

Discovering the Spiritual Gifts: Principles and Purpose

1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Discussion Questions

Key Texts: 1 Corinthians 12-14, Romans 6:23, 12:6-8, 1 Peter 4:10-11

The Essentials

- 1) Why might the subject of spiritual gifts be controversial in the church today?
- 2) What is the difference between 'God and His gifts' and 'God in His gifts'?
- 3) What are the implications of a 'God in His gifts' outlook?
- 4) What is the purpose of the spiritual gifts?
- 5) Do you know your spiritual gift?

Going Deeper

- 6) What do the words 'spiritual gift' mean in Greek?
- 7) Can we 'claim' a spiritual gift from God?

Memory Verse: "Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good." 1 Corinthians 12:7

Prayer Point: Please pray that people would discover and develop their spiritual gifts in IBC.