

# THEOLOGY IV

## HOLY SPIRIT

### Gifts of the Spirit

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# Gifts of the Spirit

1. Men gave gifts in the Old Testament and offerings that was never perfect neither brought anyone into perfection.
2. If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!” **Luke 11:13 (ESV)**
  - a. Jesus messages are concerning the outpouring of God’s Spirit coming to dwell in mankind occurred in the His discourse to the twelve in response to their request that He teach them how to pray.
  - b. Having shared with them the prayer format, that is referred to “the Lord’s Prayer,” Jesus explained to those present that God is willing and desirous to give good gifts to those who ask of Him.
  - c. Jesus also stated that everyone who asked for the Holy Ghost would receive it. (See John 14:16-18.)

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Therefore, we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. <sup>2</sup> For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable, and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, <sup>3</sup> how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, <sup>4</sup> while God also bore witness by signs and wonders and various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will. **Hebrews 2:1-4 (ESV)**

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## I Cor. 12

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; <sup>5</sup> and there are varieties of service, but the same Lord; <sup>6</sup> and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who empowers them all in everyone. <sup>7</sup> To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. **1 Corinthians 12:4-7 (ESV)**

# Gifts

1. Of the nine gifts that Paul specified in his letter to the Corinthians, only two are introduced in the NT; tongues and interpretation of tongues
2. Apostle Paul made it clear that all the gifts are the work of the Spirit of God.
3. The work of the Holy Spirit in the OT was not a spiritual gift, nonetheless it was the same Spirit of which the apostle wrote about in the NT.

# Gifts

## I Cor. 12

1. Healing
2. Working of Miracles
3. Discerning of Spirits
4. Tongues
5. Interpretation of Tongues
6. Administration
7. Wisdom
8. knowledge

# Made to Drink into One Spirit

1. Unification by the Spirit
2. See I Cor. 12:12-26
3. Fruit of the Vine— Fruit of the Spirit all come from the Spirit of God. See Galatians 5

See I Cor. 14:1-26

For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. **1 Corinthians 14:17 (ESV)**