



Welcome to  
Rehoboth New  
Life Center  
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## *Gifts of the Spirit*



### September's Theme:

1 Corinthians 12:4 There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. 5 There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord. 6 And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all.

# Gifts

- “Charisma”: supernatural, abilities,
- “Doma” : Gifts in general, more the action of giving
- “Doron”: Gifts offered as an expression of honor

# Gifts Given

- Luke 24:46 And said unto them, Thus it is written, and thus it behoved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day:
- 47 And that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in his name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.
- 48 And ye are witnesses of these things.
- 49 And, behold, **I send the promise of my Father upon you:** but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high
- Ephesians 4:6 One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.
- 7 But unto every one of us is given grace according to the measure of the gift of Christ.
- 8 Wherefore he saith, When he ascended up on high, he led captivity captive, **and gave gifts unto men.**

# “Its all Good”



- Matthew 7:11 If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?

*James 1:17 Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.*

# Understanding the Gifts

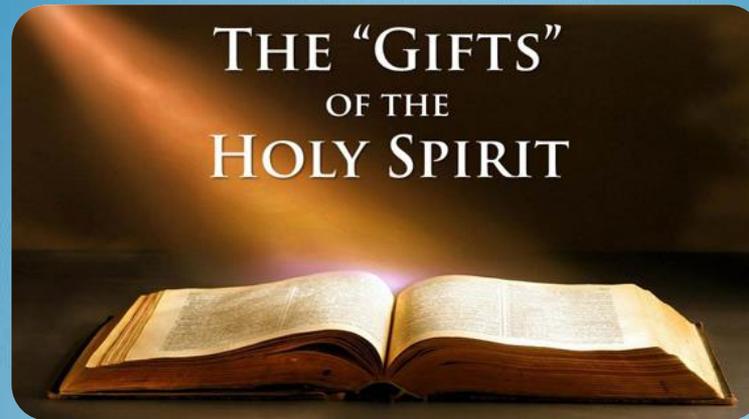
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- Diversities of gifts
- Differences of ministries
- And there are diversities of operations,

# The Gifts



- **Romans 12:6-8**

- Prophecy, Serving, Teaching Exhortation ,Giving, Leadership, Mercy

- **1 Corinthians 12:8-10**

- Word of wisdom, Word of knowledge, Faith, Gifts of healings, Miracles, Prophecy, Distinguishing between spirits, Tongues, Interpretation of tongues

- **1 Peter 4:11**

- Whoever speaks, Whoever renders service

# Difference between Gifts and Fruit ?

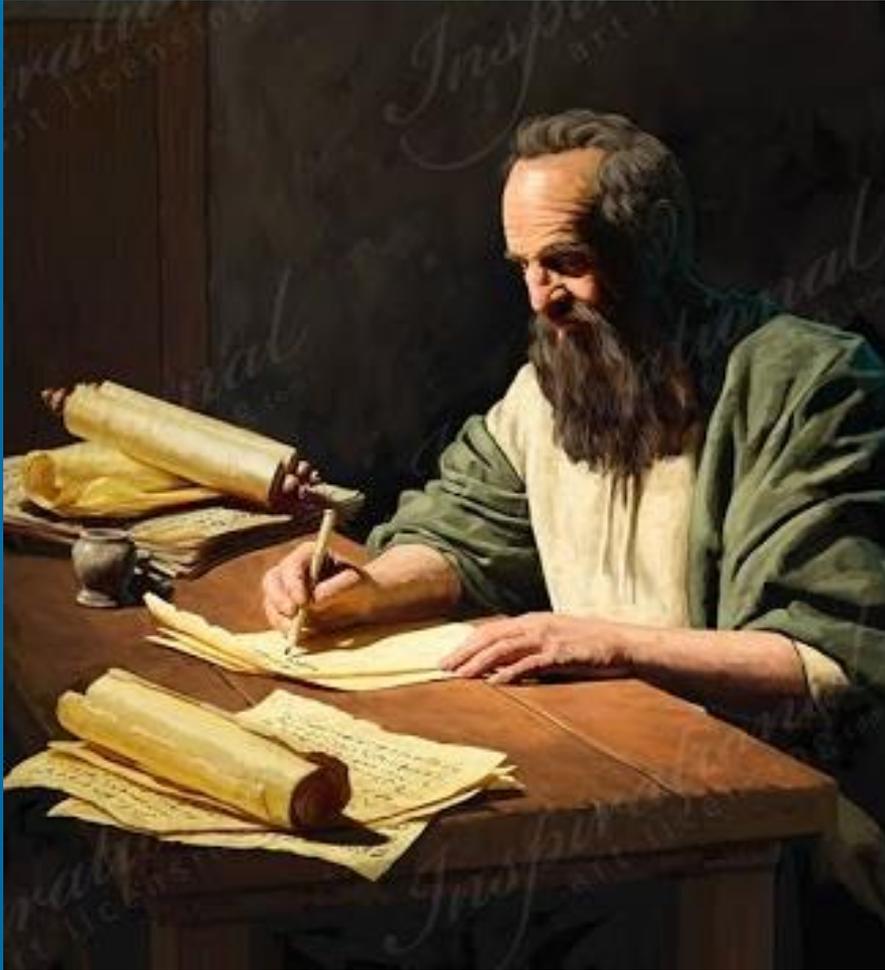


John 15:7 If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

8 Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples.

- Gifts are freely Given
- Fruit are the result of a process
- The Holy Spirit **GIVES** (Gifts)
- The fruit of the spirit is the **RESULT** of the Holy spirits work in a believers life.
- Fruit bearing is proof of being a genuine Christian!
- With fruit The Holy Spirit **GETS**(fruit)

# Spiritual Gift: Definition



- A Spiritual Gift is the Holy Spirit Empowered ability given to a believer to Enable him/her to “serve” God
- Ephesians 3:7 Whereof I was made a minister (**SERVANT /Preacher** ), according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of his power.



# Some truths

Discovering  
Understanding  
& Engaging

*Your Spiritual Gifts*



- **Only Believers have spiritual Gifts**

1 Corinthians 12:3 Wherefore I give you to understand, that no man speaking by the Spirit of God calleth Jesus accursed: and that no man can say that Jesus is the Lord, but by the Holy Ghost.

- **Every Christian has at least one Gift.**

- 1 Peter 4:10 As every man hath received the gift, even so minister the same one to another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

# Spiritual Gifts, some truths!



- Holy Spirit decides what gifts I get
  - 1 Corinthians 12:7 But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to every man to profit withal.
  - 8 **For to one is given** by the Spirit the word of wisdom; to another the word of knowledge by the same Spirit;
  - 9 To another faith by the same Spirit; to another the gifts of healing by the same Spirit;
  - 10 To another the working of miracles; to another prophecy; to another discerning of spirits; to another divers kinds of tongues; to another the interpretation of tongues:

# CAUTIONS ABOUT SPIRITUAL GIFTS

- 1. Don't confuse gifts with natural talents.
- 2. Don't confuse gifts with the Fruit of the Spirit.  
Gal. 5:22-23
  - \* "Fruit" shows my Maturity.
  - \* "Gifts" show my Ministry.
- 3. Don't confuse gifts with Christian roles.
- 4. Be aware of the "*gift projection*" tendency. (Expecting others to serve the way you do and have similar results)
- 5. Don't feel my gift makes me superior to others. I  
Cor. 12:21

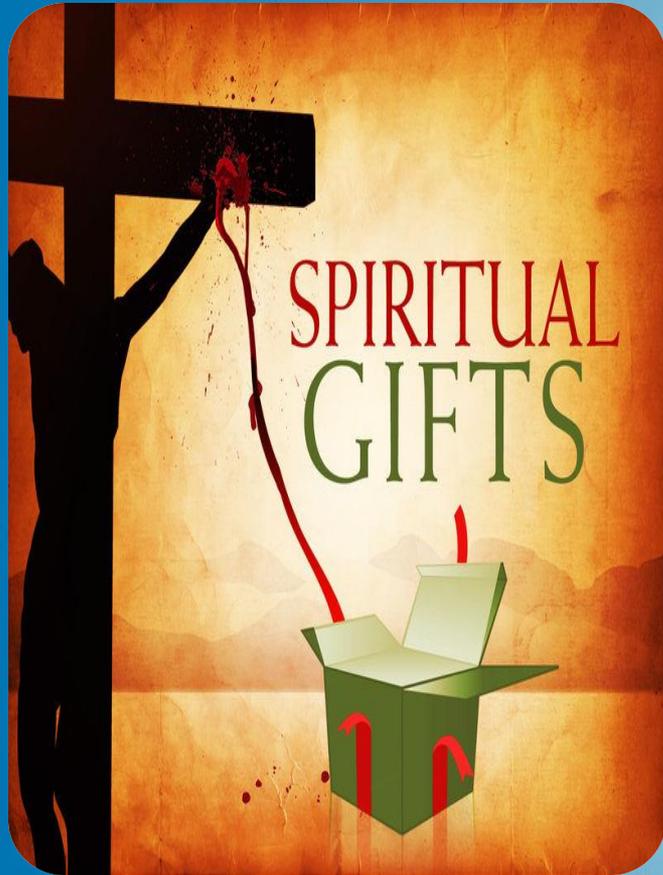


# Misusing The Gift



- 1 Corinthians 14:15 ¶What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also.
- 16 Else when thou shalt bless with the spirit, how shall he that occupieth the room of the unlearned say Amen at thy giving of thanks, seeing he understandeth not what thou sayest?
- 17 For thou verily givest thanks well, but the other is not edified.
- 18 I thank my God, I speak with tongues more than ye all:
- 19 Yet in the church I had rather speak five words with my understanding, that by my voice I might teach others also, than ten thousand words in an unknown tongue.

# To help the entire church!



- 1. Wise council
- 2. Gift of special knowledge
- 3. Special faith
- 4. Power to heal the sick
- 5. Power to perform miracles
- 6. Prophecy
- 7. Discernment of spirits
- 8. Speaking in an unknown tongue
- 9. Interpretation of what's being said