

**Victory Connect Lesson**  
**"Ghosted"**  
**Pastor Paul Daugherty**  
**May 19, 2024**

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**Discussion Questions:**

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2. Share a time you were comforted by the Holy Spirit?
3. When did you realize the Holy Spirit is a person?

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