



The gifts of the Holy Spirit

1 Corinthians 12.1-11

1. Word of wisdom
2. Word of knowledge
3. Faith
4. Gifts of healings
5. Miracles
- 6. Prophecy**
- 7. Discerning of spirits**
8. Tongues
9. Interpretation of tongues



Revelation

- Word of wisdom
- Word of knowledge

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“Follow the way of love and eagerly desire spiritual gifts, especially the gift of prophecy. For anyone who speaks in a tongue does not speak to men but to God. Indeed, no one understands him; he utters mysteries with his spirit. But everyone who prophesies speaks to men for their strengthening, encouragement and comfort.”

1 Corinthians 14.1-3

NIV

What is Prophecy*?

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It's asking, "Father, what do you want to say to this person?" and then repeating what you hear.

“True prophetic ministry is looking for gold
in the midst of the dirt in people’s lives.”

Kris Vallotton

“..for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God..”

Romans 3.23

NIV

“Saul answered, “But am I not a Benjamite, from the smallest tribe of Israel, and is not my clan the least of all the clans of the tribe of Benjamin? Why do you say such a thing to me?””

1 Samuel 9.21

NIV

Who can Prophecy?

“My sheep hear My voice, and I know them,
and they follow Me”

John 10.27 **NASB**

“In the last days,’ God says, ‘I will pour out my Spirit upon all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy. Your young men will see visions, and your old men will dream dreams. In those days I will pour out my Spirit even on my servants – men and women alike – and they will prophesy.”

Acts 2.17-18

NLT

“For you can **all** prophesy in turn so that everyone may be instructed and encouraged.”


1 Corinthians 14.31

NIV



Prophecy ALWAYS builds
up, lifts up, cheers up

“But when a person speaks what God has revealed, he speaks to people to help them grow, to encourage them, and to comfort them.”



1 Corinthians 14.3

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How does it “work”?

“For God does speak - now one way, now another
- though man may not perceive it”

Job 33.14

NIV

“Listen to my words: “When a prophet of the Lord is among you, I reveal myself to him in visions, I speak to him in dreams.”

Numbers 12.6

NIV



Revelation

a picture, a thought, a verse, etc



Interpretation

what does it mean?



Application

what do I do with it?



Proclamation

How do I communicate it?





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mates



dates



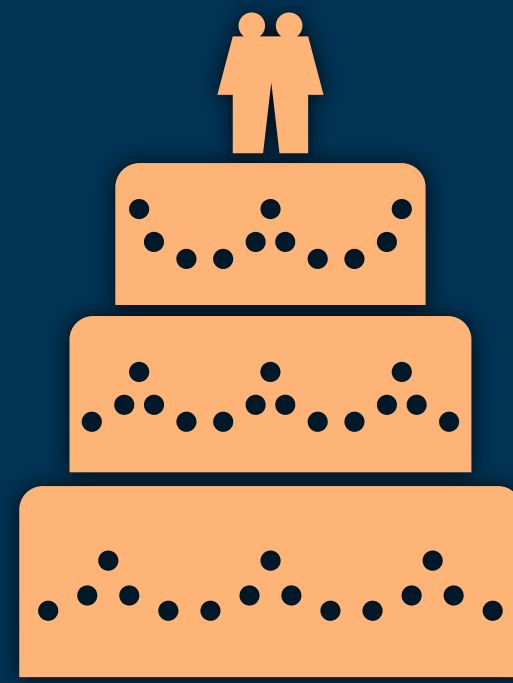
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correction



hatches



matches



dispatches



We're all on a journey!



We're practicing!

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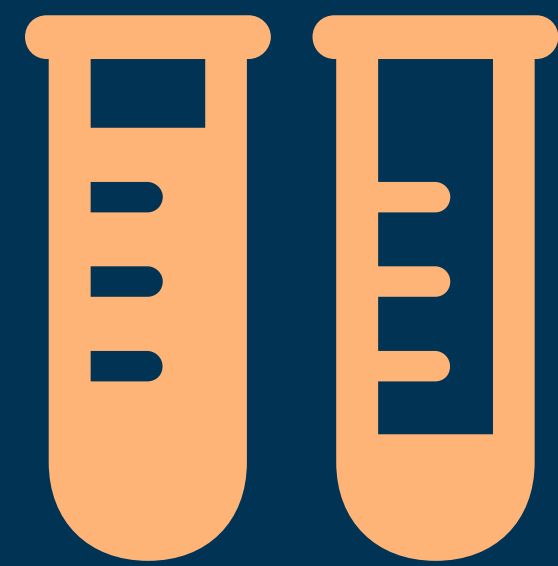
This is easy!



Keep it positive!

How do I **receive** a
prophecy?

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Test the word



Weigh the word

“Do not treat prophecies with contempt.
Test everything. Hold on to the good.”

1 Thessalonians 5.20-21 **NIV**

“Two or three prophets should speak, and the others should weigh carefully what is said.”

1 Corinthians 4.29

NIV