

# Break It Down For Me, Fellas

Series: Spiritual Gifts

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12



## 1. Initial Specification About Gifts From Paul (1 Corinthians 12:7-10)

- a. Paul declares the purpose of spiritual gifts (7)- "To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good."
- b. Communication of knowledge & wisdom (8) - "To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit..."
- c. Unassailable trust (9a) - "To another faith by the same Spirit..."
- d. Supernatural power (9-10a) - "To another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles..."
- e. Strengthening communication (10b) - "...to another prophecy..."
  - i. "The one who prophesies speaks to people for their upbuilding and encouragement and consolation." - 1 Corinthians 14:3
  - ii. "You can all prophesy one by one, so that all may learn and all be encouraged." - 1 Corinthians 14:31
- f. Spirit-empowered discernment (10c) - "...to another the ability to distinguish between spirits..."
- g. Supernatural prayer & proclamation (10d) - "...to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues."

## 2. Amplified Exhortation About Gifts From Paul (Romans 12:6-8)

- a. Paul establishes the accountability with spiritual gifts (6a) - "Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them..."
- b. Prophecy (6b) - "...if prophecy, in proportion to our faith;"

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- c. Helping (7a) - "...if service, in our serving;"
- d. Teaching & exhortation (7b-8a) - "...the one who teaches, in his teaching; 8a the one who exhorts, in his exhortation;"
- e. Giving (8b) - "...the one who contributes, in generosity;"
- f. Leading (8c) - "...the one who leads, with zeal;"
- g. Mercy (8d) - "...the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness."

### 3. Brief Instruction About Gifts From Peter (1st Peter 4:10-12)

- a. Be motivated by singular purpose (10, 11c) - "As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace... in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen."
- b. Speak with authorized confidence (11a) - "...whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God;"
- c. Serve in supplied power (11b) - "...whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies..."

