

SPIRITUAL
GIFTS



Spiritual Gifts

- 1 Corinthians 14:1

- Hebrews 3:15

- Spiritual gifts are nothing less than God, Himself in us... energizing our souls, imparting revelation to our minds, infusing power in our wills and working His sovereign purposes through us.

- Hebrews 2:4

- 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Gifts and Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Paul lists in 1 Corinthians 12, Nine gifts or manifestations of the spirit. These are supernatural tools or equipment for Christian service. Any spirit filled Christian can manifest any of these gifts as the Spirit directs.

Gifts and Baptism of the Holy Spirit

“Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant.”

1 Corinthians 12:1

“Now there are diversities of gifts, but the same spirit.”

1 Corinthians 12:4

“There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord.”

1 Corinthians 12:5

Gifts and Baptism of the Holy Spirit

“And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all.”

1 Corinthians 12:6

“But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all.”

1 Corinthians 12:7

Gifts and Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Notice: These supernatural gifts of the Spirit are given for EVERY believer, not just the Apostle, Prophet, Evangelist, Pastor and Teacher- But for every believer today.

These supernatural gifts are not just for a select few, elite ministers. They are for every believer, and that includes you.

Gifts and Baptism of the Holy Spirit

“For to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit.”

1 Corinthians 12:8

“To another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit.”

1 Corinthians 12:9

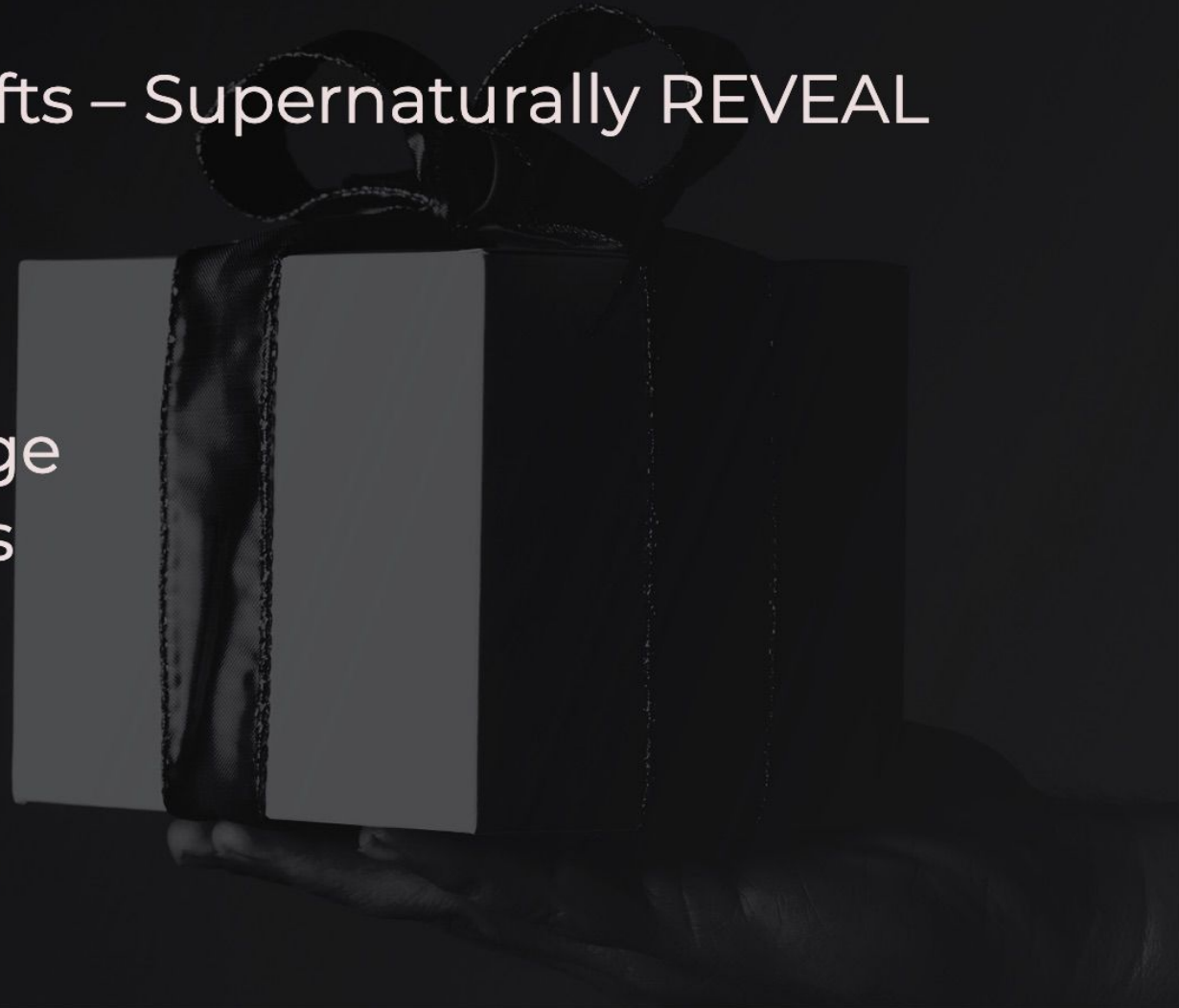
“To another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues.”

1 Corinthians 12:10

Three Categories/Groups of Spiritual Gifts

Group One: Revelation Gifts – Supernaturally REVEAL Something

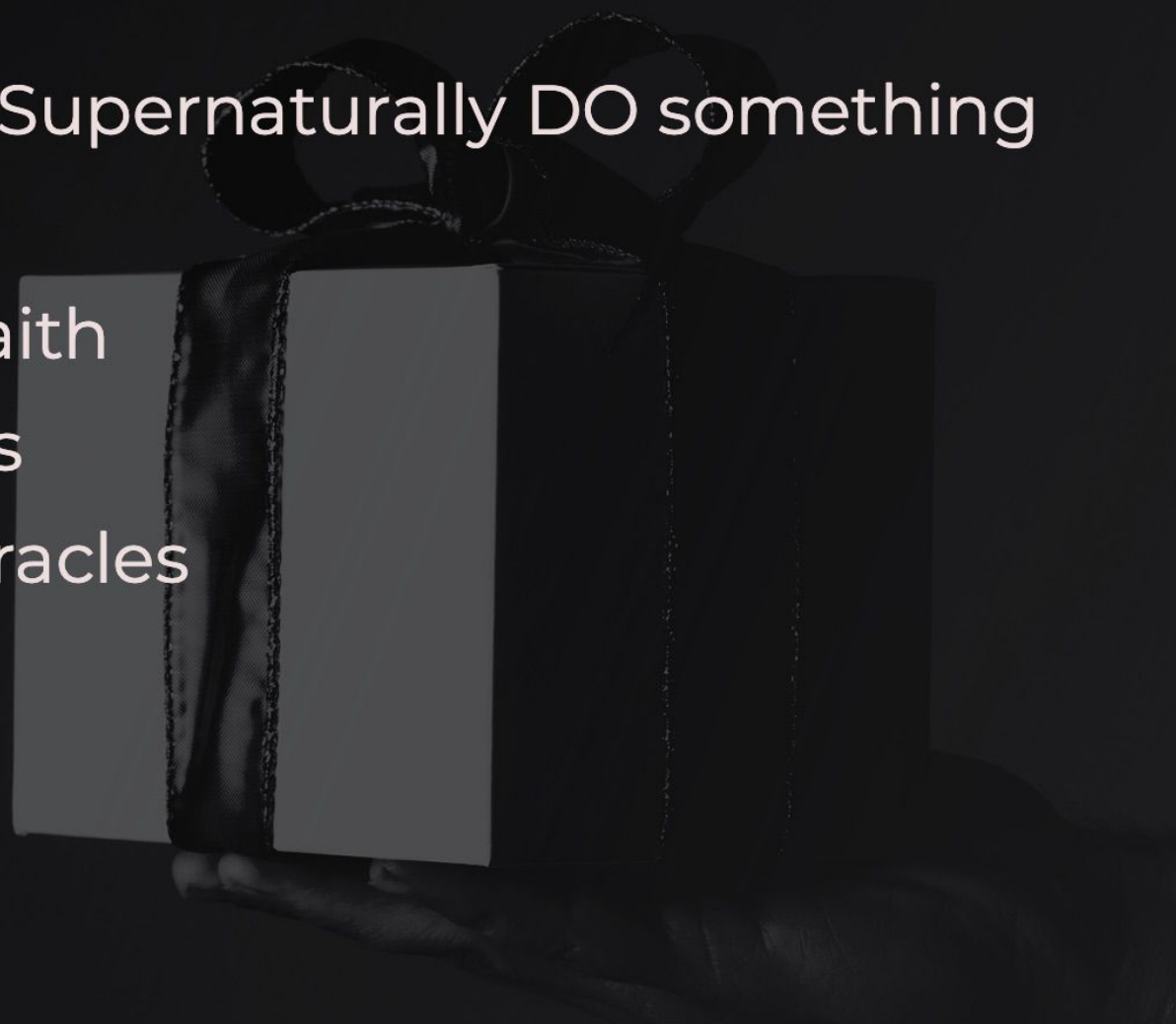
- A word of wisdom
- A word of knowledge
- Discerning of spirits



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Group Two: Power Gifts – Supernaturally DO something

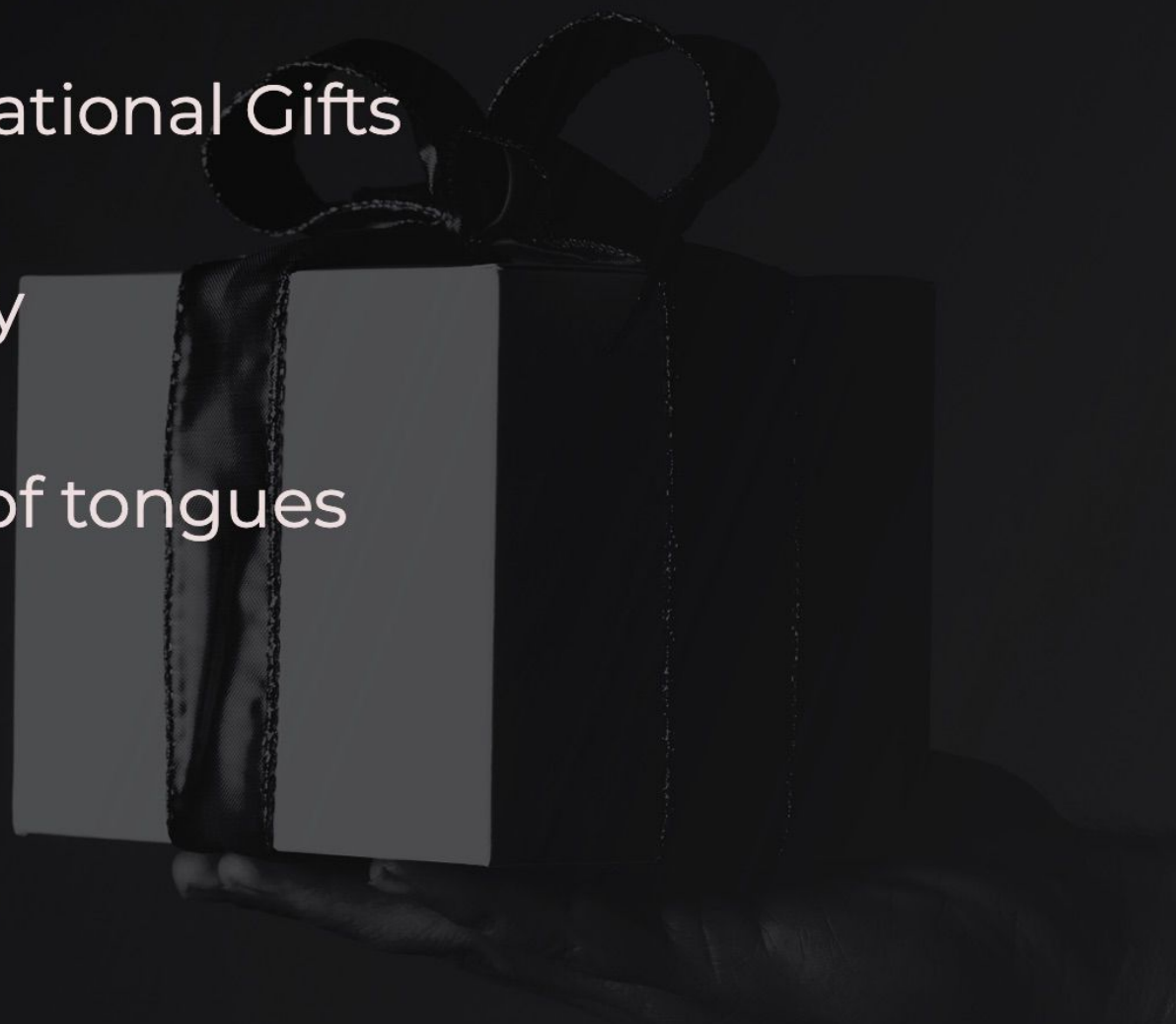
- The gift of special faith
- The gifts of healings
- The workings of miracles



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Group Three: Vocal/Inspirational Gifts

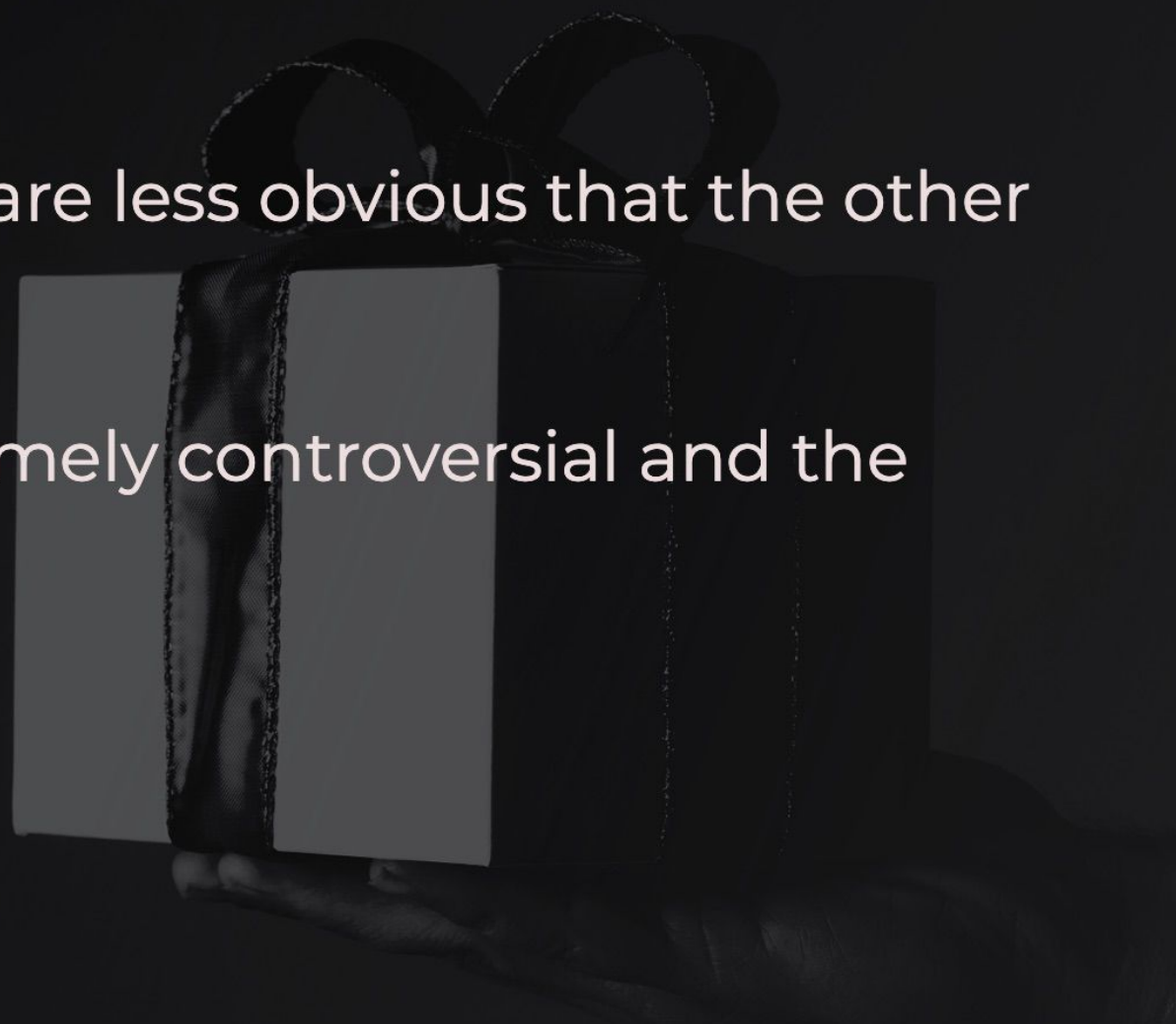
- The gift of prophecy
- The gift of tongues
- The interpretation of tongues



Why Focus on the “Nine” and not all?

The nature of these nine are less obvious than the other gifts.

These nine gifts are extremely controversial and the source of divisive debate



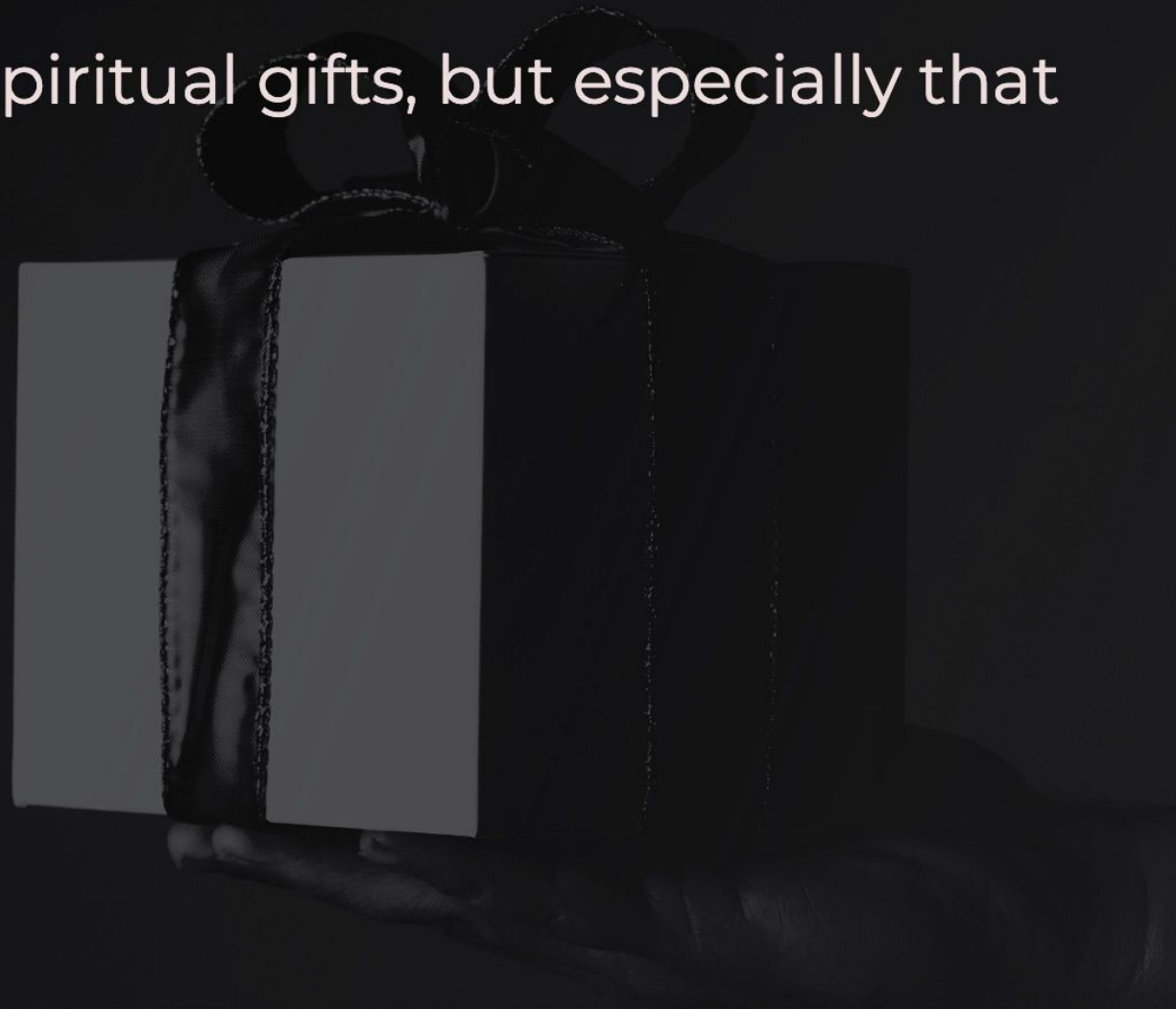
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The church (believers) desperately needs an infusion of supernatural activity of God into its life and ministry. To be equipped to use the gifts of God gives.

To be expectant about what God can do for you and those He has called you to help.

1 Corinthians 14:1 (NKJV)

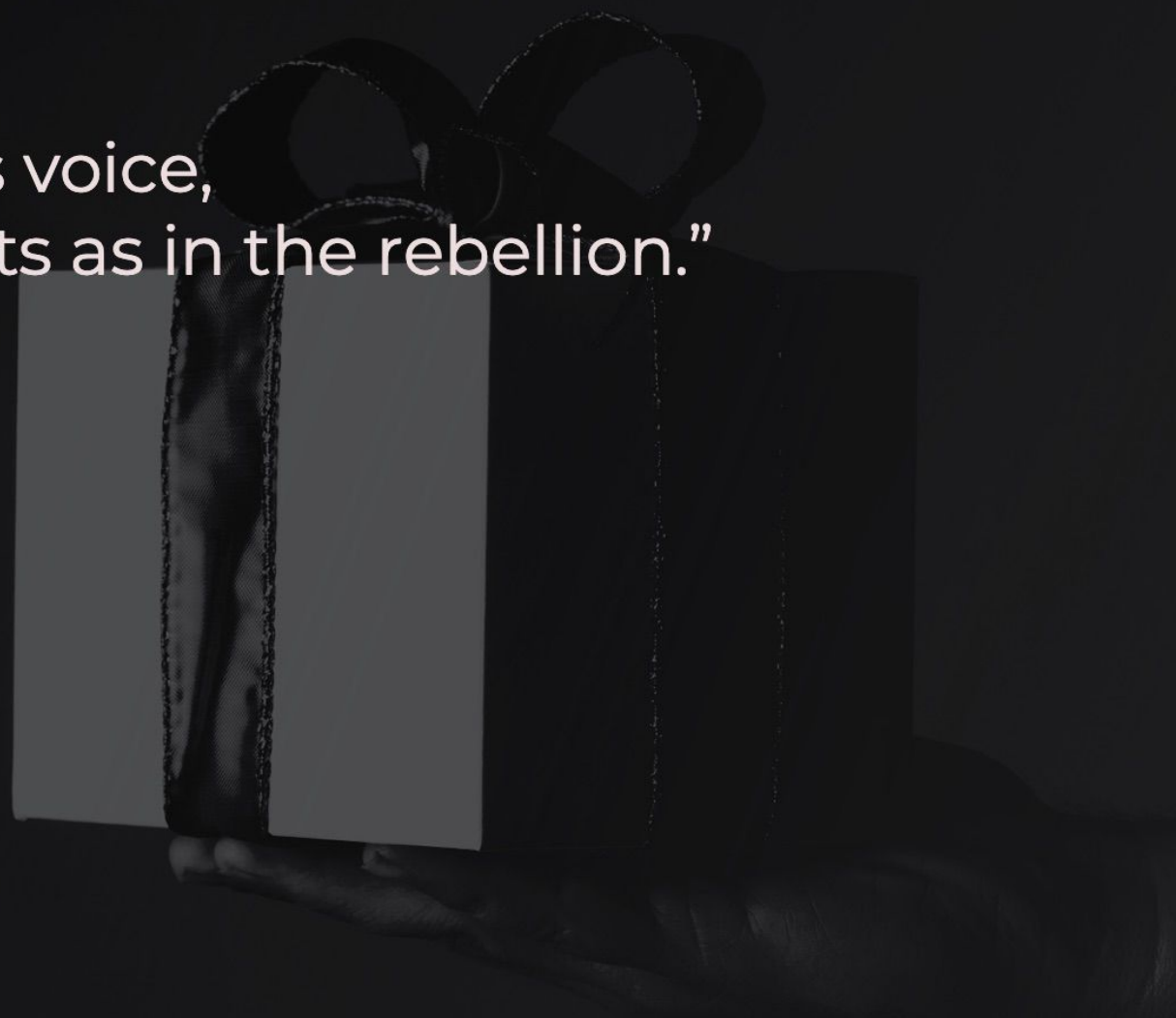
1 Pursue love, and desire spiritual gifts, but especially that you may prophesy.



Hebrews 3:15 (NKJV)

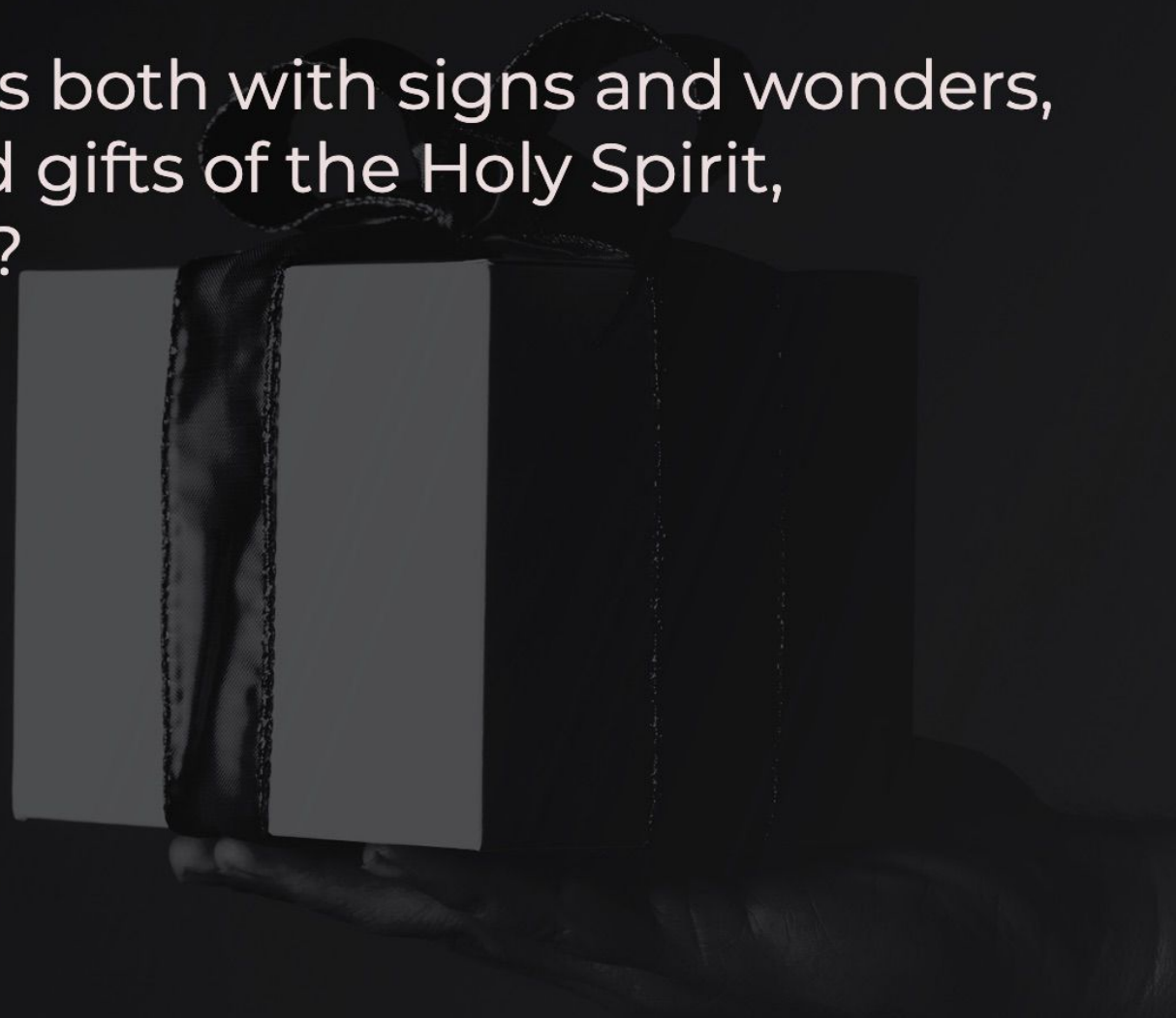
15 while it is said:

“Today, if you will hear His voice,
Do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.”



Hebrews 2:4 (NKJV)

4 God also bearing witness both with signs and wonders, with various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit, according to His own will?



1 Corinthians 12:1-11 (NKJV)

1 Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant: 2 You know that you were Gentiles, carried away to these dumb idols, however you were led. 3 Therefore I make known to you that no one speaking by the Spirit of God calls Jesus accursed, and no one can say that Jesus is Lord except by

1 Corinthians 12:1-11 (NKJV)

the Holy Spirit.

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I Corinthians 12:1-11 (NKJV)

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

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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.

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