



## ***“Unwrapping Your Spiritual Gifts – The Serving Gifts”***

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***Romans 12:3-8***

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### **SERVICE – 1 Peter 4:10-11**

The ability to recognize unmet needs in the church family, and take the initiative to provide practical assistance quickly, cheerfully, and without a need for recognition.

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*How many spiritual gifts is a person usually given?*

### **ENCOURAGEMENT (“Exhortation”) – Acts 14:22**

The ability to motivate God’s people to apply and **act on** Biblical principles, especially when they are discouraged or wavering in their faith. The ability to bring out the best in others and challenge them to develop their potential.

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*What happens to a gift if I don’t use it?*

### **GIVING – 2 Corinthians 8:1-7**

The ability to generously contribute material resources and/or money beyond the 10% tithe so that the Body may grow and be strengthened. The ability to earn and manage money so it may be given to support the ministry of others.

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*Can I grow a gift and make it stronger?*

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The ability to clarify and communicate the purpose and direction, the vision, of a ministry in a way that attracts others to get involved. The ability to motivate others by example to work together in accomplish a ministry goal.

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### **ADMINISTRATION – 1 Corinthians 12:28**

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*What is gift envy? And how do I avoid it?*

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