



Exploring the Holy Spirit

Session 8

Gifts of the Spirit



**What are the differences between Gifts
of the Spirit and Fruit of the Spirit?**

I Co: 12: 1 - 31

- Don't be ignorant: vs 1
- vs 8 - 11 List the gifts of the Spirit:
 - Not “jobs”-
 - Why don't we see these in use commonly today?

I Co: 12: 1 - 31

- Body illustration: vs 14 – 26
- More gifts: List the additions: Vs 27 - 31

Spiritual Gifts

- Other gifts chapters:
- Romans 12: 3 - 8:
- I Peter 4: 10 - 11: serve with the strength God provides
- Eph 4: 1 - 16: given to build up the Body



Exploring Your Spiritual Gifts



Using your Gifts in Love

- Servility: Service without Love

vs.

- Servanthood: Service with Love



Using your Gifts in Love

Serves out of:

“I have to”

vs.

“I want to serve God”



Using your Gifts in Love

Motivation:

What Others Say

vs.

Audience of One



Using your Gifts in Love

Attitude:

Just what is necessary

vs.

Goes above and beyond



Using your Gifts in Love

Ministry Mindset:

What is in it for me?

vs.

Lord, what do you want me to do?



Using your Gifts in Love

Serves with a Spirit of:

“I” did it

vs.

God uses me



Using your Gifts in Love

Results:

Build up and Draw attention

vs.

I am glad to serve, give glory to God

Holy Spirit is poured out on His People

- Acts 2: 17 from Joel 2:28 -32
- Isaiah 44:3 -4 pour out on a dry and thirsty land where there is no water
- How thirsty are you?