

# Now About Spiritual Gifts

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# 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Now about the gifts of the Spirit, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. <sup>2</sup> You know that when you were pagans, somehow or other you were influenced and led astray to mute idols.



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<sup>3</sup> Therefore I want you to know that no one who is speaking by the Spirit of God says, "Jesus be cursed," and no one can say, "Jesus is Lord," except by the Holy Spirit.

<sup>4</sup> There are different kinds of gifts, but the



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same Spirit distributes them. <sup>5</sup> There are different kinds of service, but the same Lord. <sup>6</sup> There are different kinds of working, but in all of them and in everyone it is the same God at work.



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<sup>7</sup> Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good.

<sup>8</sup> To one there is given through the Spirit a message of wisdom, to another a message of knowledge by means of the



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same Spirit, <sup>9</sup> to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, <sup>10</sup> to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another



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speaking in different kinds of tongues,  
and to still another the interpretation of  
tongues. <sup>11</sup> All these are the work of one  
and the same Spirit, and he distributes  
them to each one, just as he determines.



# 1. Let's Avoid ...

## A. Gift phobia





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A. Gift phobia

B. Gift mania



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- A. Gift phobia
- B. Gift mania
- C. Gift negligence



## 2. Defining Spiritual Gifts

Spiritual gifts = abilities, energies & moments assigned to every believer, animated by the Holy Spirit, and designed for the common good of the Body of Christ.



# 3. Welcoming the Flow

A. Do you welcome all the Holy Spirit has for you?



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- A. Do you welcome all the Holy Spirit has for you?
- B. If the answer is yes, why?



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- A. Do you welcome all the Holy Spirit has for you?
- B. If the answer is yes, why?
- C. If the answer is no, why?



# 3. Welcoming the Flow

D. How does the Holy Spirit want to serve the Body of Christ through you?

