***The Church Engaged with the Holy Spirit (Revelation 22:17)***

**John Prophesied the Spirit’s Work in the End-Time Church (Revelation 22:17)**

Revelation 22:17 is one of the most informative and significant prophecies in the Bible describing the end-time church. John tells what will happen in the church in the generation the Lord returns.

“The Spirit and the Bride say, ‘Come!’ Let him who hears say, ‘Come!’ And let him who thirsts come.” “Surely, I am coming quickly.” Even so, “Come Lord Jesus!”  
Revelation 22:17, 20

This describes the church in unity with the Spirit, saying and doing what He is saying and doing.

1. *What is the Spirit saying?*  
   He is speaking to believers about their identity as a Bride.
2. *What is the Spirit doing?*He is interceding for Jesus to come in power and calling thirsty people to come to Jesus as the Bridegroom God.

We can pray, “Come, Lord Jesus!” in three different ways:

1) **Come to us in intimacy** (Individual breakthrough of our heart in God).  
2) **Come to us in revival** (Regional or national breakthrough of the spirit in revival).  
3) **Come for us in the sky** (Historical breakthrough of the second coming of Jesus).

This prophecy emphasizes that we will “call out” in two different directions:

1. First, we call out to Jesus in intercession to “come to us.”
2. Second, we call out to people who thirst to “come to Jesus.” We call believers (discipleship)   
   and unbelievers (evangelism) to experience the bridegroom God.