4. For your answers in question 3, explain how each gift inherently involves *building others up*.



Gifts and Responsibilities Part 2

5. How does Jesus' parable of the *Talents* (MATTHEW 25:14ff) apply to *the priesthood of the believer*?

PERSONAL APPLICATION

- 1. In what ways do you strive to build up fellow believers?
- 2. What specific plan(s) will you make to use your abilities to build up fellow believers?

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

Part 2
Introduction: 1 Peter 4:10–11
I. Christians have for
II. Salvation is but
III. Christianity is but
A. Living the Christian life is a
1 THESSALONIANS 2:12; ROMANS 14:10–12 B. Living the Christian life does come with Galatians 5:13
IV. As priests have and 1 Peter 2:9
A. Some
Hebrews 13:15; 1 Peter 2:9; Romans 12:1

B. God has given _____

at least ______. 1 Peter 4:10

• A spiritual gift is a special supernatural _____,

_____ or _____ to do the

_____ of God in ______ the body of Christ.

[See Romans 12; 1 Corinthians 12; Ephesians 4; 1 Peter 4]

C. The _____

of the church depends on _____

using his/her _____.

Ephesians 4:11–12; 1 Corinthians 12:4-7,18-20,27

Conclusion: _____

has a _____ in the Body of Christ.

STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Identify at least five specific *one another* (or the equivalent) references in the Bible, and briefly explain each one.

2. Make a list of Christian responsibilities that every believer shares. Defend your answers.

3. Make a list of spiritual gifts that illustrates the great variety of these God-given abilities.