

Spiritual Gifts
How to Recognize, Permanent vs. Temporary Gifts
Volume 7 - Unit 6

I. How to Recognize Your Spiritual Gift (s)

A. Know What the Gifts Are

1. Romans 12:3 -8
2. I Corinthians 12-14
3. Ephesians 4:11f.

B. Analyze Your Own Area(s) of Competence

1. What do you think you do best?
2. What do others think you do best?
3. What do you like to do? (Philemon 2:13)
4. Be willing to try and see.

C. Develop and Use Your Gift(s) for Maximum Benefit to the Body.

II. Permanent vs. Temporary Gifts

A. The Historical Evidence (cf. B. B. Warfield, Counterfeit Miracles)

B. The Possible Explanations

1. Carnality (with ultimate restoration)

2. No longer needed in God's plan

C. The Evidence

III. The Gifts

Permanent

1. Teaching
2. Pastor-teacher
3. Ministering (helping, showing mercy)
4. Administration (ruling)
5. Evangelism
6. Exhortation
7. Giving
8. Faith

Temporary

1. Apostleship
2. Prophecy (knowledge)
3. Discerning spirit
4. Tongues
5. Interpretation of tongues
6. Miracles
7. Healing

IV. The Permanent Gifts

- A. Teaching
- B. Pastor-teacher
- C. Ministering (helping, showing mercy)
- D. Administration (ruling)
- E. Evangelism
- F. Exhortation
- G. Giving
- H. Faith

SCRIPTURE MEMORY VERSE - I Corinthians 12:7 – “But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to every man for the common good.”