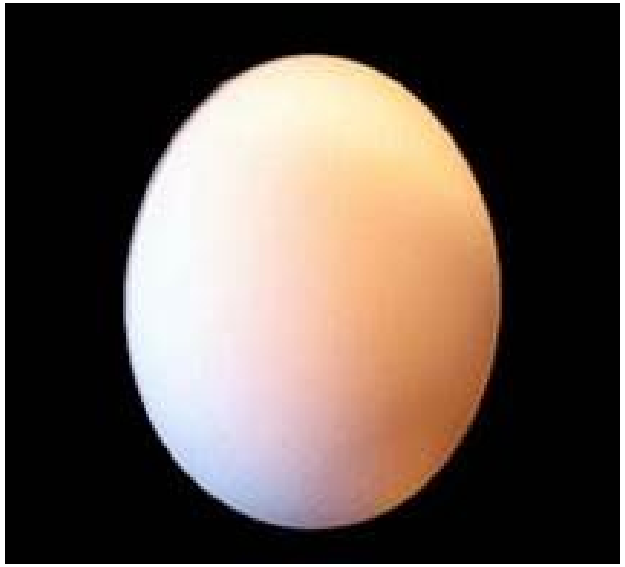
God - the Trinity



What Does the Egg Symbolize?

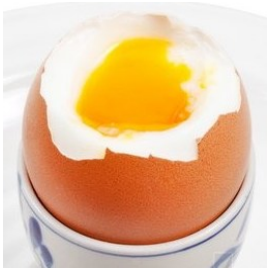
The egg symbolizes new life, spring, hope and other life-bringing qualities for mankind. In ancient times the egg was a symbol of the universe and of creation.



When we see the egg, we see One Egg, just like we see God as One. He is not two or three eggs. ***'God is one.'*** (Gal.3:20)

If God is One, How can the Trinity Be?

When we take a closer look at the egg, we see that it is in three parts: the egg yolk in the centre, the egg-white surrounding the yolk, and finally the egg shell, which we see.



All three are completely different from each other in composition and substance. Yet, if one of the three components is missing, the egg would not be complete and able to bring forth life.

The egg yolk, symbolizes the LORD God, this is Father God, in the centre. From him life springs forth and He is hidden from our sight.

The egg white with its nutritional value signifies the Holy Spirit who feeds us, yet is also hidden from us.

The egg shell gives form to the egg and is visible to us humans. The shell denotes Jesus, who is the outward manifestation to mankind of God's hidden, life-giving qualities. As the egg shell has to be broken to get to the egg, so Jesus was broken, for us to have access to the Father and through Jesus the Holy Spirit could come to us.

Is God the Trinity and Who is the LORD God?

When we say God we address the Trinity. It was God-the-Trinity that created the heaven and the earth. This shows when God-the-Trinity is discussing how to make mankind. *'And God said, **Let us** make man in our image, who is just **like us**.'*

This discussion takes place in Genesis chapter 1:26, while chapter 2:7 gives us the details how man was made; *'And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.'*



When everything in creation was ready then the LORD God, the Father himself, wanted to form man from the dust of the ground, much like the artist who puts his heart and soul into his creation.

As the artist has pride in the work of his hands, so the LORD God prided himself in the work of his hands and focussed his total energy on their final masterpiece, their 'Magnum Opus' and "Selfie" - MAN.

Man is so important and royal, that the Son of the Trinity came to earth to be our servant and even our whipping boy.

'Whipping boy' is explained in the pamphlet: *'Then it was enough and finished'*

What is the Gender of the Godhead?

In Genesis 1:26,27 we learn: ***'And God said, Let us make man in our image... male and female..'***

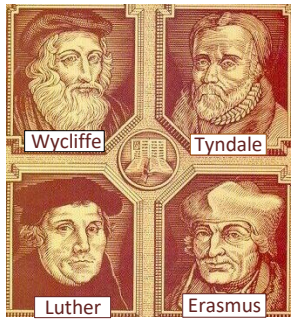
Jesus called the LORD God, Father, which shows clearly that he is masculine. Jesus was obviously masculine, but when we get to the Holy Spirit it becomes more difficult.

Now if the Father is male and Jesus is male then by the **process of elimination** the Holy Spirit is female.

In the Old Testament Hebrew, Spirit **is** רוּחַ,**'Ruach'**. This noun is of the **female gender** in Hebrew.



As you might know, the Jews of Jesus' day and **Jesus himself spoke Aramaic.** Spirit in Aramaic is '**Paraclete**' also **female gender**, just like '**Ruach**', in Hebrew.



The Gospels of the New Testament were written in Greek. Spirit in Greek is **'Pneuma'** and is **neuter**.

From Greek it was translated into the Latin, which was used for church liturgy. In Latin Spirit is **'Spiritus'** and **male** gender.

Over a thousand years later the Bible was translated by masters of male gender in Greek and Latin. For them the Greek 'it' was a 'he' and 'male' like in Latin. Hence in New Testament translations the Spirit is addressed as **'he'**, while in the original languages the Spirit was **'she'**.

Doesn't that Make us Doubt God's Word?

NO way. We are not doubting God's original word and what Jesus said; we are only correcting a human oversight and translation error.

To our limited understanding the Godhead seems to advocate male-female relationships. If that is so then the male-female relationship should also apply to the Godhead. We may think that God is far away, but we might be surprised at how much they are like us as we are made to be like them - "in their image".

In Catholicism we try to fill that void of a female with Jesus' earthly mother, Mary, as the 'Mother of God'.

The Characteristics of the Three?

THE FATHER: is the Energy of Quantum Physics that holds all mass together from the tiniest hair on our head and the little sparrow (Mat.10:29,30) to every star in the universe. Please see the pamphlet *'The Matrix of all Matter'*

Beside this he is also the all-encompassing, life-giving, creative, healing love. He is:



Agape - love between God and men;
Eros - intimate sexual love;
Philia - brotherly love;
Storge - natural love of parents and offspring.
Love that is manifested on earth in creativity; love creates art, sculptures, paintings, music and babies - all of these fill us with such exhilarating glee.
As his 'Magnum Opus' he only wants the very best for us. He made life and the world for us to enjoy.



Go for a walk you'll enjoy it.
Ride a horse, it'll thrill you.
Hold a girl, it will change you.
Go for a swim, it'll renew you.

Although he is total love, he also has **emotions like anger and jealousy**, as he cannot understand why people who he created to be like him and had given so much to, would not respond to his love but instead turn away and even curse him.

THE HOLY SPIRIT: We read the qualities that the Old Testament gives the Holy Spirit in Proverbs 8 and 9. She is wisdom, she speaks truth, she promotes understanding, gives instruction, etc. She says *'my delights were with the sons of men.'* (Prov.8:31)
Jesus said the Holy Spirit is '***a comforter... the spirit of truth… will teach you all things and will remind you.***' (John 14:16,17,26) ***'the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, self-control.'*** (Galatians 5:22,23)
These are the qualities of a wise, loving, comforting female, a caring mother, a shoulder to cry on.

THE SON: Jesus, the Word of God, executes God's Word and is the Kinetic Energy of the Father's power. The Father desired Jesus to experience life on earth so he'd understand what it is like for us humans. Living on earth is the testing ground of our love, our character and how much God can trust us. If we pass these tests then we will be heirs of God's riches.
*'He that overcomes shall **inherit all things**; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.'* (Revelation 21:7)
Yes, we'll be rich. All the gold and diamonds are ours, but they are nothing compared to the love that we have received through the Son.
Jesus was willing to obey the Father and give his all for mankind, so the Father handed all power and judgment over to him. Jesus said ***"All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth"*** (Mat. 28:18).

Because Jesus passed the tests, the Father renounced being the judge and asked Jesus to become our judge. Jesus said, ***'the Father judges no man, but has committed all judgment unto the Son.'*** (John 5:22)
This was for the simple reason that Jesus knows life on earth, so his judgment would be more balanced and well-rounded as Jesus was totally human like us. He takes our human weaknesses into account and is *"touched with the feeling of our weaknesses and was in all points tempted just as we are, but did not fall for them."* (Hebrews 4:15)



Jesus refused to condemn the woman who was caught in extra-marital activities. According to the Father's law, given to Moses, and the law-abiding citizens, this woman should have been stoned to death.

I am so thankful that Jesus came to be my judge.

Holy Spirit and Son Relationship

If people try to hurt you, their lowest insult is to use foul language against your mother. This is where Jesus drew the line with the Holy Spirit.
'All sins shall be forgiven unto the sons of men, and blasphemies whatever they shall blaspheme.

*But he that shall blaspheme **against the Holy Ghost has never forgiveness**, but is in danger of eternal damnation: Because they said, He has an **unclean spirit**.'* (Mark 3:28-30)



He said I don't care what you say about me, but let's get one thing straight, don't you dare talk badly of the Holy Spirit, because you will not be forgiven and might end up burning in hell.
Isn't that a true son standing up for his mother?

How Does the Godhead Function?

God is the Father and he counsels and shares his total energy with the other two. Their unity is strong and although they are three completely different individuals, they are united. They listen to each other's counsel and have total trust and confidence that the other is only motivated by love, wanting to make the best decisions for each person and for mankind. There is no domestic violence, wife-beating or screaming, just simple pure love and honest communication.

How Do We Function and What's-Up for Us?

It looks like we have a way to go as we are created to be like them. What we don't realize is that, because God granted us our **free-will-choice** we are recreating ourselves by the decisions we each make.
Highly intelligent, invincible us, not wanting anything to do with God, are heading towards sure disaster.
As the universe ticks on a precision timetable so we are standing at the threshold in time where hundreds of prophetic scriptures are about to be fulfilled.

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