

THE SOURCE & SIGNS OF A HEALTHY LIFE IN CHRIST

1. REVIEW THE SERMON

Read 1 Corinthians 12:1-11.	Why is it important to	o know as believers we	have been gifted
with spiritual gifts? Why doesn'	every person have the	he same spiritual gifts?	(See v. 11)

Read 1 Corinthians 12:12-26. Why does Paul use the image of a body to describe how spiritual gifts function within the body of Christ? How does his illustration emphasize the importance of *every* spiritual gift?

According to this passage, how do our spiritual gifts serve to bring unity to the body of Christ? What would happen if some gifts were given priority over other gifts?

Read 1 Corinthians 12:27-31. How does knowing that the Church is not a place (or event), but a people I am a part of change how we view spiritual gifts?

2. ASSESS YOUR HEART

Do you know what spiritual gifts you have? Are you utilizing those gifts within the body of Christ? If not, what keeps you from exercising those gifts?

3. APPLY THE TRUTH

How can you seek to exercise your spiritual gifts this week for the benefit of the body of Christ?

My Group Commitments

Message Notes

For the Good of the Body 1 Corinthians 12

The Spirit has given specific gifts to me, but those gifts aren't for me.

The Picture: The human body is a picture of how the church body should work.

I am part of the body of Christ and must use my gifts for the body of Christ.