

## Your Purpose, Calling and Spiritual Gifts – Interest Group

Want to find out or confirm what you already know about your spiritual gift? Go to <http://danielmoerschel.com/gifting> for a link to an online spiritual gift survey and also a link to the workshop slides. Fill out the survey and you will get a rank listing of your potential gifts along with a brief description of each.

If you have questions related to your survey results, please don't hesitate to get a hold of me using the email form on the webpage link above or at [dmoerschel@yahoo.com](mailto:dmoerschel@yahoo.com)

### Places in scriptures that list out the Spiritual Gifts?

The Spiritual Gifts listed below were taken from the New King James Bible

Romans 12: 6-8	1 Cor 12:8-10	1 Cor 12:28-30	Eph 4:11	1 Peter 4:11
Prophecy	Word of Wisdom	Apostles	Apostles	Speaks
Ministry	Word of Knowledge	Prophets	Prophets	Ministers
Teaching	Faith	Teachers	Evangelists	
Exhorts	Healings	Miracles	Pastor/teacher	
Giving	Miracles	Gifts of healings		
Leads	Prophecy	Helps		
Mercy	Discerning of spirits	Administration		
	Tongues	Tongues		
	Interpretation of tongues			

Here is a list of all 19 gifts mentioned in the passages above. Put a check in the boxes that you think are or might be your spiritual gifting:

<input type="checkbox"/> Prophecy <input type="checkbox"/> Exhorting <input type="checkbox"/> Mercy <input type="checkbox"/> Faith <input type="checkbox"/> Discerning of spirits <input type="checkbox"/> Apostles <input type="checkbox"/> Speaking	<input type="checkbox"/> Ministry <input type="checkbox"/> Giving <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Wisdom <input type="checkbox"/> Word of Knowledge <input type="checkbox"/> Tongues <input type="checkbox"/> Interpretation of Tongues	<input type="checkbox"/> Teaching <input type="checkbox"/> Leading <input type="checkbox"/> Healings <input type="checkbox"/> Miracles <input type="checkbox"/> Evangelists <input type="checkbox"/> Pastor-teacher
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### Helps for discovering and confirming your spiritual gift

- Set aside time to ask the Lord for clarification and conformation. Ask Him to make you aware of what He has already placed within you.
- Read biographies for men and women that share the same gifting you believe you might have.
- Read a number of different descriptions of your spiritual gifts. Google it!
- Take a spiritual gift survey
- Look at the natural talents you have that might be working in your gifting
- Reflect on your past life experiences to see your gift in operation. Make a time line.
- Ask those close to you to help. See if you could be operating in your gift, but just not aware of it.
- Talk to your spouse, friends, parents and spiritual leaders for insights about your gifts. Ask them to pray with you to discover what God has already placed in you.

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### Scriptures related to Spiritual Gifts

The purpose of the Spiritual Gifts is for believers to minister, serve, build up and encourage other believers so we can all fulfill God's purpose of pointing other to Jesus and making them His disciples.

Every believer exercises their Spiritual Gift to edify the body of Christ

- 1Co 12:7 But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one **for the profit of all**:
- 1Co 14:12 Even so you, since you are zealous for spiritual gifts, let it be for the **edification of the church** that you seek to excel.
- 1Co 14:26 How is it then, brethren? Whenever you come together, each of you has a psalm, has a teaching, has a tongue, has a revelation, has an interpretation. **Let all things be done for edification.**
- Eph 4:11-12 And He Himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, **for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ,**
- 1Pe 4:10 As each one has received a gift, **minister it to one another**, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God.

Every believer has at least one Spiritual Gift

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Every believer is given a Spiritual Gift as God chooses

- 1Co 12:11 But one and the same Spirit works all these things, **distributing to each one individually as He wills.**
- Heb 2:4 God also bearing witness both with signs and wonders, with various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit, **according to His own will?**

Every believer is accountable as a steward for what God has given them.

- 1Pe 4:10 As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as **good stewards** of the manifold grace of God.
- Matt 25:14-30 Giving of the talents to the servants each according to his own ability.

Believer need to be encouraged as it relates to the use of their Spiritual Gift (Paul **encourages** Timothy to use the gift God has given him.

- 2Ti 1:6 Therefore I remind you to **stir up the gift of God which is in you** through the laying on of my hands.
- 1Ti 4:14 **Do not neglect the gift that is in you**, which was given to you by prophecy with the laying on of the hands of the eldership.