


Growing Deeper...




Open to the Spirit's Gifts and guidance

Rhythm of Grace 2 – Being open to the guidance and gifts of the Holy Spirit



Be open to the presence, guidance and power of the Spirit


'It is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Counsellor will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you.' – John 16.7




Religion
v
Spirit-filled life

Gifts of the Spirit

- Romans 12. 4-7
- 1 Corinthians 12. 7-30
- 1 Corinthians 14
- Ephesians 4. 1



Everybody has a unique gift/ gifts



- Only TOGETHER can we be the body of Jesus on earth
- Only TOGETHER can we reflect the fullness of God's character and power

Motivational Gifts

'The place God calls you to is the place where your deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet'

- Frederick Buechner (1926-)

Gifts of the Spirit

- Prophecy
- Serving
- Teaching
- Encouraging
- Wisdom
- Giving
- Leadership
- Missionary
- Mercy
- The working of miracles
- Healing
- Helping
- Administration
- Tongues
- The interpretation of tongues
- Celibacy
- Evangelist
- Pastor
- Faith
- Hospitality
- Intercession
- Deliverance
- Voluntary poverty
- Discerning of Spirits

Gift of Mercy



- Gifts of the Spirit are not an end in themselves
- Gifts of the Spirit must be used with love
- Gifts of the Spirit are to be exercised on behalf of others



‘Follow the way of love and eagerly desire the gifts of the Holy Spirit’

(1 Corinthians 14.1)



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