

Isaiah 11:1-9  
A Righteous Branch

Seven-fold Spirit (1-3a) – compare (Revelation 1:4 & 4:5)

Shoot from the stump of Jesse (Galatians 3:15-18)

Sending roots to fruition (Isaiah 55:10-11)

Spirit of: (John 14:16-17)

1. The LORD (II Corinthians 13:14)
2. Wisdom (Psalm 119:98-100)
3. Understanding (Colossians 1:9; 2:2-3)
4. Counsel (John 16:7)
5. Power (Ephesians 3:20)
6. Knowledge (I Corinthians 2:12-16)
7. Fear of the LORD (John 16:8-11)

Striking the earth (3b-5) – (Revelation 19:15)

Judging not with eyes and ears (I Chronicles 28:9 / Jeremiah 17:10)

Judging with righteousness and justice (Job 34:14-15 / Psalm 51:4)

Striking the earth with the rod of His mouth (Revelation 19:15)

Slaying the wicked with the breath of His lips (II Thessalonians 2:8)

Sash of faithfulness around His waist (Ephesians 6:14)

Secure in the knowledge of the Holy One (6-9) – (II Peter 1:8)

The peace and harmony of the garden is restored (Jeremiah 33:12-16)

The earth is filled with the knowledge of the LORD (Amos 8:11-12 vs. Jeremiah 31:34)

Creation no longer groans (Romans 8:19-21)

Cause & effect – Jesus changes everything! (Revelation 21:3-5)

Discussion questions for Isaiah 11:1-9

How can knowing God's promises be a comfort in times of trouble or discouragement?  
(Deuteronomy 31:8 / Joshua 1:9 / Lamentations 3:19-26)

The same Spirit that was upon our Messiah now indwells believers. What benefits do we receive from having the Spirit in our lives? (Ephesians 1:13-14 / John 14:16, 26 / Galatians 5:23-24)

Why is God the only one who is qualified to administer justice? (Jeremiah 17:10 / John 5:19-23 / Romans 2:1-4 / James 4:11-12)

How does the knowledge of the Holy One and His Word give us hope (II Timothy 3:15-17 / Matthew 11:28-30)

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Shoot from the stump of Jesse (Galatians 3:15-18)

***The promises seed of Abraham – our Messiah***

Sending roots to fruition (Isaiah 55:10-11)

***God's written and living Word both accomplish their purpose.***

Spirit of: (John 14:16-17) ***Upon Jesus as He walked this earth and with us***

8. The LORD (II Corinthians 13:14) – ***He is the 3<sup>rd</sup> person of the Trinity***
9. Wisdom (Psalm 119:98-100) – ***Obedience to the word through Him***
10. Understanding (Colossians 1:9; 2:2-3) – ***He gives spiritual understanding***
11. Counsel (John 16:7) – ***He is our Parakletos (helper, comforter, counselor)***
12. Power (Ephesians 3:20) – ***at work in us, more than we can imagine***
13. Knowledge (I Corinthians 2:12-16) – ***we have the mind of Christ***
14. Fear of the LORD (John 16:8-11) – ***convicting and warning of judgment***

Striking the earth (3b-5) – (Revelation 19:15) – ***preparing for His millennial reign***

Judging not with eyes and ears (I Chronicles 28:9 / Jeremiah 17:10)

***He alone knows the thought and motives behind every action***

Judging with righteousness and justice (Job 34:14-15 / Psalm 51:4)

***We rely on His mercy to not give us what we deserve (Psalm 103:10-14)***

Striking the earth with the rod of His mouth (Revelation 19:15)

Slaying the wicked with the breath of His lips (II Thessalonians 2:8)

Sash of faithfulness around His waist (Ephesians 6:14)

Secure in the knowledge of the Holy One (6-9) – (II Peter 1:8)

***As we grow in His we come to know Him – not just know about Him***

The peace and harmony of the garden is restored (Jeremiah 33:12-16)

***All evil is removed (except our sin nature) during the Millennium***

The earth is filled with the knowledge of the LORD (Amos 8:11-12 vs. Jeremiah 31:34)

***From famine to feast***

Creation no longer groans (Romans 8:19-21)

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***He is always with me, and will supply what is needed for the work He has called me to do. His love will never fail – His mercies are new every day. His faithfulness is great!***

The same Spirit that was upon our Messiah now indwells believers. What benefits do we receive from having the Spirit in our lives? (Ephesians 1:13-14 / John 14:16, 26 / Galatians 5:23-24) ***We are made new (II Corinthians 5:17). We are guaranteed to be with Him in heaven (Philippians 1:6) We have insight and counsel for every situation we may face. We have the fruit of the Spirit.***

Why is God the only one who is qualified to administer justice? (Jeremiah 17:10 / John 5:19-23 / Romans 2:1-4 / James 4:11-12) ***He is the only one who knows the whole story – including the heart. He is the only one who does not struggle with the same issues of the heart as the persons who are being judged. He is the only one given that authority.***

How does the knowledge of the Holy One and His Word give us hope (II Timothy 3:15-17 / Matthew 11:28-30) ***His Word provides the knowledge we need for salvation. We become equipped for every good work He desires for us to do. (Ephesians 2:10) As we grow in our knowledge of Jesus, we are comforted by His love, grace, and mercy that He shows us each day. The knowledge of His love assures us of His plan for our future. Nothing that we do in and for Him is in vain. (I Corinthians 15:58)***