

Gifts and Callings
{Romans 11:29}

(Gifts)-According to Grace
Romans 12:3-8

Background Scripture: [Romans 15:15]: *Nevertheless, brethren, I have written the more boldly unto you in some sort, as putting you in mind, because of the grace that is given me of God, That I should be the minister of Jesus Christ to the Gentiles, ministering the gospel of God, that the offering up of the Gentiles might be acceptable, being sanctified by the Holy Ghost.*

Note: “Grace” {charis}: graciousness (as gratifying), of manner or act (abstract or concrete; literal, figurative or spiritual; especially the influence upon the heart, and its reflection in the life; including gratitude): acceptable, benefit, favor, gift, grace, gracious, joy, liberality, pleasure, thank, thanks, thankworthy.

“Gift” {Charisma}: a (divine) gratuity, i.e., deliverance (from danger or passion); (specifically) a (spiritual) endowment, i.e., (subjectively) religious qualifications, or (objectively) miraculous faculty (free) gift.

Ministry “Gifts” [Ephesians 4:7-12]:

Ministry “Gifts” “Purpose” [Ephesians 4:12-16]:

Final thought: *Whereof I was made a minister, according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of His power, unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ. [Ephesians 3:7]*

Note: The grace of God, given to each believer to accomplish the will of God, is an energizing strength that flows from the risen Christ and operates through the Holy Spirit indwelling the believer. (Ephesians 1:19; 4:7; Acts 6:8; 11:23; 14:26; **I Corinthians 15:10; II Corinthians 12:9**; Philipians 2:13; Colossians 1:29; Titus 2:11-13).