



Chariots of Light Monthly Message

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CHARIOTS OF LIGHT - PHILIPPIANS 2:15 – “SHINE AS LIGHTS”

Hello Chariots,

Did you know God is not looking for perfect people? That's right, He's looking for yielded vessels whom He can flow from to a hurting and dying world.

2 Chronicles 16:9 For the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him.

God will use us in spite of ourselves. He uses us not because of what we can do, but because of what Jesus has already done! When we yield and submit ourselves to Him, then we avail ourselves to be used by Him. Would you declare this with me? “Lord, send me and use me.” When you yield to God, you become a vessel to allow the Holy Spirit to do what He does best – love people!

Galatians 5:22 lists the fruit of the spirit. These fruits are His personality for the work that He wants to accomplish. The fruits are keys that open up for the manifestation of the Holy Spirit.

Galatians 5:22-23 TPT 22-23 But the fruit produced by the Holy Spirit within you is divine love in all its varied expressions: joy that overflows, peace that subdues, patience that endures, kindness in action, a life full of virtue, faith that prevails, gentleness of heart, and strength of spirit. Never set the law above these qualities, for they are meant to be limitless.

The gifts of the Spirit are His preferred mode of operation. There are nine gifts of the Spirit.

1 Corinthians 12:5-20 TPT 5 The Lord Yahweh is one, and he is the one who apportions to believers different varieties of ministries. **6** The same God distributes different kinds of miracles that accomplish different results through each believer's gift and ministry as he energizes and activates them. **7** Each believer is given continuous revelation by the Holy Spirit to benefit not just himself but all. **8** For example: The Spirit gives to one the gift of the word of wisdom. To another, the same Spirit gives the gift of the word of revelation knowledge.

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9 And to another, the same Spirit gives the gift of faith. And to another, the same Spirit gives gifts of healing. 10 And to another the power to work miracles. And to another the gift of prophecy. And to another the gift to discern what the Spirit is speaking. And to another the gift of speaking different kinds of tongues. And to another the gift of interpretation of tongues. 11 Remember, it is the same Holy Spirit who distributes, activates, and operates these different gifts as he chooses for each believer.

These are all supernatural gifts; not natural. They come from heaven to flow through you. They are not your gifts; they are God's gifts but they flow through you. The Holy Spirit uses those who are yielded to Him. He will use those who choose to live a yielded and holy life. We are Holy Spirit led people, not just spirit led!

Yielded hearts being motivated by love will activate the Holy Spirit and His gifts to be released through you. You don't have to be a mature Christian as much as being a yielded vessel. A vessel fit for the Master's use. Remember, God uses those whose will is to yield to Him.

The gifts of The Spirit are God's; not ours. He uses them to deliver others. You can't decide which gift to give. That's God's decision. Our job is to yield and listen so we can deliver the gift that He wants to give at the time. God's gifts have power. The power to change things. Step out in His power; don't operate on your own. It's important to yield to the Holy Spirit, then the Holy Spirit will flow through you as He wills. An unyielded vessel has no flow. When we yield our bodies to Him then He will use us to be His voice and His hands. After all, we are the temple of God.

1 Corinthians 3:16 KJV Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?

Don't try to figure out the gifts. God will show you how He wants to work them as you stay yielded to Him. Know that the Holy Spirit isn't doom and gloom. He is light and life! God has set us free to live a life of freedom. God will move supernaturally for others through you. We are one body but many parts, but the same Holy Spirit. Each gift is vital and unique. Stay yielded to the Holy Spirit for Him to use you to be help and hope for others. This is the year of His open hand!

I Corinthians 12:29-31 AMPC 29 Are all apostles (special messengers)? Are all prophets (inspired interpreters of the will and purposes of God)? Are all teachers? Do all have the power of performing miracles? 30 Do all possess extraordinary powers of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? 31 But earnestly desire and zealously cultivate the greatest and best gifts and graces (the higher gifts and the choicest graces). And yet I will show you a still more excellent way [one that is better by far and the highest of them all—love].

Let's love them to Him! It's the superior way to live that is beyond comparison!

- Brother Bill and Ginger