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SPIRITUAL GIFT SESSION:
INTERCESSION

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- Introductions and Opening Prayer
- Spiritual Gifts Overview + Video
- Introduction to Intercession Gift
- Gift Conversation and Discussion
- Closing Thoughts and Prayer

SPIRITUAL GIFTS GUIDE

BOLDLY SHARING THE GRACE OF GOD WITH THE WORLD

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SPIRITUAL GIFTS OVERVIEW

“There are different kinds of gifts,
but the same Spirit distributes them.
There are different kinds of service,
but the same Lord.
There are different kinds of working,
but in all of them and in everyone
it is the same God at work.”

1 Corinthians 12: 4-6



INTERCESSION

The gift that enables a believer to pray with the certainty that prayer is heard and when requests are made, answers will come.

People with this gift are usually caring, sincere, trustworthy, advocating, burden-bearing, spiritually sensitive.

Cautions for people with this gift:

Feeling that their gift is not valued; diminishing the spiritual contribution to the body of Christ that comes from this ministry; using prayer as an escape from fulfilling responsibilities.

BIBLICAL REFERENCES

Matthew 6:6-15, Luke 11:1-10, Ephesians 6:18

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Matthew 6 : 6-15

9 “This, then, is how you should pray:

 “‘Our Father in heaven,
 hallowed be your name,
10 your kingdom come,
 your will be done,
 on earth as it is in heaven.
11 Give us today our daily bread.
12 And forgive us our debts,
 as we also have forgiven our debtors.
13 And lead us not into temptation,^[a]
 but deliver us from the evil one.^[b]”

14 For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. **15** But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

Luke 11 : 1-10

11 One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, “Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples.”

2 He said to them, “When you pray, say:

“Father,[\[a\]](#)

hallowed be your name,

your kingdom come.[\[b\]](#)

3 Give us each day our daily bread.

4 Forgive us our sins,

for we also forgive everyone who sins against us.[\[c\]](#)

And lead us not into temptation.[\[d\]](#)”

Luke 11 : 1-10

⁵ Then Jesus said to them, “Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, ‘Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; ⁶ a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.’ ⁷ And suppose the one inside answers, ‘Don’t bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can’t get up and give you anything.’ ⁸ I tell you, even though he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet because of your shameless audacity^[e] he will surely get up and give you as much as you need.

⁹ “So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. ¹⁰ For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.

Ephesians 6 : 18

18 And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people.

INTERCESSION CONVERSATION AND DISCUSSION

- How has the gift of Intercession showed up in your life?
- What is it like when you are sharing your gift?
- Will you tell us about a time when you ignored the calling of this gift and pushed back on it?
- We talked about cautions of the gift – in what ways have you experienced personally, or seen someone else with this gift experience, any of the cautions?

NEXT STEPS

- How can we support you in using your spiritual gift?
- What would help you develop and grow in confidence using your spiritual gift?
- Other closing thoughts?

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