People with this gift:

* expose sin or deception in others for the purpose of reconciliation
* speak a timely word from God causing conviction, repentance, and edification
* see truth that others often fail to see and challenge them to respond
* warn of God’s immediate or future judgment if there is no repentance
* understand God’s heart and mind through experiences He takes them through

**Teaching/Teacher** – Special ability to explain the truths of the Word of God clearly and to instruct others in the Bible in a logical and systematic way so as to communicate pertinent information for true understanding and growth. Divine enablement to understand, clearly explain, and apply the word of God causing greater Christ-likeness in the lives of listeners. (Ephesians 4:11-16; Romans 12:6-8; 1 Corinthians 12:28-31; Hebrews 5:12-14; Acts 18:24-28)

People with this gift:

* communicate Biblical truth that inspires greater obedience to the word
* challenge listeners practically with truths of scripture, giving attention to detail

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and accuracy

* Focus on changing lives by helping understand the Bible better
* Prepare through extended times of study and reflection

**Tongues** (*interpreting*) – Special ability to translate a message of one who speaks in tongues. If a tongue is spoken without interpretation, the speaker is edified. If the tongue is interpreted, it is for body edification. (1 Corinthians 12:7-11; 12:28-31: 14)

People with this gift:

* Express with an interpretation a word by the Spirit which edifies the Body
* Enable gift of tongues to build up the church by interpreting God’s message for the people

Tongues (*speaking*) – The special ability God gives to some to speak prayer or praise in a language they have never learned or to communicate a message from God to His people. The special ability God gives to some to speak in a language not previously learned so unbelievers can hear God’s message in their own language. (1 Corinthians 12:7-11; 12:28-31; 14; Acts 2:1-12; 10:44-46; 19:1-7; Mark 16:17; Romans 8:26-27; 1 Corinthians 13:1)

People with this gift:

* may receive spontaneous message from God, made known through gift of interpretation
* communicate a message given by God for the church (*if there is someone to interpret*)
* speak in a language they have never learned and do not understand
* worship the Lord with unknown words too deep for the mind to comprehend
* experience an intimacy with God which inspires them to serve and edify others
* speak in tongues as a private prayer language
* when used in group setting, interpretation must take place