

Jn 16:8 "He will convict the world"

What mean? Much confusion and misunderstanding...

With his **APOSTLES**

Jn 13:1-2; Lk 22:14; Jn 13-16

Instructing the APOSTLES relative to their mission, which was inseparably connected with the mission of the Holy Spirit.

Jn 14:25-26; 15:26-27; 16:7-14

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"convict"; "reprove" (KJV) – *prove wrong*

- (*elenchō*) implies **evidence** **Jn 8:46; Mt 18:15**
- word of **rationality** **Lk 3:19 (Mk 6:17-18)**

***NOT* emotionalism, mysticism, force**

Holy Spirit in APOSTLES "convict world"

"world" of unbelievers **Jn 15:18-19**

HS send/come to APOSTLES *not* "world"

Jn 16:8...13

"He, when He comes, **will convict the WORLD ...**" **v8**

How?

"when He, the Spirit of truth, comes, **He will guide YOU [APOSTLES] into all the truth ...**" **v13**

When the Holy Spirit takes control of a man's tongue, or hand (pen), it can be said the **Holy Spirit is speaking, or, **the man is speaking**. *Both are true!***

2Sam 23:2; Ac 1:16

Mt 10:20; Eph 3:1-5

Ac 1:8 ... 2:4 ... 14,22f ... 37 ... 41

Proved the "world" wrong about ... (Jn 16:8-11)

- **Sin** "bec. not believe in Me" (*Jesus died by God's plan for their sin*)
- **Righteousness** "because I go to the Father" (*resurrection & ascen. vindicated Him*)
- **Judgment** "because the ruler of this world has been judged" (*Christ enthroned!*)

**TODAY have "apostles & prophets" in the
SCRIPTURES (Lk 16:31)**

Ac 2:22...37,38...41...47