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Hidden Gifts

I Corinthians 12:1-7

Ephesians 4:8

"...He led captivity captive, and gave gifts to men." In *Ephesians 4:8*, God established in His Word that He has given Gifts unto all men. There is no stipulation; no prejudice; no respect of person, size or gender, but He gave gifts unto men; unto mankind. There is **no little gift or big gift** that is specified. He gave gifts unto men. It is **our job** to discover and to realize what gift is our personal endowment. There is no room for jealousy, because there are *diversities of gifts*, but the same Spirit. There is no room for envy. There are *differences of administrations*, but the same Lord. And there is no room for haters. Because there are *diversities of operations*, but it is the same God which worketh all in all.

When we begin to realize that we are all on the same team, the enemy will have to take flight. We are divided in beliefs and doctrines primarily because we want to believe that our gift is better than the other person's or other church's gift. Our choir sings better than their choir. Our pastor preaches better than their pastor. We have the more excellent gifts operating in our ministry. Paul warned the Corinthians of the futility of fighting over the gifts. Every gift that God has granted is needed in the Body of Christ for the up building of the Kingdom of God. Your gift may not be to sing solo, but work behind the scenes – you are needed. You may not be the one to direct the processional, but you are needed to greet the visitors, the saints and the sinners as they come through the door seeking solace and salvation.

"...He led captivity captive..." Christ has bound everything that would keep you from recognizing or using your gift. *Matthew 16:19* "And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in Heaven." GOD'S WILL IS ALREADY ESTABLISHED IN HEAVEN. "Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Whatever is lawfully loosed in heaven can be loosed here on earth. God gave us the key. He has given us ACCESS to the gifts of heaven. We must SPEAK it! The power of life and death is in the tongue. To bring it to **manifestation** it must be spoken: your dreams, your desires, wants and wishes must be spoken.

What you speak here, God has already done in Heaven. So, what do we speak? WE SPEAK THE WORD. When sickness comes, we say "By His stripes I am healed" and we loose healing. There is no sickness in Heaven (everyone there is healed). When the money is low or even gone, we say "He will supply all of my needs according to His riches in Glory" and we loose prosperity (there is no poverty in Heaven). When Mae Qua Shonda has gone astray, we say "I have trained her up in the way she should go and when she is old she shall not depart" and we bind the hand of the enemy that wants to take her life and we loose obedience. When the spouse is stepping out, we say "Marriage is honorable" and we bind the spirit of whoredom and we loose fidelity. Always remember you have the KEY!

You have access to this gift from Heaven!