

# 1 CORINTHIANS

## *Correcting the Church*

### *“Spiritual Gifts, Part 1: Our Triune God and Gifts”*

**INTRO:** *Having introduced the issue of spirituality (12:1-3), Paul dives into his correction of the Corinthians’ abuse of spiritual gifts, tongues in particular. This is Part 1 of a 5-part study on gifts.*

- I. **The \_\_\_\_\_ bestows \_\_\_\_\_ to Believers.** *This list (vv.7-10) is not intended to be exhaustive; Other NT passages mentioning gifts are: 1 Cor.12:29-30; Rom.12:6-8; 1 Pet.4:10-11).*
  
- II. ***Spirit-bestowed* \_\_\_\_\_ are employed in various \_\_\_\_\_ under the *direction* of \_\_\_\_\_.**  
*Ministries are positions or “offices” in which these gifts flourish.*
  
- III. ***Spirit-bestowed* \_\_\_\_\_ employed in various *Christ-directed* \_\_\_\_\_ produce \_\_\_\_\_ under **God’s** \_\_\_\_\_.** *Because of the unique combinations possible when combining gifts and ministries, the effects are exactly what a church needs to thrive and gives God the glory He deserves.*
  - A. **Discover your \_\_\_\_\_.** *Learn how to contribute to the healthy functioning of the local body of Christ.*
  - B. **Find your place of \_\_\_\_\_.** *Employ your gifts as the Lord leads.*
  - C. **Praise God for the \_\_\_\_\_.** *God will bring results that grow you and matures the church body.*