
Romans 12:3-8 ESV

For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, in proportion to our faithful service, in our serving; the one who teaches, in his teaching; the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness.

A church is as HEALTHY as its MEMBERS...as WEAK...as STRONG...as FAITHFUL...as RIGHTEOUS.

HEALTHY MEMBERS live in their right PLACE and for their right PURPOSE.

God GIFTS us GIFTS.

God's GIFTS are GIFTS for us to GIVE, not to KEEP.

The gifts are given to everyone, but not in the same amount.

The gifts have equal importance, but not the same responsibility.

The gifts have equal value, but not equal authority.

Be BENEFICIAL, not just BENEFITED.

Be VALUABLE, not just VALUED.
