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Ministering Gifts Pt3

MATTHEW 9:35-38

- 35. And Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and **preaching the gospel** of the kingdom, and **healing every sickness and every disease** among the people. 36. But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.
- 37. Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few;
- 38. Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.

SUPER SIGN [62-0624]

I pray for these ministers, their churches, their peoples. God, may their little churches grow until it spreads out, and may out of their churches go mighty evangelists and missionaries to all the world. Let us work, Lord, for we know we haven't much more time to work.

YE MUST BE BORN AGAIN [58-0619B]

Bless these men, Lord, who's been preaching for years, setting here this morning gray headed and stooped shouldered. O God, You alone knows what they sacrificed and went through with. And, Father, I pray with all my heart, if I found grace in Your sight, bless these brethren, and give them a great ministries yet, Lord, for <u>we need each one</u> <u>of them in all their peculiarities</u>, <u>and their ministry</u>, yet it all goes to make up Your great Body of saints and believers.

THE MANIFESTATION OF THY RESURRECTION [54-0809E]

Some of them are different gifts. Some of them are <u>teachers</u>, <u>apostles</u>, <u>teachers</u>, <u>evangelists</u>, <u>prophets</u>, gifts of healing, miracles, speaking with tongues, interpretation of tongues; <u>all those nine spiritual gifts</u> goes in the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Body of believers. <u>Do you believe that tonight</u>, <u>Christians? If you do, would you raise</u> your hand as a sign to the Lord Jesus that you are a believer?

I CORINTHIANS 9:16-17

16. For though I preach the gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel! 17. For if I do this thing willingly, I have a reward: but if against my will, a dispensation of the gospel is committed unto me.

COME LET US REASON TOGETHER [55-1004]

Ministers can't help because they're ministers, <u>if they are really called of God</u>. Paul said, "Woe unto me if I preach not the Gospel." <u>They are ministers</u>, because--maybe not by desire, but <u>because the Holy Ghost has called them to be ministers</u>.

TESTIMONY [53-1129E]

I'm out here, not by choice, by a long ways; I wanted to be a... Well, I was a game warden in the state of Indiana, and I loved my job. I was borned for the wilderness and wilds. I certainly... It wasn't my choice to preach the Gospel; but woe unto me if I preach it not. It was God's choice.

II TIMOTHY 3:16

16. <u>All scripture</u> is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

THE WAY OF A TRUE PROPHET OF GOD [62-0513M]

You say, "You ain't got no rights." I have got a right. That's the Word. Preach It all. You bypass those things, a lot of sissified preachers, because they haven't got the audac... Maybe you haven't even been called to preach, in the first place. Yeah. But a true servant of God will stay right with that Word.

HIDDEN LIFE WITH CHRIST [56-0213]

Woe unto the man who will stand behind the pulpit and use his influence to flatter some people instead of preach the Gospel like God said to do it.

THAT DAY ON CALVARY [60-0925]

That's why the preacher preaches. That's why he studies and meditates in the Scripture and seeks for inspiration, is because he is a public servant to God's people, and he's trying to find something that will--that God would have to say to His people, something that would help them. Maybe it might be condemn them in their sins, but would be a help to raise them up; that they might forsake their sins and then raise up to serve the Lord. And ministers should seek these things.

JESUS CHRIST THE SAME YESTERDAY TODAY AND FOREVER [56-0426]

<u>It's not the preacher that preaches; it's God preaching through him</u>. It's not the prophet that sees the vision; it's God speaking through him.

PSALM 81:10b

10b. ... open thy mouth wide, and I will fill it.

WHATEVER HE SAYS TO YOU, DO IT [53-0601]

Now, on the platform, when the Holy Spirit's a speaking, and <u>He's speaking through mortal lips</u>, <u>He always does</u>... I believe these are ministers behind me. And, brethren, <u>you never preached a sermon in your life: the Holy Spirit preached through you a sermon</u>. That's right. See? See that? See? We don't preach. The Holy Spirit does the speaking. Oh, we might write out something and read it, but that--that isn't preaching. <u>Preaching is when inspiration comes</u> and (See?)--<u>and it's preached by inspiration and the Holy Spirit gives the unction</u>.

Now, we can read something, and it just doesn't matter, but when the Holy Spirit gets a hold of it and takes it out to the people, then something takes a hold. See? And that's the Holy Spirit. That's not your pastor preaching; that's the Holy Spirit preaching in your pastor out to you, giving the message.

THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT [58-0928M]

Apostles, prophets, teachers, evangelists, pastors. That's what the Body consists of. In that local body then there's nine spiritual gifts: One of them is wisdom, knowledge, Divine healing, speaking in tongues, interpretation of tongues, all these different gifts that's in the local body. And these apostles, pastors, teachers, and evangelists are all here to be sure that in these gifts these things are working right. If they find something false raising up, quickly they condemn it, 'cause it's not according to the Scripture.

Let somebody walk up here and say, "Bless God, I got oil in my hands; looky here. You know, I--I believe I got the Holy Ghost; I got oil in my hand."

You'll hear somebody say, "That's not Scriptural." That's right. "Let's take and go here in the room; let's search the Scriptures through. Show me in the Scriptures where that's the evidence of the Holy Ghost."

ADOPTION PT3 [60-0522M]

...how can a man that loves God, and a preacher, especially, expect to do anything but be hated by man? Men will hate you. Well, they said...Jesus said, "If they call Me, the Master of the house...I'm the Master, the greatest of all of you. I'm the One can perform more miracles and do more with the Holy Spirit than all of you, because I got the whole fulness in Me. And if they've called Me 'Beelzebub,' how much more are they going to call you? But," said, "don't take no thought what you'll be saying, for it'll not be you that speaks, it'll be the Father that dwells in you, do the speaking at that time. Just stay right with the Word." And He, when He got through writing the Book, He said, "Any man that'll take one Word out of this Book or add one word to It, the same will be taken out of the Book of Life, for him." God help us to stay right with It!