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(27) Genuine Gifts of Grace

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12 The body is a unit, though it is made up of many parts; and though all its parts are many, they form one body. So it is with Christ. 13 For we were all baptized by one Spirit into one body – whether Jews or Greeks, slave or free – and we were all given the one Spirit to drink. NIV

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How do we see the Trinity in 12:4-6?

What is the key, repeated, qualifier for the gifts, service and working? 12:4-6

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<u>ICor.12:7-11;</u>	<u>12:28</u>	<u>Rom.12:6-8</u>	<u>Eph.4:11</u>	<u>IPet.4:10-11</u>	<u>Gal.5:22</u>
Wisdom	Apostle ²	<i>Prophecy</i> ²	Apostles ²	Speaking	Love
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Faith	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Teaching</i>	Evangelist		Peace
<i>Healing</i> ¹	<i>Miracles</i> ¹	Exhortation	Pastors/		Patience
<i>Miracles</i> ¹	<i>Healing</i> ¹	Contributing	<i>Teachers</i>		Kindness
<i>Prophecy</i> ²	Helps	Leadership			Goodness
Discernment ²	Admin.	Mercy			Faithfulness
Tongues ¹	Tongues ¹				Gentleness
Interpret ¹					Self-Control

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Various kinds of gifts. Spirit; various kinds of service, Lord; various kinds of working, God

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It's always 'various (different) kinds'. None are exactly the same, but always One God!

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He gives the gift (supernatural ability), directs where to use it, governs the results! It's His.

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Every believer receives from the Spirit, for the common good. Gifts are always for others!

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