



Your Measure & GRACE

SPIRITUAL GIFTS

For This "Reason" You Were Born!

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Foundation Scriptures . . . This Series

Ephesians 4: 7

Each one of us has been
given a special gift of
“Grace” . . . as Christ
apportioned “Measured” it!

You Have a Special Purpose i.e.,
a Ministry



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Psalm 139: 13 - 16

You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother's womb. I praise you for I am fearfully & wonderfully made!

Your workmanship is marvelous—
how well I know it.





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Psalm 139: 13 - 16

You watched me as I was being
formed in utter seclusion, as I was
woven together in the **dark** of the
womb. You **saw me before** I was
born. Every day of my life was
recorded in your book!





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1 Peter 4: 10

As each one has received a **gift**,
employ (use it) to **serve** one another,
as good **stewards** of God's varied
"Grace"—in order that in everything
God may be glorified through Jesus
Christ!





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Romans 12: 6

Having then **gifts** differing according to the “**Grace**” that is given to each of us, let us **use them!**

Romans 11: 29

The **gifts** and **calling** of God are **irrevocable!** God never changes His mind!





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Objectives/Focus . . . This Series

Jesus said, "I Was Born for this Reason!"

- ➡ Do You Know the Reason you were Born? Do You Know Your Purpose?
- ➡ What "Measure & Grace" (Sp. Assets) has God Given You – to Edify the Body!
- ➡ ACTIVATE Your Ministry . . . Fan the "Flame" – Stir Up the Gift that's in You! ➡



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- ➡ Is there “**More**” in You – Something Exceedingly & Abundantly “**More?**”
- ➡ Are You “**Depreciating**” . . . Neglecting the **Gift** that’s in You – for God’s Glory!
- ➡ Did You Craft-fully Choose Your “**Gift & Ministry**” . . . Or the Holy Spirit?





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☞ Popcorn was Created to “POP” . . . Why
Some of the **Kernels** don’t “POP!”

Current Reality in NCOM . . . There are
More “**Needs & Opportunities**” Than
Gifted Members Serving, to Meet the
Needs of Others & Accomplish the
“**Work of the Ministry!**”





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Jesus said, “I Was Born for this Reason!”

Every “Active” Member of NCOM to
Understand & Embrace their Sp. Gift:
“ID” You Who Wanna be “Great for God”
Greatness is Measured by Service!

Every “Active” Member Committed to
Employ (sign-up) for a Ministry in NCOM,
& Start Serving, Helping & Glorifying God!





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Power Points . . . This Series

Without Your Gift(s), The Church Suffers!

- ✍️ Jesus Came to “**Serve & Give**” . . . **Serve & Give** Should Define Your Life as a True Disciple of Jesus Christ!
- ✍️ Your Assignment “**Position - Ministry**” Will Locate You . . . Your “**Gift(s)**” is Going to Find You! Promise – Holy Spirit!





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Power Points . . . This Series

Without Your Gift(s), The Church Suffers!

- ✍ God Doesn't Do Anything Without "Purpose" . . . He has a "Purpose" for Every Aspect of Your Life!
- ✍ In the Kingdom, "Fruitfulness" Does Not Occur without "Faithfulness!"
- ✍ There Comes a Time When We Get Past Wanting Things – All We Want is God! ➤



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Power Points . . . This Series

Without Your Gift(s), The Church Suffers!

- ✍️ God Doesn't Bless Your Words or Intentions; God Blesses Your "Action"!
- ✍️ You Can't Be Spiritually "Pregnant" Forever . . . God has Something Amazing – Ready to "Give Birth" in You! It's Time to Give Birth to Your Purpose & Calling!





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Power Points . . . This Series

Without Your Gift(s), The Church Suffers!

✍ Your “Response” to God’s PURPOSE -
(Calling & Ministry) is NOT a “Response”
That can be According to Your “Flesh;”
(Your Desires) . . . Your “Response” to
God Must be According to His PURPOSE
(What He Wants You to do)!





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Teachings . . . This Series

God's "Aim" – You to "Live On-Purpose!"

- ✍ The Foundational Framework – Ops of Sp. Gifts . . . "Know Your Theology!"
- ✍ You, the Gifts & the Work of the Ministry!
- ✍ You've Got "Potential!"
- ✍ When "Push" Comes to "Shove!"
- ✍ Who Does God "Think He Is!"





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God's "Aim" – You to "Live On-Purpose!"

 The "Pearl" Inside of You!

At NCOM We Want to Live
Life For God's "PURPOSE!"





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Teachings . . . Week I & II

“Know Your Theology”

- I. Foundational Framework – Ops of Sp. Gifts
 - a. Kingdom Focused Church – “Aligned” w/God’s Word
 - i. Believers . . . Know Your “Theology”
 - a. NCOM . . . “1-5-4” Kingdom Church
 - ii. Knowledge Sp. Gifts . . . “Ignorance”





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Teachings . . . Week I & II

“Know Your Theology”

- II. Foundational Framework – Ops of Sp. Gifts
 - a. Kingdom Focused Church – “Aligned” w/God’s Word
 - i. Believers . . . Know the “Apostles Doctrine” – The Apostolic Age!
 - a. Why God Gave . . . “Apostles & Prophets”





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Teachings . . . Week I & II

“Know Your Theology”

- II. Foundational Framework – Ops of Sp. Gifts
 - a. Kingdom Focused Church – “Aligned” w/God’s Word
 - ii. Marks of Apostles/Prophets . . .
 - b. “Signs, Miracles & Wonders!
 - iii. Pentecost . . . “6 Distinctives - Spirit”
 - iv. Church Grew . . . “Apostolic Age”





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Foundational Framework

Spiritual Gifts . . . Eph 4: 11 - 12

Equipping Gifts (Leadership)

- ✍ Office of Apostles!
- ✍ Prophets!
- ✍ Evangelist!
- ✍ Pastor-Shepherds
- ✍ Teachers





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Foundational Framework Spiritual Gifts . . . The Apostles Doctrine - “Apostolic Age!”

Ephesians 2: 20

We are His house, built on the foundation of the **Apostles** and the **Prophets**. And the **Cornerstone** is Christ Jesus himself.





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Foundational Framework Spiritual Gifts . . . The Apostles Doctrine - “Apostolic Age!”

Ephesians 2: 20

There are No Apostles today . . .
Only those

“SELF-Appointed!”





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21st Century Church

Spiritual Gifts . . . “IGNORANT!”

Barna Research Institute:

- ✍ 20% - Creativity; Premonition; Singing; Sense of Humor; Clairvoyance; Health!
- ✍ 28% - Don't Believe They Have a Gift!
- ✍ 15% - Weren't Concerned or Interested!
- ✍ 63% - Had No Biblical Understanding! ➤



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21st Century Church

Spiritual Gifts . . . “IGNORANT!”

1 Cor 12: 1

Concerning Spiritual Gifts,
brothers & sisters . . . don't be

“Ignorant!”





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Today's Teaching . . . Week III & IV

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

- I. “YOU”–The Gifts & the Work of the Ministry!
 - a. Reason . . . “YOU” Were Born!
 - i. Live . . . For “God’s PURPOSE!”
 - b. God’s Measure or Grace . . . What is it?
 - i. You Serve Via . . . “Grace/Measure”
 - ii. Sp. Gift(s) . . . A “Divine Strength”
 - iii. You and the . . . “Anointing!”





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- i. “YOU”–The Gifts & the Work of the Ministry!
 - b. iii. You and the . . . “Anointing!”
 - a. Know Your Theology - “Study!”
 - b. The “Anointing” - is NOT _____!
 - c. This is the - “Anointing!”
 - c. You and the . . . “HAND” of God!”
 - i. God's Movement/Activity in Your Life!





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“Know” Your Measure/Grace

Living for “God’s PURPOSE”

Acts 3: 36

After King David had served God's purpose in his own generation, he died and was laid to rest with his ancestors!”

The Main Objectives for Living for God's Purpose is to Leave an Accomplished “Eulogy” behind as You Exalted His Name! ➤



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Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

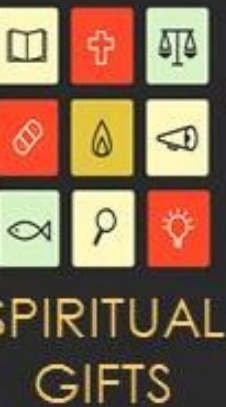
What is this “GRACE” ???

1 Cor 15: 9-10; 1 Pet 4: 10; Eph 4: 7

The Greek . . . “Grace” is
Charis - “khä'-rēs” ... “Gift!”

The Greek . . . “Gift” is
Charisma - “khä'-rē-smä” ... “Gift”





Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

What is this “GRACE” ???

1 Peter 4: 10

As each has received a gift, “use it!”

Ephesians 4: 7

Each one of us has been given
the special gift of grace (grace;
or gift)!





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Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

Structure . . . “Spiritual Gifts”

1 Cor 12: 4 – 6

- ✍ There are . . . “Varieties of Gifts!”
- ✍ There are . . . “Varieties of Ministries!”
- ✍ There are . . . “Varieties of Effect!”





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Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

“Spiritual Gift”

God's Divine Strength & Power . . .
Working through Human Weakness! You
are Supernaturally Empowered by the
Holy Spirit to Edify the Church & Glorify
God !

You Cannot Accomplish God's Purpose
i.e., Your Ministry in Your Strength!





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Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

“Spiritual Gift” . . . 1 Cor 12: 7

For the “GOOD” of Others . . . God Gave
You Your Gift(s) To BLESS (HELP) Others!
SERVE Others & to Glorify His Name!

God Gives Us Gifts ... We Give Them Back
to Him . . . When We Serve His PURPOSE in
“Building-Up” the Family of God!





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Today's Teaching . . . Week III

“Know” Your Measure/Grace

“Spiritual Gift” & a “Talent”

➡ A Talent . . . Learned or Trained; Parent Genetics “Natural Abilities!”

➡ Anyone . . . Can Have Talent(s).

➡ Talents . . . Can be Used Selfishly!

Natural Abilities . . . “Given by God!”





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

“Know Your Theology”

Biblical Hermeneutics

The Practice & Discipline of
Knowing how to Properly INTERPRET
& APPLY the Various Types of
Literature in the Bible! The Law;
Prophecy; Psalms; Proverbs, etc.





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

“Know Your Theology”

Biblical Hermeneutics

The Purpose of **Biblical Hermeneutics** is to Protect from **improperly applying a Scripture** to a Particular Situation. **Biblical Hermeneutics** Points to the **Contextual Meaning & Application of Scripture**.





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

“Know Your Theology”

Biblical Hermeneutics

Concerning the “**literal**” meaning of the Word ... The Focus **MUST BE** on the **MEANING** of the text by the **AUTHOR!** The “**Pattern**” of meaning refers to **Context!**





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

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Exegesis

The Systematic Study of Scripture to
Discover the “Original & Intended”
Meaning in “CONTEXT!”

To Interpret & Understand the
Scriptures According to the
“Author’s Literal Meaning!”





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

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Exegesis

The Word **Exegesis** literally means
“to lead out of.” You “Follow”
the TEXT . . . Allow the “**TEXT**” to
Speak for Itself!





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

“Know Your Theology”

Eisegeisis

The **Interpretation** of Scripture
Based on **Subjective, Non-
Analytical** Reading. “**Eisegeisis**”
Means “**to lead into,**” ... Injecting
Personal Meaning/Understanding
into a Text!





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(3) Principles Terms - Bible Students

“Know Your Theology”

Eisegeesis

Reading “into” the Scriptures what it does “NOT” say or “MEAN” . . . away from the Authors Intent!

Taking Scriptures out of “Context” to Facilitate a Particular Point or View!





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Know Your Theology

YOU And the “ANOINTING!”

God’s “Anointed”

NT Greek words for “Anoint” are “Chrio” which means “to smear or rub with oil” and, by implication . . . to consecrate for office or religious service”; . . .

ANOINT also is “Aleipho” . . . “to anoint i.e, bless.” Also mean “CHOSEN ONE!”





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God’s “Anointed”

The Manifestation of God's HAND – the Holy Spirit’s Presence . . . in the life of a Believer! ... **Enabled, Entrusted, and Empowered** by God to Accomplish His PURPOSE (Your Assignment/MINISTRY!)

God’s **Power & Presence** is Not Accompanied by Dramatic Behavior or Revelations!





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YOU And the “ANOINTING!”

God’s “Anointed”

- ✍ **Prophets** - Proclaimed God’s Word; Ex 29:7
- ✍ **Priests** - Worship & Sacrifice; Ex 40: 9
- ✍ **Kings** - To Rule & Lead; 2 Kings 9: 6
- ✍ **Objects** - For Holy Use; Eccl 9: 8
- ✍ **Sick** - Anointed w/Oil; James 5:14





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Know Your Theology

YOU And the "ANOINTING!"

YOU Are "Anointed!"

1 John 2: 20

"But you have an unction (*endowment*)
Anointing) from the Holy One!"

1 John 2: 27

The *Anointing* You Have Received of Him
Abides (lives, remains, dwells) IN YOU!





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Know Your Theology

YOU And the “ANOINTING!”

God’s Purpose & the “Anointing!”

Moses “Called” . . . But Gifted?

- ✍ He Lacked Confidence & Ability; Ex 3:11
- ✍ His Speech Lacking; Ex 4: 10; 14 - 16
- ✍ He Was Not a Gifted Leader; Ex 16: 3
- ✍ He Tried to Do it Alone; Ex 18: 13-14; 22

