

CATEGORIZING THE GIFTS

The Lists:

1 Cor 12:8-10

Wisdom
 Knowledge
 Faith
 Healing
 Miracles
 Prophecy
 Distin. Spirits
 Tongues
 Interp. Tongues

1 Cor 12:28-30

Apostles
 Prophets
 Teachers
 Miracles
 Healing
 Helps
 Administrations
 Tongues
 Interpreting

Eph 4:11

Apostles
 Prophets
 Evangelists
 Pastors
 Teachers

Rom 12:7-8

Prophecy
 Service
 Teaching
 Exhorting
 Giving
 Leading
 Mercy

Possible Categorization:

Mode:

Non-Miraculous

Miraculous

Kind: Teaching/Communicating

Teaching
 Exhorting
 Wisdom?
 Knowledge?
 Evangelists
 Pastors

Apostles
 Prophets
 Tongues
 Interpreting
 Wisdom?
 Knowledge?
 Miracles?
 Disc. Spirits?

Serving

Service
 Helps
 Giving
 Leading
 Mercy
 Pastors
 Administrations
 Faith?

Apostles
 Miracles?
 Faith?
 Healing
 Dist. Spirits?

How Many Gifts?

30 in 4 lists, with obvious and possible overlaps

Prophets = Prophecy?

Teachers = Teaching?

Leading = Administration?

Helps = Service?

At least 5 offices (Eph 4:11) and 15 or so activities