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Holy Spirit: Gifts

Note: This Tuesday at Life Song, 7pm we are pushing back the darkness coming against the Deep State by signing affidavits to demand a state wide forensic audit of the 2020 election. Please tell your Patriotic friends.

Last week we learned about **receiving** (taking hold of) the Holy Spirit, **being filled** with the Holy Spirit and **flowing** with the Holy Spirit. Receiving, being filled and flowing with the Holy Spirit is to manifest the Kingdom of God. This is all done through love for God and His people. Today we will examine the gifts He has given us and how to allow them to flow through us and manifest the Kingdom.

John 14:15-21 *"If you love Me, keep My commandments. 16 And I will pray the Father, and He will give you another Helper, that He may abide with you forever — 17 the **Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive**, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him; but you know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you. 18 I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you.*

*19 "A little while longer and the world will see Me no more, but you will see Me. Because I live, you will live also. 20 At that day you will know that I am in My Father, and you in Me, and I in you. 21 **He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me.** And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and **manifest Myself to him.**"*

*****Everything flows through love** because it is the greatest gift of all, and without love we have nothing. It is through God's love that He sent Jesus to die on the cross giving us the gift of grace; abundant-eternal life in Jesus Christ.

1 Cor 12:4-11 *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. 7 But the **manifestation of the Spirit** is given to each one for the profit of all: 8 for to one is given the **word of wisdom** through the Spirit, to another the **word of knowledge** through the same Spirit, 9 to another **faith** by the same Spirit, to another **gifts of healings** by the same Spirit, 10 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**. 11 But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills.*

***Gift**; Greek, #5486, *charisma*, a gift of and **joy** (*chara*) **grace** (*charis*); a free gift, divine gratuity, spiritual endowment, miraculous faculty. It is especially used to designate the **gifts of the Spirit**. In modern usage, a "**charismatic**" signifies one who either has one or more of these gifts functioning in his life, or who believes these gifts are for today's church.

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1 Cor 12:7 *But the **manifestation** of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all:*

Manifestation Strong's #5321 *phanerosis* (fan-er'-o-sis); exhibition (the displaying of something in public) expression (communication) a bestowment (to present something valuable)

Word of Wisdom: the ability to apply the will and word of God accurately to a specific situation, understanding future implications. It has a prophetic overtone.

Word of Knowledge: information pertaining to a person or an event usually for an immediate need.

Faith: the ability to trust God in the most difficult of times, even unto death; one which goes beyond normal faith and saving faith. This faith is an unwavering trust in what you believe, especially towards something you need to do.

Miracles: the ability to apply God's power beyond the ordinary course of natural law. To change an impossible situation. A power that defies the limitations of this physical world. Jesus multiplying the loaves of bread, bringing Lazarus back to life and telling the wind and sea to shut up and be still.

Discernment: the ability to see spiritual influences, especially demonic, as this indicates “the spirit” over a person or situation. This is key for spiritual warfare.

Healing: the ability to heal someone, physically, spiritually or emotionally. This can happen immediately or over a period of time. My son Michael and Muscular Dystrophy and Karen’s eye.

Prophecy: receives vision from God in order to guide, warn, encourage and correct His people. There is a difference between the ministry of a prophet and the gift of prophecy.

1 Cor 14:1-2 Pursue love, and desire spiritual gifts, but especially that you may **prophecy**.

The #1 thing Jesus taught about was the Kingdom of God. Prophecy is given to us to “Call forth” the Kingdom of God. All prayers have a prophetic overtone.

Unknown Language (tongues): the ability to speak in the language of the Spirit, and sometimes a foreign earthly language he or she has never learned. The story of Pat Tucker.

Interpreting Tongues: the ability to understand what the Holy Spirit has spoken through another person speaking in tongues in a public worship.

Gifts can be imparted by laying on of hands

Rom 1:11-12 For I long to see you, that I may **impart to you some spiritual gift**, so that you may **be established** -- 12 that is, that I may be encouraged together with you by the mutual faith both of you and me.

1 Cor 12:11 But one and the same Spirit works all these things, **distributing** to each one individually as **He wills**.

Paul’s desire is to **impart** (convey or grant) spiritual gifts to believers in Rome to **establish** (to make permanent) them. It is through the Holy Spirit that the gifts are given. Paul is just a vessel for the Holy Spirit.

1 Tim 4:14-15 Do **not neglect** the **gift** that is in you, which was given to you by **prophecy with the laying on of the hands** of the eldership.

2 Tim 1:5-7 Therefore I remind you to **stir up (make hot)** the **gift** of God which is in you through the **laying on of my hands**. 7 For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.

The Greatest Gift of All; God’s love giving us grace

Eph 2:7-10 For by **grace** you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the **gift** of God, 9 not of works, lest anyone should boast. 10 For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.