

# **Spiritual Gifts & Body Care.**

**Romans 12 :6-8,28; 1Cor 12:7-11  
Eph 4:11-12 and 1Pe 4:10-11**

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# Introduction

- Every believer should know his/her spiritual gift and use it to build the body of Christ and glorify God.
- The word of God teaches us that every believer has at least one or more spiritual gifts given to him/her at the time of salvation.

## **Basic Teachings related to spiritual gifts.**

- All believers have the gift of the Holy Spirit ~ Acts 1:4 and 2:38
- Spiritual gifts are given at the salvation by the HS ~ 1Co. 12:11
- Spiritual gifts are not given for personal benefits but to edify the church for the common good. ~ 1Co. 12:7 and 1Pe.4:10-11

# Basic Teachings related to spiritual gifts.

- All the S.G are of value to the church and should not be neglected.  
Romans 12:3-8 and 1Ti. 4:14
- Abuse and misuse of the S.G leads to pride and disunity in the body. 1Co. 1:4-13 and 1Co. 14:20-21

# Basic Teachings related to spiritual gifts.

- Different gifts can be exercised in the church without creating strife. 1Co. 12:4-6 and 14-20
- We are commanded to use our spiritual gifts. 1Pe. 4:10-11

# List of Spiritual Gifts.

- Message of wisdom
- Message of knowledge
- Faith, gifts of healing, miraculous power, prophecy, distinguishing spirits, speaking and interpretation of tongues, power of miracles, helper and administrators. 1Cor.12

# List of Spiritual Gifts.

- Apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers. Eph. 4:11-12
- Prophesying, serving, teaching, encouraging, giving, leadership and mercy. Romans 12:6-8
- Hospitality, service and speaking  
1Peter 4:9-11.

## **We should know our S.G.**

- Ask God to reveal your S.G to you. 1 Cor. 12:12-13
- Evaluate your desires and interests in serving the church since you were saved.
- Ask other spiritually mature people what they believe your gift to be.



# **We should know our S.G.**

- Start serving God in obedience to the Word in the church and your spiritual gift will become evident to all, including you!

**We should use our S.G to  
take care of the Body.**

- Every gift is important and should be used to build the body of Christ but in context of our present series of sermon on the Body Care, I believe following gifts should be used to take care of each other in our church.

# **We should use our S.G to take care of the Body.**

- Helping ~ Roman 16:1-2
- Serving ~ 1Pe. 4:7-11
- Hospitality
- Encouraging ~ Php. 4:2 and Heb 10:24-25
- Giving and mercy

**We should use our S.G to  
take care of the Body.**

•We should follow the example of  
godly believers like Barnabas, Aquila,  
Priscilla, Phoebe and many others  
whose names are written in the Word  
of God. ~ Roman 16

# **Result and Reward of using S.G for Body Care.**

- We will be able to build mature Body of Christ.
- You will glorify the name of God.
- You will be recognized by Jesus Christ.
- You will have the satisfaction of helping people in the church.

# CONCLUSION

- As we conclude this series on the subject of BODY CARE, let us dedicate ourselves to take care of each other in the United Christian Church.

# CONCLUSION

- Those of you who have been watching us on the Facebook, please get involved in your local church or community
- Doing something for God's people is doing something for God.
- Use your natural, acquired and spiritual gifts to serve people.

**AMEN ! Halleluiah ! Glory To  
God!**

**Lets Do IT !**