

➤ **What explains me or describes me, does not define me, only God defines me.**

Spiritual Gifts are not talents. Natural talents, skills, and abilities, are granted by God just as everything good and worthwhile is a gift from Him. But ... natural abilities [are] shared by believer and unbeliever alike. ~John MacArthur

Bible scholars do not agree on the exact number and distinction of kinds of gifts. Because the scriptural lists are not identical, it seems clear that God did not intend to give His church either a rigid or a precise and exhaustive compilation, but rather general categories. ~John MacArthur

	Gifts	Service	Activities
	Motivation	Ministry	Results
	<i>Charmata</i>	<i>Diakonion</i>	<i>Energamaton</i>
• 1 Corinthians 12:4-6	Romans 12:6-8	1 Corinthians 12:28 Ephesians 4:11	1 Corinthians 12:7-10
	Prophecy Ministering/Serving Teaching Exhortation Giving Leading Mercy	Apostles Prophets Evangelists Pastor/Teacher Teacher Miracles Healing Helping Tongues Administration	Word of wisdom Word of knowledge Faith Miracles Prophecy Discerning of spirits Tongues Interpretation of tongues

➤ **Spiritual gifts are to draw attention to and glorify God.**

SEVEN POSSIBLE GIFTS I MAY HAVE

1. I may have the gift of _____.

Foretelling vs. Forthtelling –

Description –

Weaknesses –

2. I may have the gift of _____ or

_____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

3. I may have the gift of _____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

4. I may have the gift of _____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

5. I may have the gift of _____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

6. I may have the gift of _____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

7. I may have the gift of _____.

Description –

Weaknesses –

TAKEAWAYS – _____.

APPLICATION – _____.