

THE THIRTY GIFTS OF GOD

Eph 4:8 Wherefore he saith, When he ascended up on high,
he led captivity captive, and **gave gifts unto men.**

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Over all structure of the gifts can be found in 1st Corinthians
These are expressions of the three persons of the God Head in the body of Christ here on earth.

1st Corinthians 12:4,5,6

GOD v.6 operations-effects and workings
Father

LORD v.5 administrations – ministries
Jesus

SPIRIT v.4 gifts- spiritual endowments
Holy Spirit

THE GIFTS OF THE CROSS

Unlike the manifestation gifts of the body of Christ, these are automatically bestowed upon the believer when they accept and confess the Lord Jesus as their Lord and Savior and that God has raised him from the dead.. (Romans 10:9-10)

1st Corinthians 12:4,5,6

GOD v.6 operations-effects and workings
Father
1. Eternal Life

LORD v.5 administrations – ministries
Jesus
2. Righteousness

SPIRIT v.4 gifts- spiritual endowments
Holy Spirit
3. Holy Spirit Resident

Romans 6:23 Eternal life – Life with God

Romans 5:15-19 Righteousness – Justification (Romans 4:5)

Romans 5:5 Holy Spirit – The indwelling Comforter

This work came about by the work of the cross in Christ Jesus
Romans 5:5 thru 6:23

Spiritually supplied ability
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ETERNAL LIFE

John 17:3 “Know” An Intimate relationship with God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Characterized by profound emotional closeness, trust, and personal connection, often involving significant vulnerability and mutual understanding.

1.The righteous in Christ will go into eternal life from the Throne of Glory.
Matthew 25:31/46

2.Those who forsake the world, the things of this world, for Christ will receive eternal life.
Matthew 19:29

3.Your life is not by what you possess here. Your life is by your seeking the the Kingdom of God and His righteousness.
Luke 12:15
Luke 12:31

4.Our Father will provide the things we need in this life if we do this.
Luke 12:22
Luke 12:30,31

5.Jesus is our life
John 6:35
John 6:54
Galatians 2:20

6.God's Word. The words that Jesus spoke are our life.
John 6:63

7.This is a life of reign in Christ Jesus, not poverty and disease.
Romans 5:17

8.We no longer live like we used to.
Romans 6:4
Romans 8:1
Who live by the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus.
Romans 8:2
Romans 8:12,13

9.When you are a totally new person you should live differently.
2nd Corinthians 5:15-17

10. This life is a life of faith having three main benefits.

Hebrews 10:38

Galatians 3:13-14

a. Blessings of Abraham – Prosperity

Genesis 12:1-3

Genesis 13:2

b. Redeemed from the curse of the Law – Health

Deuteronomy 28:59-61

c. Promise of the Spirit – Power

Acts 1:8 – doo-nam-is = miraculous power

Power to overcome all the works of the enemy

1st John 3:8

1st John 2:14

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RIGHTEOUSNESS

Justification

1. Righteousness comes through faith, not by anything we do
Romans 9:30-32

2. Our righteousness comes because we believe in Jesus Christ.
Romans 3:21-22

3. The righteous delight in the word of God and meditate in the word day and night.
Psalms 1:2

Benefits of the righteousness

1. Prosperity
Psalms 1:3
Psalms 112:3

2. Protection
Psalms 5:12
Proverbs 12:21

3. Health
Psalms 91:10
Psalms 91:16
[Galatians 3:13-14 is for us today]

4. The righteous depart from evil.
Proverbs 16:17
1st Corinthians 15:34

Given Voluntarily
Didomi Did-o-mee

HOLY SPIRIT

The indwelling seal of the Spirit (Not the Infilling/Baptism of the Holy Spirit)
John 20:22

Our spirits are sealed by the Holy Spirit and nothing can break that seal.

2 Corinthians 1:22

Ephesians 1:13

Ephesians 4:30

1. On rebirth, the Holy Spirit dwells with in you.

John 14:16-17

He will NEVER leave you.

Like the seven Spirits of God before the throne there are at least seven things that the Holy Spirit does?

Revelation 4:5

1. He will teach you all things.

John 14:26

1st John 2:27

John 16:13

2. He will bring to your remembrance whatever Jesus said.

John 14:26

3. He will testify of Jesus

John 15:26

John 16:14-15

4. He will intercede when we do not know what we should pray.

Romans 8:26

5. He will speak of what he hears.

John 16:13

John 16:15

Philippians 3:15

6. He will show you things to come.

John 16:13

7. He will quicken

[2227 zoopoieo dzo-op-oy-eh'-o - quicken, give life, make alive]

your mortal body

Romans 8:11

THE BODY OF CHRIST

1Co 12:12-27

For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ.

Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.

We are not members like having a membership at a club or an earthly organization.

Our physical bodies are the literal physical Body of Christ on earth. The Holy Spirit in us is the life giving Spirit of that Body.

THE GIFTS TO THE BODY OF CHRIST

1. These gifts, unlike the gifts of the cross, were given after Christ ascended to the right hand of the Father and released the manifestations of the Holy Spirit on Pentecost.

Ephesians 4:8 / Acts 2:1-4

2. There are three categories.

- a. For the perfecting (complete furnishing, equipping) of the saints.
- b. For the work (to fully carry out and put completely into effect) of the ministry.
- c. For the edifying (actions that promotes growth) of the body of Christ.

Ephesian 4:12

3. None of these gifts are withdrawn.

Ephesians 4:13

4. These manifestations are God making Himself known through various means, whether through direct presence, miracles, or through the person of Jesus Christ, thereby bridging the gap between the divine and human experience. To bring everyone together to the common good.

1st Corinthians 12:7

5. The divisions of God, Lord and Spirit applies here also.

1st Corinthians 12:4-5-6

God
The perfecting
of the Saints
*Lord calls -
God equips
1st Corinthians 7:17*

Jesus
Work of the Ministry

*As the Spirit wills-
1st Corinthians 12:11*

Holy Spirit
Edifying of the
body of Christ
*Pursued by the individual
1st Corinthians 14:1&12*

Instruction of the elect

- 1.Apostles
- 2.Prophets
- 3.Teachers

GOD THE FATHER v.6
Effects and workings

- 1.Word of Wisdom
- 2.Word of Knowledge
- 3.Faith * Supernatural *

Characteristics of God

- 1.Grace * Romans 12:6 *
- 2.Faith * Measure *
- 3.Love * Romans 5:5 *

Preacher of the Gospel

- 1.Pastor/Bishop
2. Evangelist
- 3.Exhorter

THE LORD JESUS v.5
Ministries

- 1.Gifts of Healings
- 2.Working of Miracles
- 3.Prophecy * Revelations *

Characteristics of Jesus

- 1.Show Mercy * Luke10:37 *
- 2.Giver * John 6:33 *
- 3.Peace * John 14:27 *

Guidance of the body

- 1.Helps
- 2.Governments
- 3.Tongues w/ Interpretation

THE HOLY SPIRIT v.4
Spiritual Endowments

- 1.Discerning of Spirits
- 2.Kinds of Tongues
- 3.Interpretation of

Characteristics of the Spirit

- 1.Prophesy* Words of encouragement *
- 2.Unknown Tongues
- 3.Interpretation (Personal)

GIFTS OF THE BODY OF CHRIST

- 1.GRACE- God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and empowerment given freely to humankind, not because of what we have done but because of who God is-Ephesians 3:7
- 2..FAITH-MEASURE- portion of faith-Romans 12:2
- 3.LOVE- affection, benevolence – Romans 5:5 12:9
- 4.PEACE- peace, prosperity-John 14:27
- 5.GIVER- to give, share – Romans 12:8 / 1st Corinthians 9:15
- 6.SHOWETH MERCY- showing compassion – Romans 12:8 Mark 5:19
- 7.GOVERNMENTS- Directorships in the church – Romans 12:8 / 1st Corinthians 12:28
- 8.HELPS- relief, aide - 1st Corinthians 12:28

Infilling/Baptism of the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues is the prerequisite of the following power gifts to manifest. Acts 1:8

- 1.PROPHECY- predictions-1st Corinthians 12:10 / Romans 12:6
- 2.PROPHESY- speaking encouragement under Divine inspiration-1st Corinthians 14:1-3
- 3.TEACHER- instructor-1st Corinthians 12:28 / Romans 12:7
- 4.EXHORTER- call near, invite, invoke – Romans 12:8
- 5.WORDS OF WISDOM- message of guidance and direction-1st Corinthians 12:8
- 6.WORD OF KNOWLEDGE- message of past/present information-1st Corinthians 12:8
- 7.FAITH- supernatural faith-1st Corinthians 12:9
- 8.GIFTS OF HEALINGS- miraculous faculties of effecting cures-1st Corinthians 12:9,28
- 9.WORKING OF MIRACLES- effects of miraculous powers-1st Corinthians 12:10,28
- 10.DISCERNING OF SPIRITS- physical perception of spiritual realm-1st Corinthians 12:10
- 11.KINDS OF TONGUES- kindred languages, tongues of men-1st Corinthians 12:10 & 13:1
- 12.UNKNOWN TONGUES- unknown languages, tongues of angels-1st Corinthians 14:2 & 13:1
- 13.INTERPRETATION OF TONGUES- Personal – translation of languages 1st Corinthians 14:13
- 14.INTERPRETATION OF TONGUES- Ministry – translation of languages 1st Corinthians 12:10,30
- 15.APOSTLES- ambassador of the gospel, commissioner of Christ-1st Corinthians 12:28, Ephesians 4:11
- 16.PROPHETS- foreteller, prophet-1st Corinthians 12:28, Ephesians 4:11
- 17.TONGUES WITH INTERPRETATION- ministry of- 1st Corinthians 12:28
- 18.EVANGELIST- preacher of the gospel-Ephesians 4:11
- 19.PASTOR- shepherd, bishop-Ephesians 4:11

THE EDIFYING OF THE BODY OF CHRIST
By Grace through Faith made active by Love
Ephesians 2:8 – Galatians 5:6

Given as a result of service
Dorea Do-reh-ah

GOD
Edifying of the Body of Christ

GRACE
There are three types of the Grace of God in His willingness to use His power on our behalf even though we don't deserve it.

“Saving Grace”

This Grace is God moving upon our spirit for us to be able to receive His salvation.
It is the work of the Holy Spirit to bring one to salvation.
John 16:7-10

1. We receive forgiveness of sins by grace.
Ephesian 1:7

2. Our gospel is the gospel of the grace of God.
Acts 20:24

3. We receive grace by faith and not by works.
Romans 5:2
Romans 11:6

4. We are saved by grace and by grace we reign with Jesus.
Ephesian 2:5-7

“Living Grace”

This Grace is God empowering us to live out our eternal life in Christ here and now.

1. We can receive an abundance of grace in order to reign in life through Christ.
Romans 5:17

2. Grace abounds more than sin.
Romans 5:20

3. Grace reigns over and above sin because it reigns unto eternal life.
Romans 5:21

4. Grace brings abundance.
2nd Corinthians 9:8

5. When we need help, grace is there in our time of need.
Hebrews 4:16

6. The spirit of the man, or his heart, should be established by grace.
Hebrews 13:9

7. You can fall from grace.
Galatians 5:3,4

6. And you can grow in grace.
2nd Peter 3:18

7. Grace is given to those who will humble themselves before God and will seek the knowledge of God.
James 4:6
2nd Peter 1:2

“Operational Grace”

This Grace is the Holy Spirit enduing us with the anointing to operate in Spiritual Manifestations.

8. The gifts that you receive are according to that grace that is given.
Romans 12:6

9. Paul states that his ministry was because of grace.
Romans 15:15
1st Corinthians 3:10
Ephesians 3:7

A Gift Given
Doron Do-ron

GOD
Edifying of the Body of Christ

MEASURE OF FAITH

1. God gave us a measure of faith. Every born again believer.
Romans 12:3

2. Faith is now, not going to be.
Hebrews 11:1
Romans 4:16,17

3. Faith is the 'substance' of creation. Hypostasis hoop-os'-tas-is = substructure, foundation
Hebrews 11:1

4. Faith is the evidence of what we hope for.
Hebrews 11:1

5. This faith is our victory.
1st John 5:4

6. This faith is the Word in our heart and in our mouth.
Romans 10:8

7. This faith can grow by hearing God's Word.
Romans 10:17

The Law of Faith

a. Our faith is activated by what we say.
Hebrews 4:14 10:23

b. We say what we believe, God's Word.
2nd Corinthians 4:13
Mark 11:22,23

8. Faith is activated by love.
Galatians 5:6

Summation – Faith is resting in the finished work of Grace – Our Lord Jesus Christ

Poured out into you
Ekehuno Ek-khoo-no

GOD
Edifying of the body of Christ

LOVE

1. God loved us even though we were dead in sins.
Ephesians 2:4-7

2. The love of God is not the same as natural human love or affection.
John 3:16 This is God's Love poured into our spirit. Romans 5:5

3. We are made conquerors because of God's love.
Romans 8:37-39

4. This is what God's love is
1st Corinthians 13:4-7

- a. Love suffers a long time
- b. Love is not jealous
- c. Love does not boast of itself
- d. Love is not proud
- e. Love does not act improperly
- f. Love does not seek its own desires
- g. Love is not easily provoked to anger
- h. Love does not think evil thoughts
- i. Love does not rejoice in wrong doing
- j. Love bears all things
- k. Love believes the best of all things
- l. Love hopes for all things
- m. Love endures all things
- n. Love holds the body together – Ephesians 4:15-16
- o. Love is the bond of perfectness – Colossians 3:14
- p. Love is a fruit of the Spirit – Galatians 5:22
- q. Love covers up sins - 1st Peter 4:8
- r. Love builds up - 1st Corinthians 8:1
- s. Love casts out fear - 1st John 4:18
- t. Love fulfills the law – Romans 13:10
- u. Love is of God - 1st John 4:8

5. We are to live in this love.
Ephesians 5:2

6. We are to be established in this love.
Ephesians 3:17

7. We should exercise this love with a clean heart continuously.

1st Timothy 1:5

1st Peter 1:22

8. Nothing can separate us from the love of God.

Romans 8:38,39

9. We are to serve one another by love.

Galatians 5:13

10. This love is increased by the knowledge of God's Word.

Philippians 1:9

1st John 2:5

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JESUS
Edifying of the Body of Christ

GIVER
Luke 6:38

1.He that gives should do it not expecting any thing in return.
Romans 12:8

a. Simplicity: haplotes – without self-seeking

2.Give to those who are in need.
Ephesians 4:28

3.Should give liberally not hoarding our abundance.
2nd Corinthians 9:1,5

a. bounty: eulogia – giving liberally
b. covetousness: pleonexia – hoarding

4.If you give stingily, you will receive of God stingily. If you give liberally, you will receive of God liberally.
2nd Corinthians 9:6

a. sparingly: pheidomennus – stingily
b. bountifully: eulogia – liberally

5.Give according to the purpose and intent of your heart, not being distressed about it. Because God loves a willing giver.
2nd Corinthians 9:7

a. purposeth: proaireomai – purpose, intent
b. grudgingly: ek lupr - out of sadness
c. necessity: anagke – constraint, distress
d. cheerful:hilaros – prompt, willing

6. By giving we not only supply the needs of the ministry but the words saints refers to all of the body of Christ. Also this will increase according to the promise of God. [Psalms 112:9 and Malachi 3:10], through thanksgiving made to God.

2nd Corinthians 9:12

a. Saints

I. Romans 1:7

II. 1st Corinthians 1:2

III. 2nd Corinthians 1:1

IV. Ephesians 1:1

V. Philippians 1:1 [Note ministers named separate from saints]

VI. Galatians 1:2

7. With equality. Not some members of the body prosperous and the rest in poverty.

2nd Corinthians 8:12-15

Acts 2:44,45

Acts 4:35,35

8. A word of caution to those who think they can abuse this gift.

Acts 5:1-5

9. When you give feast. Give to for the poor, maimed, lame, blind. Not for friends, kinsman and rich neighbors.

Luke 14:12-14

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JESUS
Edifying of the body of Christ

SHOWING MERCY
Compassion

1. When showing compassion for others, do it with cheerful readiness.

Romans 12:8 - cheerfulness: hilarotes-alacrity=brisk and cheerful readiness.

2. We should be merciful and compassionate towards others because we have received mercy from the Lord.

1st Peter 2:10

EXAMPLES

a. Jesus's compassion for the man possessed with a legion of devils.

Mark 5:19

b. The Lord's compassion for Saul, [Paul], who persecuted the body of Christ.

1st Timothy 1:13

Given Voluntarily
Didomi Did-o-mee

JESUS
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PEACE

1. Jesus left his peace with us.
John 14:27

2. He stated this every time he appeared after His resurrection.
John 20:19
John 20:26

3. All of the letters except for Hebrews begins or ends with “peace to you”.

WHAT IS THIS PEACE

peace: eirene – security, safety, prosperity, intense happiness, (because peace and harmony make and keep things safe and prosperous)

1. Peace is the bond that keeps unity in the Spirit.
Ephesians 4:3

2. Jesus is our peace.
Ephesians 2:14

3. This peace can not be understood by the carnal mind.
Philippians 4:7

4. This peace is to rule your heart.
Colossians 3:15

5. We called to peace so we should live in peace.
1st Corinthians 7:15
2nd Corinthians 13:11

6. We should live peaceably with all men not just brothers only.
Romans 12:18

7. The gospel is peace and the kingdom is peace.
Romans 10:15
Romans 14:17

8. So then we should follow those things that make for peace.
Romans 14:19

9. We should seek and pursue peace.

1st Peter 3:11

HOW

a. By being spiritually minded.

Romans 8:6

b. Through the knowledge of God, and of Jesus our Lord.

2nd Peter 1:2

10. Thereby we will be able to fulfill the word telling us to shod our feet with the gospel of grace.

Ephesians 6:15

THE ANOINTING

Infilling/Baptism of the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues is the prerequisite of the power gifts to manifest. Acts 1:8

Anointing will be tangible in operation but each gift will have different levels of anointing
Example: The anointing to Teach will have a different unction (smeared on) than the anointing to Prophecy.

(The Hand of the Lord – To recognize it in the physical is as if the Lord rests his Hand on/over you or as a Mantle thrown over you as in the example of 1Ki 19:16&19 “shalt thou anoint” “and Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him.”)

1Ki 18:46

2Ki 3:15

Ezekiel uses this Hand of the Lord frequently to describe when he was ministering under the power of the Spirit.

1:3, 3:14, 8:1, 37:1,

Spiritually Applied Expression
Pneumatikos pnyoo-mat-ik-os
phanerosis fan-er-o-sis

HOLY SPIRIT

Edifying of the Body of Christ
Anointing tangible in operation

PHOPHESY

Speaking under divine inspiration – propheteuo

This gift is not the same as PROPHECY- prophēteia – two distinctly different Greek words in scripture.

PROPHECY-predictions of more than one future event. Telling of one event would fall under the heading of 'A' Word of Wisdom.

PHOPHESY- This is God speaking to us through the speaker, encouragement under Divine inspiration-
1st Corinthians 14:1-3

1. We are to place special emphasis on this gift.
1st Corinthians 14:1

WHY?

a. Because he that uses this gift helps to give assurance of the truth to the church and helps them to become more settled in their convictions.
1st Corinthians 14:4

I. Edifieth-oikodomeo – confirm

b. Because he that uses this gift speaks to men to give them assurance of the truth, to give comfort, to help alleviate grief and sorrow and to urge and encourage them.
1st Corinthians 14:3

I. Edification: oikdome – confirm

II. Exhortation: paraklesis - exhortation, solace

III. Comfort: paramuthia – consolation, comfort

c. If all the members were speaking in tongues then the outsider would think you were crazy, BUT if all were using the gift of prophesy, then when the outsider comes in he will be overwhelmed and brought to naught by all and judged by all and the secrets of his heart will become apparent.
1st Corinthians 14:24

2. This should be done in order and one by one so that all may learn, be assured of the truth, comforted, urged and encouraged.
1st Corinthians 14:31-33,40

3. Have an affection for prophesy but don't misuse it.
1st Corinthians 14:39

4. But do not forbid people to speak in tongues either.
1st Corinthians 14:39

5. Again. This is to be done to give assurance to the congregation of the truth of God and to help them to become more settled in their conviction.
1st Corinthians 14:12

Spiritually Supplied Expression
pneumatikos pnyoo-mat-ik-os
phanerosis fan-er-o-sis

HOLY SPIRIT
Edifying of the Body of Christ

UNKOWN TONGUES [After infilling]
1st Corinthians 13:1 – Tongues of Angels

Speaking, praying, and singing in unknown tongues as the Spirit gives the utterance.
1st Corinthians 14:15

THREE USES

1. Speaking, praying and singing in unknown tongues.
 - a. You are speaking, praying and singing in/by the Spirit of God and no one but GOD understands what you say.
1st Corinthians 14:2
 - b. Praying and singing in unknown tongues builds and trains your spirit.
1st Corinthians 14:4
 - c. Praying and singing in unknown tongues will build up your faith.
Jude 20
2. Praying and singing in your own language and then the same thing in tongues.
 - a. Helps the person get used to hearing both types, one after another, as a preparation for interpretation of tongues.
 - b. Also removes vain or repetitious words.
3. Reading scripture and Spirit inspired material in unknown tongue.
 - a. This trains your spirit in line with God's word.
1st Corinthians 14:4
 - b. This is a test of whether or not the material you are about to read is Spirit or not.
John 6:63

MORE

4. You will not mentally understand what is prayed in tongues.
1st Corinthians 14:14

5. So do not forbid people to speak in tongues.

1st Corinthians 14:39

6. Also pray that you will be allowed, by the Spirit, to interpret your own tongues.

1st Corinthians 14:13

a. This would be a prelude to higher uses of tongues with interpretation.

7. The more you exercise this gift the voice of God will become more discernible.

1st Corinthians 14:18 – It is clear that Paul was able to discern the voice of God.

Spiritually Supplied Expression
pneumatikos pnyoo-mat-ik-os
phanerosis fan-er-o-sis

HOLY SPIRIT

Edifying of the Body of Christ
Anointing tangible in operation

INTERPRETATION OF UNKNOWN TONGUES

1.This is the personal use of the gift of interpretation as the Spirit wills.

2.The Spirit allows you to interpret a prayer that you said in tongues in order for you to have the understanding of what you just prayed.

1st Corinthians 14:14

3.The exercise of this gift could also be in preparation to move up into the Ministry of Interpretation of Tongues.

THE PERFECTING OF THE SAINTS

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GOD

Perfecting of the Saints

APOSTLE

Ambassador of the gospel

1. The Apostle is sent by God, not by man or himself out into the world to...
2nd Corinthians 1:1

- a. Preach the gospel of Christ. Acts 14:7
- b. To establish new converts in the word. Act 14:22
- c. To establish and operate the church until the Lord place the other ministries in the church. Acts 14:23

2. Builds the foundation of the church.
Ephesians 2:20

3. The main requirement of the Apostle is the Lord actually appears unto him and ordains him for this calling.
1st Corinthians 9:1

4. Further qualifications of an Apostle are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

- a. To be honorable
- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
- g. Ruling over their children and family well
- h. Their wives...
 - A. Honorable
 - B. Not speaking slanderously
 - C. Trustworthy in all things
 - D. Serious

5. Let them first be tested, then let them minister, being found without blame.
1st Timothy 3:10

6. In order to fulfill this ministry he would need to have all the gifts for the work of the ministry in operation in his life.

2nd Corinthians 12:12

Acts 5:12

7. He also encompasses all of the gifts for perfecting the saints in order to establish and operate the church.

8. Obviously he would not be a novice but has been moved up through all the gifts in preparation for this ministry.

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GOD
The Perfecting of the Saints

PROPHETS
Foreteller

1. A prophet is called when the Lord makes himself known in a vision and speaks to him a dream and sets him in that calling.

Numbers 12:6

2. He is the spokesman of God.

Acts 21:11

Acts 11:28

3. Further qualifications of a Prophet are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

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1st Timothy 3:10

5. The prophets main gift is Prophecy-predictions

Acts 11:27-28

6. In order to be the spokesperson of God it seems they would also have to have the gift of prophecy (Forthtelling) along with one or more of the following gifts.

- a. Word of Wisdom
- b. Word of Knowledge
- c. Discerning of Spirits
- d. Tongues with Interpretation

7. When in church assembly let the prophets speak two or three.
1st Corinthians 14:29

8. They are to judge and make sure that what is being spoken by the prophets is according to the Spirit of God.
1st Corinthians Paul's example in 14:37

9. They are to exhort and confirm the body through their ministry.
Acts 15:32

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GOD
The Perfecting of the Saints

TEACHER
Instructor

1. Qualifications of a Teacher are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

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- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
- g. Ruling over their children and family well
- h. Their wives...
 - A. Honorable
 - B. Not speaking slanderously
 - C. Trustworthy in all things
 - D. Serious

2. Let them first be tested, then let them minister, being found without blame.
1st Timothy 3:10

3. The Teacher must wait on the Lord in prayerful study of the scriptures.
Romans 12:7
Acts 13:2

4. The teacher teaches on two main things.

- a. Jesus
Acts 28:31
- b. Word of God
Acts 18:11 and 15:35

5. Three guides on how to teach.

- a. Teach exactly.
Acts 18:25 – akribōs - exactly, accurately, diligently
- b. Teach only what is in the word.
1st Timothy 1:3
- c. Teach by the wisdom of the Holy Spirit.
1st Corinthians 2:13
Colossians 1:28

6.He teaches publicly and in the church.
Acts 5:42, 20:20

7.Apollos was a teacher and it says he watered.
1st Corinthians 3:6

When plants are watered they become refreshed and revived. Teaching in and by the Spirit will leave people the same way.

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PASTOR/BISHOP
Shepherd

1. Rules over and tend the flock. [the congregation]

2. In 1st Timothy we find the qualifications of a pastor.
1st Timothy 3:1-7

- a. Be blameless. Literally – not arrested.
- b. Husbands of first wife.
- c. Cautious
- d. Self-controlled
- e. Of good behavior.
- f. Hospitable
- g. Instructive
- h. Not tempted by alcohol.
- i. Not quarrelsome.
- j. Not greedy for money or gain.
- k. Appropriate
- l. Peaceable
- m. Not hoarding wealth.
- n. One that rules well over their own family, having their children in subjection with all honor and respect.
- o. Not a young convert.
- p. That they have good evidence of them that are outside.

Also – Titus 1:7-9

- a. Not self-pleasing.
- b. Not easily provoked to anger.
- c. Not addicted to alcohol.
- d. Not a fighter.
- e. Not willing to gain money by improper means.
- f. Fond of good things.
- g. Sound in mind.
- h. Righteous
- i. Sacred
- j. Self-controlled in appetite.
- k. Adhering to the word of faith.
- l. Being able to warn and encourage in uncorrupt instructions.
- m. Able to admonish them that are argumentative.

3. Jesus is the chief shepherd over all the shepherds.

1st Peter 2:25

4. He is to feed the flock of God with the knowledge and understanding of God's word.

Jeremiah 3:15

5. He is to watch the flock and restore those who stray away from the flock.

Ezekiel 34:12

6. Key characteristic of the Pastor is his love for the flock, even to the giving of his own life.

John 10:11

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EVANGELIST
Preacher of the Gospel

1. Qualifications of a Evangelist are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

- a. To be honorable
- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
- g. Ruling over their children and family well
- h. Their wives...
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1st Timothy 3:10

3. Preaches the Good News
Luke 4:18

4. He preaches about three main topics
Acts 8:5 and 12

- a. Salvation through Jesus Christ.
- b. The Name of Jesus.
- c. The Kingdom of God.

5. In order to effectively work this ministry he should have but not be limited to the following gifts.
Acts 8:6-7

- a. Faith [Special]
- b. Gifts of Healings
- c. Working of Miracles

6. The signs draw people in and bear witness to the word he preaches. Then it is when they BELIEVE the Word he preaches people become saved.
Acts 8:5-7;12 Romans 10:9-10

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EXHORTER (Preacher)
To call near and invite

1. Peter started out by preaching the gospel, [Evangelist] then ended up Exhorting, giving the invitation to accept the Lord.
Acts 2:37-40

2. The Exhorter could also work with the Pastor in the church.
Acts 11:22-23

3. Qualifications of an Exhorter are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

- a. To be honorable
- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
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1st Timothy 3:10

5. Other recorded qualifications are in Acts 11:24

- a. A good man.
- b. Full of the Spirit.
- c. Full of Faith.

6. Jude's letter is an example of exhorting by letter.
Jude 3

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HELPS
Relief – aid

1. Qualifications for the ministry of Helps are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

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- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
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DEACONS

1. Example Acts 6:1-4

Here the Deacons relieved the Apostles so that they could continue in prayer and ministry of the word.

2. Further qualifications

- a. Able to be a witness.
- b. Full of the Holy Spirit.
- c. Full of wisdom.

MUSIC

1. 2nd Kings 3:15

Notice the minstrel aided Elisha in becoming spiritually in tune with the Spirit of God.

- a. On the same note, done incorrectly, it will hinder the move of the Holy Spirit.

PRAYER MINISTRY

Intercessory Prayer

1. Prayers and intercessions made for all who are in authority.

1st Timothy 2:1

2. Interceding for the lost.

Luke 10:2

OTHER HELPS

1. Clerical

2. Grounds Crew

3. Automotive maintenance

4. Building maintenance

5. Janitorial

6. Others as needed to support the work of the ministry.

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GOVERNMENTS/ELDERS
Directorship in the church

1. Qualifications for the ministry of GOVERNMENTS/ELDERS are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

- a. To be honorable
- b. Not telling a different story
- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
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Also Titus 1:5-9

- a. Unaccused.
- b. Males of one wife.
- c. Having trustworthy children

Not accused of being immoral or disobedient.

2. He should perform his duties eagerly and not lazily.
Romans 12:8

3. The board undergirds the Pastor in that they support him in fulfilling his calling.

4. Make decisions in regards to budgeting and inter-congregational judgments based on scriptures.

5. Old testament shadow – the Sanhedrin Counsel over which the High Priest resided.

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TONGUES WITH INTERPRETATION

1. Qualifications for the ministry of Helps are outlined in 1st Timothy 3:8-13

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- c. Not likely to drink much alcohol
- d. Not looking for gain
- e. Holding the mystery of faith with a clean conscience
- f. Be the husbands of one wife
- g. Ruling over their children and family well
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2. This is the least of the ministries listed for the Perfecting of the Saints. It is the last one listed in 1st Corinthians 12:28

3. Tongues with interpretation seems to be equal with prophesy.
1st Corinthians 14:5

4. If the gift is exercised, it should be two or three at the most. (Any more would create confusion and God is not the author of confusion.) and as the Holy Spirit guides and directs.
1st Corinthians 14:27

- a. One speaks in tongues.
- b. One interprets.
- c. The interpreter should wait until the tongues is given and done.

5. This seems to be the Kindred Tongue (Language of men), but may also be the unknown tongues.
1st Corinthians 12:10

6. Some guidance may come through this ministry.

7. Let them also first be tested, then let them minister being found with out blame.
1st Timothy 3:10

THE WORK OF THE MINISTRY

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WORD OF WISDOM

Guidance and direction

- 1.A single revelation of God's will for someone in or pertaining to the future.
- 2.This differs from Prophecy in the Prophecy reveals multiple future events.
- 3.Unlike Prophecy, guidance can come through this gift.

a. God's will

Acts 9:15
Acts 23:11

b. Guidance

Acts 22:18
Acts 9:11

- 4.Word of Wisdom may operate with Word of Knowledge and/or Discerning of Spirits.

5.Examples

a. Matthew

12:40
17:22,23
20:17-19
26:2

b. Mark

9:30-32
10:32-34

c. Luke

9:34-45
18:31-34

d. Acts

9:6
9:15,16
10:5,20
13:2
16:9b
22:14,15,18-21
23:11
26:16-18
27:24

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WORD OF KNOWLEDGE

Past/present information

1.Revelation of past or present facts concerning people, places and or things.

Acts 9:11-12

Acts 10:19

2.Word of Knowledge may operate with Word of Wisdom and/or Discerning of Spirits.

3.Examples

a. Matthew

9:3,4

12:24,25

16:6-8

21:1-3

26:17-19

26:45,46

b. Mark

2:7,8

9:33-35

11:1-6

14:13-15,41,42

c. Luke

5:21,22

6:7-9

7:38,39

9:46-48

19:1-5

19:28-34

22:7-12,31,32

d. John
1:42,47-50
4:16-18
6:15,60,61

e. Acts
5:1-4,7-9
9:11,12
10:4-6,19
14:9
18:10
27:10

f. Hebrews
9:8

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FAITH-SPECIAL

This is the empowerment to perform acts done by the spoken word under the anointing.

1.This is not the measure of faith that is given to every member of the body of Christ.

Romans 12:3

a. The word “another” in 1st Corinthians 12:9 in the Greek means “the other” faith.

2.This faith is God's own faith made available for the ministry of Gifts of Healings and Working of Miracles during the Evangelist's ministry to the unsaved (Primary Use)

3.The unsaved do not have the rhema measure of faith.

Hebrews 4:2

4.This faith is generated by the spoken word of God.

Ephesians 2:8

5.Examples

a. Matthew

8:16,24-26,28-32

9:1-7

12:10-13

17:14-18

b. Mark

1:23-26

2:9-12

3:1-5

4:38,39

5:1-3

7:24-36

9:25-27

c. Luke

4:5-7,33-35,41

5:23-25

6:7,10

7:11-15

8:23-25

9:37-42

d. John

4:46-54

5:5-9

11:1-46

18:5,6

21:5,6

e. Acts

9:33,34,36-41

16:16-18

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GIFTS OF HEALINGS

Acts of healing by anointed physical or spiritual contact.

Divinely caused ability to bring about or accomplish restoration to health and/or relief of illness.

1.This is the anointing of the Holy Spirit of God to effect the cure of disease and sickness by a miraculous means, through contact between the one who is anointed and the one in need of healing.

2.As the Spirit wills, by the guidance of the Spirit of God, not because a man says so.

1st Corinthians 12:11

3.When Jesus ministered

Luke 6:17-19

4.When Paul ministered

Acts 19:11,12

The Spirit revealed this to Paul. He did not sit around and dream up new ways to minister healings.

5.Faith must be present. Either the faith generated by God's word or the individuals measure of faith. (There needs to be a foundation in the natural for the supernatural to manifest in the natural.)

Hebrews 11:1 Now faith is the substance(G5287) = hypostasis -

a setting or placing under

thing put under, substructure, foundation

6.Examples

a. Matthew

8:1-3,14,15

9:18,19,23-26,27-30

14:34-36

20:30-34

b. Mark

1:30,31,40,42

5:22-24,35-43

6:5,55,56

7:32-35

8:22-26

Examples cont.

c. Luke

4:40

5:12,13

6:17-19

8:41,42,49-56

d. John

9:1-7

e. Acts

3:2-8

9:17,18

19:11,12

28:8,9

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WORKING OF MIRACLES

Acts of creative works and other supernatural actions.

An event brought about or accomplished by a Divine or supernatural cause.

1.This is the effect of miraculous powers not the healing of sickness and disease.
The creative work of God.

2.Again, it is as the Spirit directs.

3.Examples

a. Matthew
14:15-21,25
15:32-39
17:25-27

b. Mark
6:35-44,48,49
8:1-9

c. Luke
4:29,30
9:12-17
22:51

d. John
2:1-11
4:46-54
6:5-14,19

e. Acts
8:39
13:10,11

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PROPHECY

Prediction-propheteia

1.This gift is manifested for believers to receive information about future EVENTS to help them live thru these events with comfort rather than be taken in by it. This goes beyond the Word of Wisdom in that it details more than just one word of information but reveals multiple facets of future events.

Acts 11:28

a. Not as a sign to unbelievers
1st Corinthians 14:22

b. Not guidance or direction

2.This gift is to profit the Body of Christ. Not to prosper one member above another.

1st Corinthians 14:6

3.Don't make this gift good for nothing through misuse.

1st Thessalonians 5:20

4.Other Spiritual Gifts may be given through this gift by the laying on of hands by an elder of the body of Christ.

1st Timothy 4:14

5.This gift may be used to guide a new minister by INFORMING him of events to come concerning his/her ministry. The plan of action is up to the individual.

1st Timothy 1:18

Acts 21:10,11

a. Notice in Acts 21:11,12 he did not tell him what to do. Only revealed what was to happen in order to help him prepare himself.

6.It will testify and lead to Jesus as Lord.

Revelation 19:10

7.Examples

a. Matthew

11:20-24

24:2-31

26:33-35,64

b. Mark

13:1-27

14:18-21,30,62

c. Luke

4:23

17:22-36

21:6,8-28

22:34,29-31

d. John

1:51

4:21-23

13:21,38

e. Acts

11:28

20:29

21:11

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HOLY SPIRIT

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DISCERNING OF SPIRITS

1. Perception of the spiritual realm by one or more of the five physical senses.

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|------------------------|------------|
| a. Similitude of God | 1. Sight |
| b. The risen Christ | 2. Hearing |
| c. The Holy Spirit | 3. Taste |
| d. Angels | 4. Touch |
| e. Demons/Evil Spirits | 5. Smell |
| f. Human Spirits | |
| g. Visions and dreams | |

EXAMPLES

1. GOD Exodus 33:22,23
2. CHRIST Acts 7:55
3. HOLY SPIRIT Revelation 4:5
4. ANGEL Acts 10:3
5. DEMON Revelation 13:13,14
6. HUMAN SPIRIT Mark 9:4
7. VISION AND DREAMS

a. Vision-awake
Acts 10:11

b. Dreams-vision in the night
Job 33:15
Genesis 37:6,7

2. Examples

a. Mathew
4:1-11
17:1-9

b. Mark
9:2-8

c. Luke
4:1-13
9:28-36

d. John
12:28,29

e. Acts
2:2,3
5:19,20
7:55,56
8:26
9:3-5,10
10:3,9-16
12:7-11
18:9
22:17
23:11
26:13-15
27:23

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KINDS OF TONGUES

Kinds – Kindred
Tongues – Language

“Tongues of men” 1st Corinthians 13:1

The baptism of fire is evidenced with these tongues on the infilling of the Spirit.
Acts 2:3,4

- 1.This is the utterance given by the Holy Spirit in one of the languages of men.
- 2.This is not the same as the unknown tongue used when the believer prays to God.
1st Corinthians 14:2

EXAMPLE

Acts 2:4,8 “...speak with other tongues...”
“...our own tongues...”

- 1.Parthians
- 2.Medes
- 3.Elamites
- 4.Mesopotamia
- 5.Judea
- 6.Cappadocia, Pontus
- 7.Asia
- 8.Phyrgia, Egypt
- 9.Pamphylia, Egypt
- 10.Cyrene, Libya
- 11.Rome
- 12.Jews
- 13.Proselytes
- 14.Cretes
- 15.Arabians

BUT if there is no interpreter, let him keep silent in the congregation, and let him pray to himself and to God.

1st Corinthians 14:28

Unless the one speaking is also operating in the Gift of Interpretation.

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INTERPRETATION OF TONGUES

This gift is the interpretation of either the kinds of tongue or the unknown tongue.

THREE TYPES

1. When in church one may say something in tongues, as the Spirit directs and another gives the interpretation of what was said, as the Spirit directs and gives the utterance.
2. Also when in church some one may say something in tongues and give the interpretation of what he said himself as the Spirit directs.
3. Under this heading it can also be when one person prays in a known language in church while another quietly prays an interpretation of what is being said in a tongues as the Spirit directs.
 - a. Thus what is being said in the Spirit is by the will of God. It will eliminate words of doubt, etc.
Romans 8:26,27