

GROWTH GROUP

Study Guide

Romans 12:3-8 – Serving God With the Gifts He Has Given

My Story

1. What is an unusual talent or ability that others may not know you possess?

Digging Deeper

2. Paul warns Christians against improper self-estimation. How do the following Proverbs (Prov. 11:2; 12:15; 15:33; 29:23) help us understand Paul's warning?
3. Why is being "one body in Christ" (v.5) so important, and how does this allow for such a diversity of gifts to lead to such strong unity?

4. The spiritual gifts listed in vv.6-8 fall into 2 categories: Speaking & Serving. Take this list and compare it to 1 Cor. 12:4-11, and Eph. 4:11. Which category do each of these gifts fall into? How have you seen these at work?

Reflection

5. Have you ever taken a spiritual gifts test/inventory? If so, how was that helpful? What were its shortcomings?
6. How would you describe your "function" (v.4) in PGBC? In what ways do you experience being "members of one another" (v.5) with others at PGBC?

SERMON NOTES

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Taking the Next Step

Pray that God would help you further identify your spiritual giftedness and show you how you can exercise those gifts in the body of Christ.

Praises / Prayer Requests

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