"When He, the Spirit of Truth, Is Come"
John 16:7-15

Introduction:
A. Jesus was about to leave his disciples.
   1. Leaving them in hostile world. (vs. 1-4)
   2. Leaving them to carry out his mission.
B. Jesus promises to send a comforter or helper.
   1. To teach and remind. (14:26)
   2. To comfort and guide. (14:16-18; 16:13)
   3. To convict the world through their word. (16:8-11; Cf. Acts 24:25).
C. Jesus promised a three-fold conviction:
   1. "Convict" = "Convince"
   2. "World" = population of world (cf. Jn. 3:16; Mk. 16:15).

Discussion:

I. "OF SIN because they do not believe in Me"
   A. Of the reality of sin. (Rom. 3:10,23 with context)
   B. Of the nature of sin. (1 John 3:4-9)
   C. Of the guilt of sin. (Acts 2:36-38)
   D. Of the wages of sin. (Rom. 6:23)

II. "OF RIGHTEOUS because I go to My Father and you see Me no more"
   A. Of the nature of righteousness. (cf. Ps. 119:172).
   B. Of the source of righteousness. (Rom. 10:1-2)
   C. Of the means of righteousness.
      1. By forgiveness. (Rom. 4:1-8)
      2. By doing righteousness. (1 John 3:7)
      3. By cleansing or healing - not immunity. (1 John 1:7-2:3)

III. "OF JUDGEMENT because the ruler of this world is judged" (cf. 2 Cor. 4:4)
   A. Of a judgment day. (Acts 17:30,31)
   B. Of hell for the wicked. (Rev. 20:9-10; 21:8)

Conclusion:
A. Are you convicted of sin?
B. Are you convinced of righteousness?
C. Are you convicted of judgment?