the way to forgiveness. The spirit is what Jesus promised the disciples when he ascended to heaven after the resurrection, it is the invisible yet ever-present part of God.</p>

**Note:** In Matthew chapter 3 we can see the father, the son and the Holy Spirit in one place. This is at Jesus's baptism where it is reported that Jesus gets baptised and then the father sends down a Dove as a representative of the Holy Spirit and says 'This is my son, with him I am well pleased'.