The Supernatural Gifts & Ministries of the Holy Spirit

- Understanding God's Supernatural Power In Your Life
- There is More!!! All who are thirsty come and drink!

Keys:

- 1. God promised to pour out His Spirit on all flesh in the last days. Joel 2
- 2. Jesus is our model. Jesus did all that He did in His earthly ministry by the supernatural power of the Holy Spirit.
- 3. The fulfillment of Gods promise in Joel 2 and the dispensation of the Holy Spirit began with the birth of the Church in Acts 2 and continues with us today.
- 4. We believe that the Baptism, gifts and ministries of the Holy Spirit continue today and will continue to operate until the return of Christ according the the Word of God. Cessationist vs Continuationist view.
- 5. The Supernatural Gifts & Ministries of the Holy Spirit operating in the Church are absolutely essential to <u>fulfilling the great commission</u> and for the <u>equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ.</u>

The Word of God reveals Christianity as a supernatural way of life. To be functioning members of the body of Christ as well as more effective witnesses for Him in the world, we must have an understanding of the 9 supernatural gifts of the Holy Spirit and their operation in our lives.

John 1:14-18 NASB1995

"And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth. John *testified about Him and cried out, saying, "This was He of whom I said, 'He who comes after me has a higher rank than I, for He existed before me.'" For of His fullness we have all received, and grace upon grace. For the Law was given through Moses; grace and truth were

realized through Jesus Christ. No one has seen God at any time; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained Him."

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John 7:37-39 NASB1995

"Now on the last day, the great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried out, saying, "If anyone is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me, as the Scripture said, 'From his innermost being will flow rivers of living water.'" But this He spoke of the Spirit, whom those who believed in Him were to receive; for the Spirit was not yet given, because Jesus was not yet glorified."

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John 14:12 NASB1995

"Truly, truly, 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 the Father."

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Acts 1:8 NASB1995

"but you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be My witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and even to the remotest part of the earth.""

https://bible.com/bible/100/act.1.8.NASB1995

1 Corinthians 12:1, 4-13 NASB1995

"Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be unaware...

Now there are <u>varieties of gifts</u>, but the <u>same Spirit</u>. And there are <u>varieties of ministries</u>, and the <u>same Lord</u>. There are <u>varieties of effects</u>, but the <u>same God</u> who <u>works all things in all persons</u>. But to each one is given the manifestation of the Spirit <u>for the common good</u>. For to one is given <u>the word of wisdom</u> through the Spirit, and to another <u>the word of knowledge</u> according to the same Spirit; to another <u>faith</u> by the same Spirit, and to another <u>gifts of healing</u> by the one Spirit, and to another <u>the effecting of miracles</u>, and to another <u>prophecy</u>, and to another <u>the distinguishing of spirits</u>, to another <u>various kinds of tongues</u>, and to another <u>the interpretation of</u>

tongues. But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually just as He wills. For even as the body is one and yet has many members, and all the members of the body, though they are many, are one body, so also is Christ. For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one Spirit."

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The Grace of God - the greek word Charis: God's unmerited favor and supernatural enablement and empowerment for salvation and for daily sanctification.

Charisma = The Grace Gifts

The 9 grace gifts of the Spirit listed:

- 1. A Word of Wisdom
- 2. A Word of Knowledge
- 3. Faith
- 4. Gifts of Healing
- 5. Working of Miracles
- 6. Prophecy
- 7. Discerning of Spirits
- 8. Various Kinds of Tongues
- 9. Interpretation of Tongues

The Gifts of the Holy Spirit can be organized in 3 groups of 3:

The Revelatory Gifts

- 1. A Word of Wisdom
- 2. A Word of Knowledge
- 3. Discernings of Spirits

The Power Gifts

- 1. Faith
- 2. Gifts of Healings
- 3. Workings of Miracles

The Inspirational Vocal Gifts

- 1. Various Kinds of Tongues
- 2. Interpretation of Tongues
- 3. Prophecy

There are two foundation stones that the gifts of the Holy Spirit are built upon in the church. These foundation stones are <u>Unity and Love</u>. We as one body, the body of Christ must function as one in <u>unity</u> and walk in <u>love</u> for the gifts of the Spirit to flow unhindered as the Holy Spirit desires. Where there is disunity and selfish motives the Holy Spirit will be grieved the gifts will not function.

All of the supernatural gifts of the Holy Spirit operate by <u>Faith</u>! We receive and activate these gifts Faith. Believing that God has given you supernatural gifts and abilities by the Holy Spirit for the common good of the whole body to

Romans 12:3-8 NASB1995

"For through the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think more highly of himself than he ought to think; but to think so as to have sound judgment, as God has allotted to each a measure of faith. For just as we have many members in one body and all the members do not have the same function, so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Since we have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, each of us is to exercise them accordingly: if prophecy, according to the proportion of his faith; if service, in his serving; or he who teaches, in his teaching; or he who exhorts, in his exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness."

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1 Peter 4:10 NASB1995

"As <u>each one has received a special gift</u>, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God."

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1 Corinthians 12:27-31 NASB1995

"Now you are Christ's body, and individually members of it. And God has appointed in the church, first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healings, helps, administrations, various kinds of tongues. All are not apostles, are they? All are not prophets, are they? All are not teachers, are they? All are not workers of miracles, are they? All do not have gifts of healings, do they? All do not speak with tongues, do they? All do not interpret, do they? But earnestly desire the greater gifts. And I show you a still more excellent way."

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1 Corinthians 14:1, 3, 26, 31-33, 39-40 NASB1995

"Pursue love, yet desire earnestly spiritual gifts, but especially that you may prophesy.

But one who prophesies speaks to men for <u>edification</u> and <u>exhortation</u> and consolation.

What is the outcome then, brethren? When you assemble, each one has a psalm, has a teaching, has a revelation, has a tongue, has an interpretation. Let all things be done for edification. The building up of the body in love!

For you can all prophesy one by one, so that all may learn and all may be exhorted; and the spirits of prophets are subject to prophets; for God is not a God of confusion but of peace, as in all the churches of the saints.

Therefore, my brethren, desire earnestly to prophesy, and do not forbid to speak in tongues. But all things must be done properly and in an orderly manner."

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All born again believers have the supernatural ability by the Holy Spirit as He wills to operate in all the gifts of the Spirit for the common good of the body.

Ministry Gifts and Spiritual Gifts

With ministry gifts the person IS the gift to the body and with spiritual gifts the person HAS the gift for the body.

Ephesians 4:7-13 NASB1995

"But to each one of us grace was given according to the measure of Christ's gift.

Therefore it says, "When He ascended on high, He led captive a host of captives, And He gave gifts to men." (Now this expression, "He ascended," what does it mean except that He also had descended into the lower parts of the earth? He who descended is Himself also He who ascended far above all the heavens, so that He might fill all things.)

And He gave some as <u>apostles</u>, and some as <u>prophets</u>, and some as <u>evangelists</u>, and some as <u>pastors</u> and <u>teachers</u>, for the <u>equipping of the saints for the work of service</u>, to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the <u>stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ</u>."

https://bible.com/bible/100/eph.4.7-13.NASB1995