

III. Lets Talk About – You! Your Gifts – Part 3

Romans 12:3-8

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"For I say, through the grace given to me, to everyone who is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith. For as we have many members in one body, but all the members do not have the same function, so we, being many, are one body in Christ, and individually members of one another. Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness." (Romans 12:3-8; NKJ)

A. If you are in Christ, you have a spiritual gift!

"Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, ..." (v6)

B. What is a spiritual gift?

A Spiritual Gift is ...

- a divine enablement,
- given to every believer,
- by the indwelling Holy Spirit,
- to build up the Body of Christ.

C. What are the specific spiritual gifts?

"As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. If anyone speaks, let him speak as the oracles of God. If anyone ministers, let him do it as with the ability which God supplies, that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belong the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen." (1 Peter 4:10-11; NKJ)

Categories of Spiritual Gifts

- Gifts of Speaking
- Gifts of Serving.

"But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all: for to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to

another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. ... And God has appointed these in the church: first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, after that miracles, then gifts of healings, helps, administrations, varieties of tongues." (1 Corinthians 12:7-10, 28; NKJ)

- The gift of Ministry (Service)
- The gift of Mercy (Compassion)
- The gift of Giving (extraordinary generosity)
- The gift of Leadership (Shepherding)
- The gift of Faith (extraordinary trust in God)
- **The gift of _____ (_____)**
- **The gift of _____ (_____)**
- **The gift of _____ (_____)**
God for those _____)

"Now He could do no mighty work there, except that He laid His hands on a few sick people and healed them." (Mark 6:5; NKJ)

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing psalms. Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven." (James 5:13-15; NKJ)

- **The gift of _____ (Works of _____)**

"Truly the signs of an apostle were accomplished among you with all perseverance, in signs and wonders and mighty deeds." (2 Corinthians 12:12; NKJ)