The Comforter that Christ promised to send after He ascended to heaven, is the <u>Spirit in all the fullness of the Godhead</u>, making manifest the power of divine grace to all who receive and believe in Christ as a personal Saviour. <u>There are three living persons of the heavenly trio</u>; in the name of these <u>three great powers</u> --the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit--those who receive Christ by living faith are baptized, and <u>these powers</u> will co-operate with the obedient subjects of heaven in their efforts to live the new life in Christ.-- Special Testimonies, Series B, No. 7, pp. 62, 63. (1905) {Ev 615.1}

As at our baptism we pledged ourselves to him, and received the ordinance in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, <u>these three great powers of heaven</u> pledged <u>themselves</u> to work in our behalf, not only to begin, but to finish our faith. I am so glad that we have the promises of God. {GCB, April 14, 1901 par. 32}

Holy Spirit--those who receive Christ by living faith are baptized, and these powers will cooperate with the obedient subjects of heaven in their efforts to live the new life in Christ.--Evangelism, p. 615. {7ABC 441.9}

The Godhead was stirred with pity for the race, and the *Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit* gave themselves to the working out of the plan of redemption.--Counsels on Health, p. 222. {7ABC 442.1}

Those who proclaim the third angel's message must put on the whole armor of God, that they may stand boldly at their post, in the face of detraction and falsehood, fighting the good fight of faith, resisting the enemy with the word, "It is written." Keep yourselves where the *three great powers of heaven, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit*, can be your efficiency. These powers work with the one who gives himself unreservedly to God. The strength of heaven is at the command of God's believing ones. The man who takes God as his trust is barricaded by an impregnable wall.--The Southern Watchman, Feb. 23, 1904, p. 122. {7ABC 442.2}

Our sanctification is the work of the *Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit*. It is the fulfillment of the covenant that God has made with those who bind themselves up with Him, to stand with Him, with His Son, and with *His Spirit in holy fellowship*. Have you been born again? Have you become a new being in Christ Jesus? Then co-operate with the *three great powers* of heaven who are working in your behalf. Doing this you will reveal to the world the principles of righteousness.--The Signs of the Times, June 19, 1901. {7ABC 442.3}

*The eternal heavenly dignitaries--*God, and Christ, and *the Holy Spirit--*arming them [the disciples] with more than mortal energy, . . . would advance with them to the work and convince the world of sin.--Evangelism, p. 616. {7ABC 442.4}

We are to co-operate with the *three highest powers in heaven*, --the Father, the Son, and the *Holy Ghost*,--and *these powers* will work through us, making us workers together with God.-- Ibid., p. 617. {7ABC 442.5}

Those who are baptized in the *threefold name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit*, at the very entrance of their Christian life declare publicly that they have forsaken the service of Satan and have become members of the royal family, children of the heavenly king.-Testimonies, vol. 6, p. 91. {7ABC 442.6}