

L18: Essential Doctrines: Spiritual Gifts Pt. 6

Read 1 Corinthians 14:1-40

Prayer

Summary Points:

- **The Spiritual Gifts**
 - **Diversities of Gifts**
 - **Differences of Administrations**
 - **Diversities of Operations**

Lesson Points:

- **The More Excellent Way**
 - **The Word of God/Timing**
- **1 Corinthians 14**
- **Modern Counterfeit Gifts History**

The More Excellent Way

- **The Word of God/Timing**
 - 1 Corinthians 13:9-13
 - Ephesians 4:8-16
 - Eph. 1:8 (Rom. 15:29)
 - Col. 1:9-20, 25, 2:3
 - 2 Timothy 3:16

 - Eph. 4:8-16 - "He gave" (past tense)
 - Col. 1:25 - "fulfill"
 - 2 Timothy 3:16 - "all scripture"
 - 2 Tim. 4:17 - "preaching might be fully known"
 - 2 Timothy 4:13 - "the parchments"
 - 1 Timothy 3:1 - "desire the office of a bishop"
 - 1 Corinthians 12:11 - "dividing to every man severally as He will"

 - Tongues
 - 1 Timothy 6:20
 - 2 Timothy 2:16

 - Healing
 - 1 Timothy 5:23
 - 2 Timothy 4:20

1 Corinthians 14

- Constant theme is tongues in the church produces confusion unless you can interpret and doesn't produce edification of the church.

- In fact, when tongues is done in the church you can be seen as "mad", "children", "unlearned".
- Highlights:
 - :1 - all can prophesy
 - :2 - unknown tongue = "language they don't understand"
 - :4 - edifying of the church
 - Ephesians 4
 - :5 - what makes one great is doing edification
 - :7-8 - distinction in the sounds - piped or harped or trumpet
 - :9 - utter words easy to be understood
 - :10 - voices in the world
 - :11 - barbarians