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Manifesting the Holy Spirit

Biblical World View: Abdul El-Sayed wins the Democrat primary for the Michigan U.S. Senate seat. This is very concerning. If he wins in November, he will be the first Muslim U.S. Senator. A Muslim is a follower of Islam which opposes the U.S. Constitution. **Sharia Law is to Islam what the Ten Commandments are to Christianity.** These religious ideologies do not and can not work together. Our U.S. Constitution is written entirely on Christian principles, and all elected officials have to take an oath to uphold the Constitution.

"We have staked the whole of all our political institutions...to govern ourselves...according to the 10 Commandments" -James Madison 4th President of the United States. "Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious People. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other" -John Adams. Our government will not work with Islam. **They are not here to assimilate; they are here to dominate.**

How can a Muslim, place their hand on the Quran, (Islamic sacred text) and take an oath to uphold Christian principles? This is perjury (lying under oath). I believe, in order to save America from an Islamic civil Jihad, they should not be able to hold any office or position that requires an oath to uphold the U.S. Constitution. We are not ignorant of the enemies' devices. We need the miracle working power, the gifts of the Holy Spirit to win this battle.

1Co 12:1 *Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant:*

Ignorant; Strong's #50, *agnoeo* (ag-no-eh'-o); not to know (through lack of information or intelligence); by implication, to ignore (through disinclination). **Disinclination:** Webster; a preference for avoiding something.

The Apostle Paul teaches about **manifesting the gifts of the Spirit**. He starts in chapter 12 saying "*I do not want you to be ignorant.*" Chapter 13 teaches us; without God's agape love, the gifts mean nothing. The gifts must operate through God's love. Chapter 14 Paul teaches us about prophecy and tongues. This fills the entire chapter, 40 verses! This is his closing statement for chapter 14:

1Co 14:37 *If anyone thinks himself to be a prophet or spiritual, let him acknowledge that the things which I write to you are the **commandments of the Lord**. 38 But if anyone is ignorant, let him be ignorant. 39 Therefore, brethren, desire earnestly to prophesy, and **do not forbid to speak with tongues**. 40 Let all things be done decently and in order.* The Cessationists are violating a direct command of Scripture as the "*forbid to speak with tongues.*"

Cessationists: those who believe the gifts of the Holy Spirit were cancelled, ceased or taken away from us. These gifts brought to us on the day of Pentecost through the Holy Spirit are also called The Promise: **Luk 24:49** "*Behold, I send the **Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are **endued with power from on high**.***" Why would Jesus promise us to be "*endued with power from on high*" through the Holy Spirit only to take back the power He endued us with?

Scripture to justify Cessationist's belief: **1Co 13:8-12** *Love never fails. But whether there are prophecies, they will fail; whether there are tongues, they will cease; whether there is knowledge, it will vanish away. 9 For we know in part and we prophesy in part. 10 But when that which is perfect has come, then that which is in part will be done away. 11 When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things. 12 For now we see in a mirror, dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part, but then I shall know just as I also am known.*

Cessationists believe "*that which is perfect has come*" is related to the **canon of Scripture**. Once it was completed (around 397 A.D.), the Cessationists believe "*that which is perfect has come.*" For centuries, "*when that which is perfect has come*" has been interpreted as the **second coming of Christ**. He alone is **perfect**. So why did the Cessationists change this belief? It was a slow process that did not manifest into doctrine around 1557 called Calvinism.

Any concept, especially those which establish doctrine, **must have continuity** with the rest of Scripture. There must be cross-references to validate the concept. This is how the canon of Scripture was composed. The word “canon” means a straight rod or bar; a measuring rule as a ruler, a rule or standard for testing straightness. It is a rule or law used to determine if a book measured up to a standard (bible.com), primarily through cross-referencing and foundational concepts such as Jesus being one with God. Justifying cessation using **1 Cor 13:8-12** has no continuity.

1 Cor 13:8-12 The Apostle Paul is teaching about maturing as an individual and as the Church. How we only see in part until that which is perfect (Jesus) has returned. This is when we go from being “little children of God” to Sons and Daughters, the full maturity of His Bride. Just because the canon of Scripture has come, we still **do not** see perfectly.

The Apostle John speaks about maturing and becoming just like Jesus when He is revealed to the nations:

1 Jn 3:2 *Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is.* This is when we will see perfectly! No more seeing in part, no more dimly lit mirror, but now face to face with Jesus! Full maturity as Sons and Daughters! This demonstrates continuity of Scripture, not ceasing the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Luk 20:36 *nor can they die anymore, for they are equal to the angels and are sons of God, being sons of the resurrection.* This is when we have resurrected-glorified bodies at the return of Jesus, full maturity as sons.

Rom 8:18,19 *For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us. 19 For the earnest expectation of the creation eagerly waits for the revealing of the sons of God.*

Rom 11:29 *For the gifts (charisma) and the calling of God are irrevocable* (cannot be transferred, revoked, cancelled, altered, or withdrawn). Who God calls, He equips. He never took back, or stopped His equipping.

Joh 14:12 *"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father."* It takes the miracle working power of the gifts of the Spirit to do “greater works” than Jesus.

Php 1:6 *being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;* God’s good work in us will be completed, not taken away from us.

Manifesting the Holy Spirit, the Kingdom of God through His Gifts

1Co 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. “Sons of Issachar anointing” is tied to God’s wisdom and prophecy. (LSC promissory note)

Word of Knowledge: information, or a certain word, pertaining to a person or an event usually for an immediate need. (Sears Kenmore dryer).

Faith: the ability to trust God in the most difficult of times, even unto death; one which goes beyond normal faith and saving faith. (Help! The house is on fire! Saving Candace Marks)

Healing: the ability to heal someone, physically, spiritually or emotionally. (My brain, Mikey’s muscular dystrophy).

Miracles: the ability to apply God’s power beyond the ordinary course of natural law. To change an impossible situation. (Fall festival hay ride “Peace be still!”)

Prophecy: receives vision from God in order to guide, warn, encourage and correct His people. one who speaks forth a divine message that can at times include foretelling future events. (Lion of Judah statue, Break Ground June 1st).

Discerning of Spirits: the ability to see spiritual influences.

Different kinds of Tongues: the ability to speak in the language of the Spirit, and sometimes a foreign earthly language he or she has never learned. This is also a prayer language.

Interpreting Tongues: the ability to understand what the Holy Spirit has spoken through another person speaking in tongues, or self-interpretation if you spoke in tongues.

LSC started from a prophecy as God created a “turn-key” church in 7 days, 25 years ago. Our membership class “Who We Are: The Chronicles of Life Song Church, Class II,” lists many of the miracles manifested by the Holy Spirit.

Have you prayed and asked the Holy Spirit for His gifts (charisma)? They come with His grace (charis). Are U saved?