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## Gifts

September 15, 2024 "Prophecy"

-LOVE GOD—LOVE PEOPLE—SERVE THE WORLD-

### 1 Corinthians 12:7-11

✦ **Utterance Gifts:** These are the gifts that "say" something. These are; Prophecy, Tongues, and the Interpretation of Tongues.

✦ **Gift of Prophecy:** "a message of encouragement from God, delivered through a person to another person or persons."

### ✦ **Eight important points about prophecy:**

1. Pray, "is it for me or for someone else."

We do not always need a spiritual gift given to us, to hear from God on a personal level, or even when we are giving Biblical counsel to someone.

### John 14:16-18 AMP

We have everything you need to be a successful follower of Jesus through the power of the Holy Spirit and the Word of God.

2. Do not despise prophecy but test it.

**1 Thessalonians 5:19 AMP, 1 Corinthians 14:39-40**

We must test all prophecy first by the Word of God, second by a confirmation in our own spirit, and third, through much prayer.

3. Prophecy today is much different than it was in the Old Testament.

We find no proof in the New Testament that prophecy today is authoritative and therefore when given we must obey, or otherwise be in sin.

### Acts 21:10-13

4. The gift of prophecy should never be used to manipulate people into doing something.

5. We do not have any prophetic gifting today, like we see in the Old Testament.

### Romans 8:14

✦ We must approach all spiritual gifts with humility and careful responsibility.

6. All can receive the gift of prophecy. **Acts 2:16-18**

7. Prophecy will continue until the end of the church age.

8. Preaching is not the gift of prophecy in manifestation.

### 1 Corinthians 14:6

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