

"God's Love Letter To an Unlovely Church"

Spiritual Gifts #1 – The Ground Rules - 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

1. Laying the Foundation of Truth – vss 1-2

a. The Spiritual us not opposed to the intellectual

b. Context matters –

Define Spiritual Gifts –

2. Introducing the Super – vss 3-6

The Holy Spirit of Course -

John 16:13

The Lordship of Christ -

Power and gifts not evidence of Holy Spirit but...

The Activity of the Trinity – Vss 4-6

Diversity in

Unity in the

3. Unpacking the Building Materials – Vss 8-9

*the utterance of knowledge*

*the utterance of wisdom,*

*to another faith*

*gifts of healing*

*working of miracles,*

*prophecy,*

*ability to distinguish between spirits*

*various kinds of tongues, the interpretation of tongues - wait for chpt 14*

The controversy – 2 Corinthians 12:11-12

4. Getting Job Assignments – Vs 11

*11 All these are empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one individually as he wills.*