

Paul – His Theology

Gifts - Part 3

Lesson 60

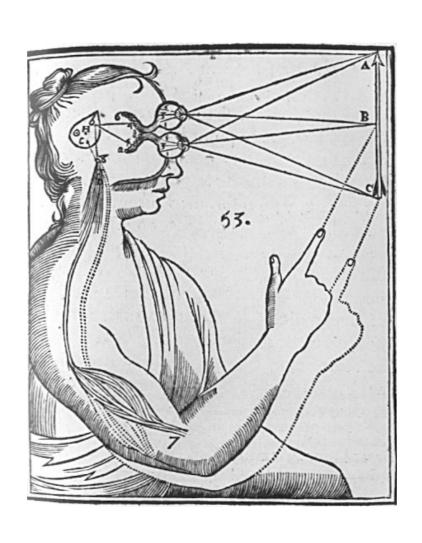
Biblical-Literacy.com

© Copyright 2010 by W. Mark Lanier. Permission hereby granted to reprint this document in its entirety without change, with reference given, and not for financial profit.





Where is our focus?



Why do we go to church?



Why do we go to church?





Different words for gifts

Charisma(ta)

A concrete expression of God's giving

Why and How?





A word of caution: God is GOD

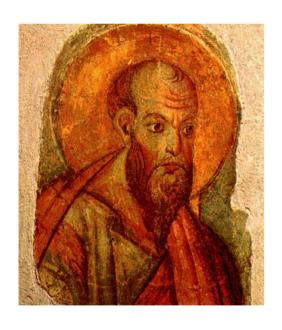
A word of caution: God is GOD



1 Corinthians 12-14: Paul's largest block of material on spiritual gifts

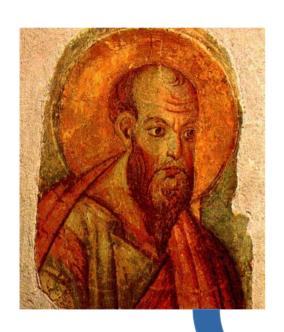


CONTEXT:





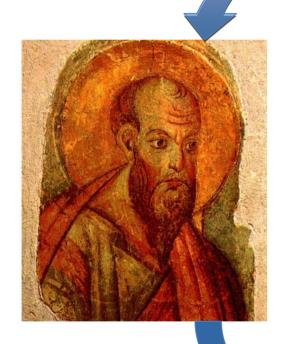
Paul is writing to Corinth CONTEXT:





CONTEXT:

Paul is writing to Corinth AFTER they had written to him!





CONTEXT:

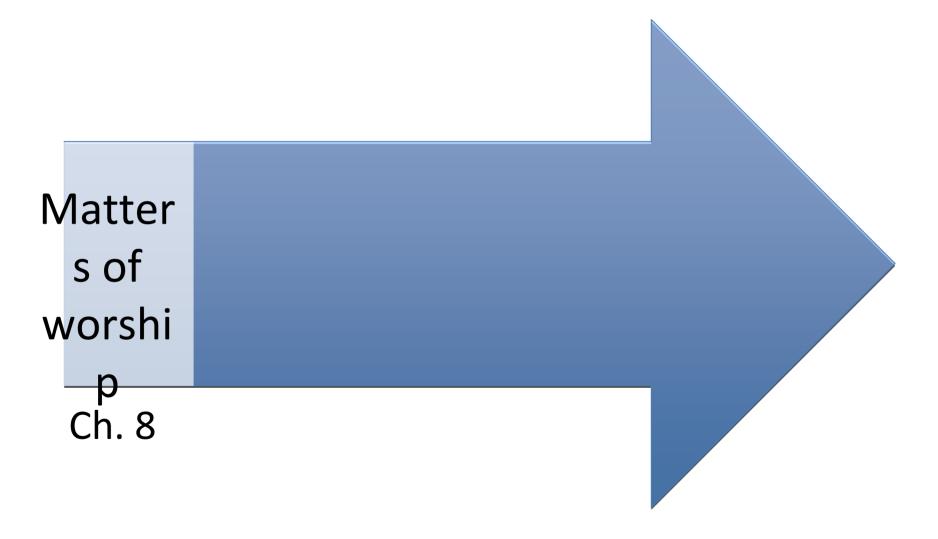
Paul is writing to Corinth AFTER they had written to him!

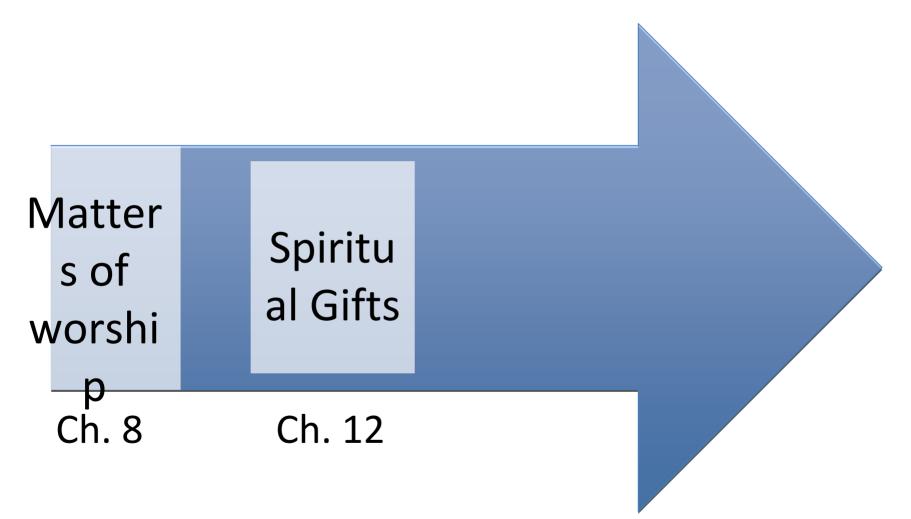
Now concerning the matters about which you wrote: 'It is good for a man not to have sexual relations with a woman'" (1 Cor. 7:1)

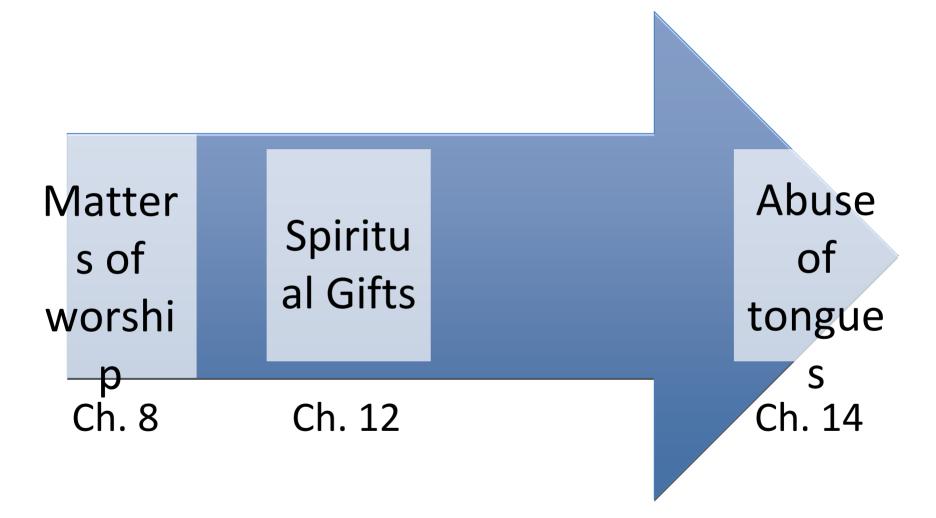
So we are getting one side of a phone conversation

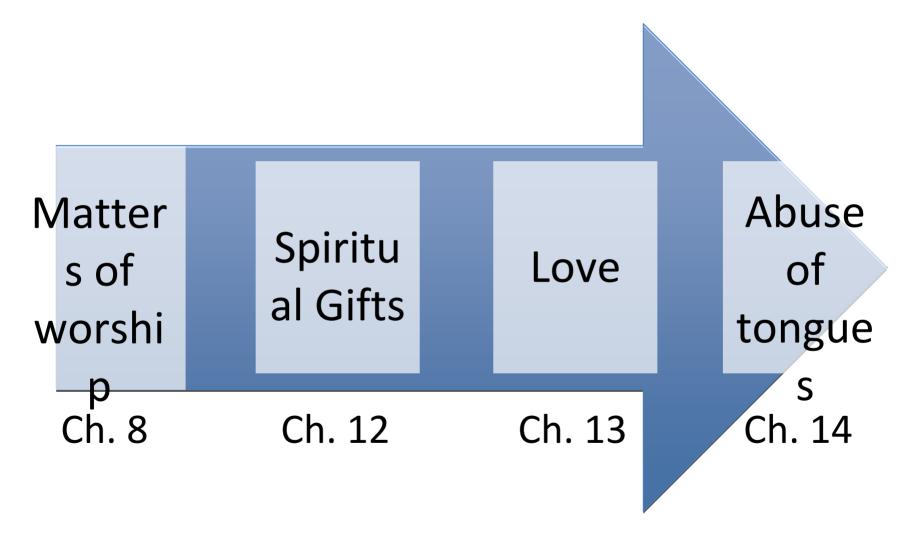


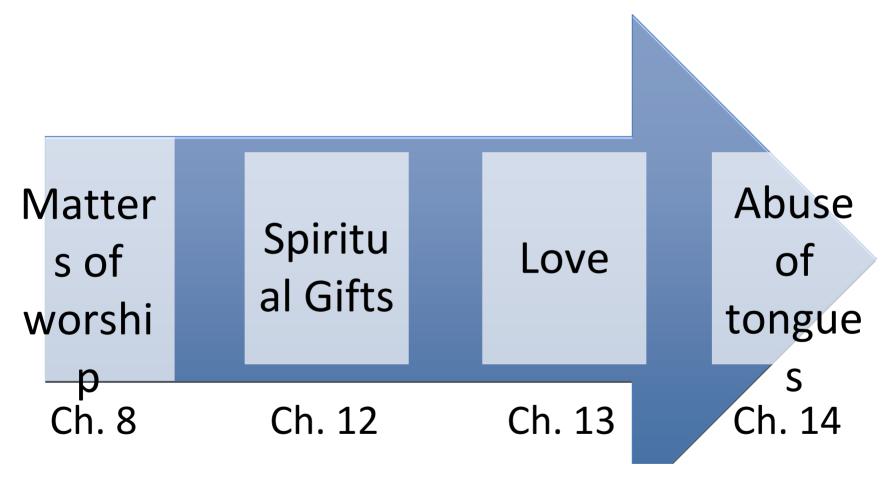
CONTEXT:











Don't get distracted by love!

Are these the only gifts?

Are these the only gifts?



Are these the *only* gifts?





Bill Young and the gift of parking!

The Utterance of Wisdom



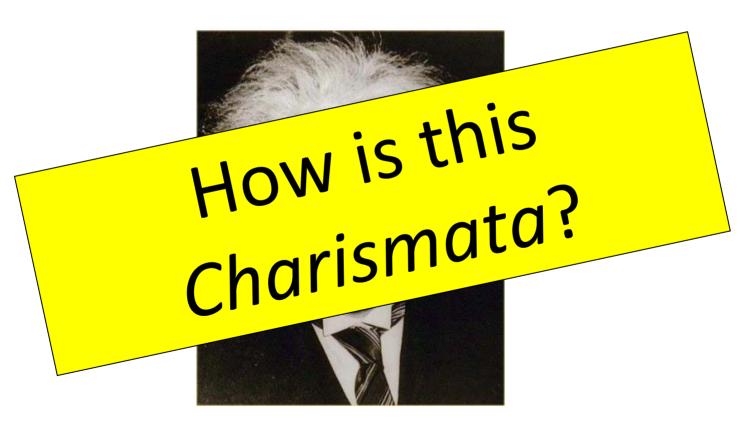
The Utterance of Wisdom

A turn on sophia logos (1 Cor. 1:17)



The Utterance of Knowledge

A turn on sophia gnosis (1 Cor. 8ff)



Faith – Something beyond saving faith



Healing



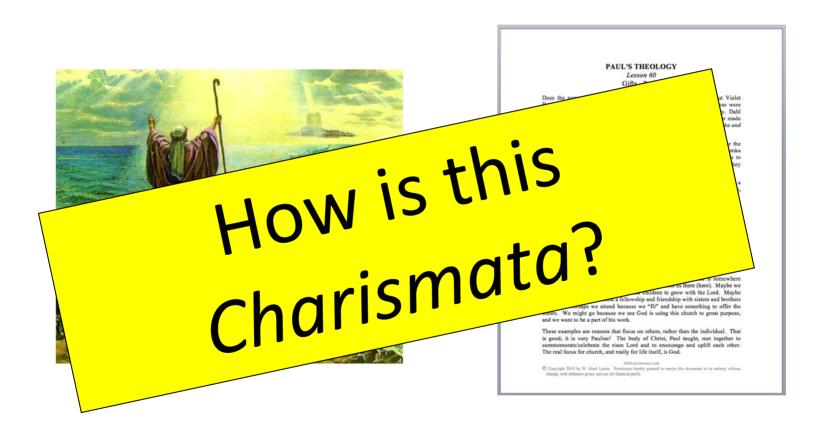




Energemata dunameon "workings of power"



Energemata dunameon "workings of power"

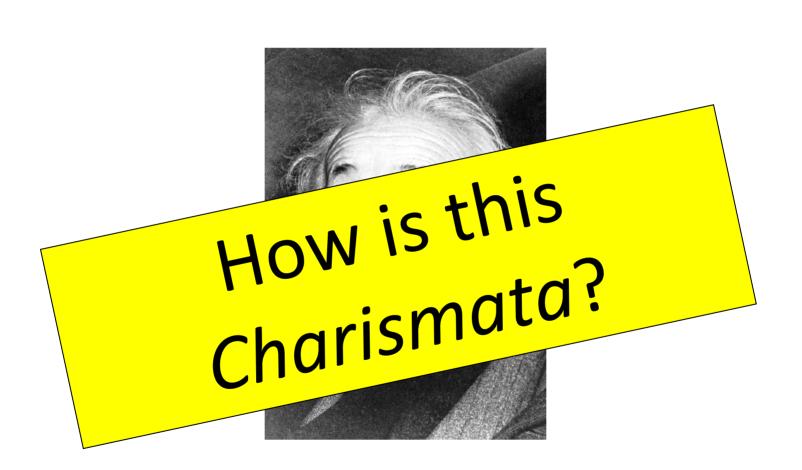


Prophecy – See last week!

Distinguishing Spirits



Tongues and interpretations



What is the difference in a gift and a talent?

How is this charismata?



Points for Home



"Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers, I do not want you to be uninformed!"

(1 Cor. 12:1)

Let's commit to study!



Points for Home



"There are varieties ... to one is given... to another..."

(1 Cor. 12:4-6)

Seek to **serve him** in all ways!



Points for Home

"All these are empowered by one and the same Spirit, who apportions to each one as he wills" (1 Cor. 12:11)

This is God's project!