

GIFTS PART 3

SUNDAY 10-9-2022

EPHESIANS 4

I therefore, the prisoner of the
Lord, **beseech you** that ye
walk worthy of the vocation
wherewith ye are **called,**

I therefore, the prisoner of the
Lord, **beseech** you that ye
walk worthy of the vocation
(Job / Gift) wherewith ye are
called,

2 With all lowliness and
meekness, with
longsuffering, forbearing one
another in love;

**3 Endeavouring to keep the
unity of the Spirit in the bond
of peace.**

4 There is one body, and one
Spirit, even as ye are called in
one hope of your calling;

5 One Lord,
one faith,
one baptism,

6 One God and Father of
all, who is above all, and
through all, and in you all.

7 **But** unto **every one** of us is
given **grace** according to the
measure of the gift of Christ.

8 Wherefore he saith, When he
ascended up on high, he led

captivity captive, and gave

gifts (JOBS/CALLING)

unto men.

9 (Now that he ascended, what is it but that he also descended first into the lower parts of the earth?)

10 He that descended is the same also that ascended up far above all heavens, **that he might fill all things.)**

11 And he gave some, **(JOBS
/CALLING AS)**apostles; and
some, prophets; and some,
evangelists; and some,
pastors and teachers;

WHY DO WE HAVE
THESE JOBS
/CALLINGS PLACED
ON OUR LIVES ???

12 For the perfecting of the
saints, for the work of the
ministry, for the edifying of
the body of Christ:

13 Till we all come in the
unity of the faith, and of the
knowledge of the Son of God,
unto a perfect man,

unto the measure of the
stature of the fulness of
Christ:

14 That we henceforth be no
more children, tossed to and
fro, and carried about with
every wind of doctrine,

by the sleight of men, and
cunning craftiness, whereby
they lie in wait to deceive;

15 But speaking the truth in
love, may grow up into him in
all things, which is the head,
even Christ:

11 And he gave some, **(JOBS
/CALLING AS)**apostles; and
some, prophets; and some,
evangelists; and some,
pastors and teachers;

28 One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him,

“Of all the
commandments, which
is the most important?”

29 “The most important one,”
answered Jesus, “is this: ‘Hear,
O Israel: The Lord our God, the
Lord is one’

30 Love the Lord your God
with all your heart and with
all your soul and with all your
mind and with all your
strength.'

31 The second is this: 'Love
your neighbor as yourself.

**There is no commandment
greater than these.'**

32 “Well said, teacher,” the man replied. “You are right in saying that God is one and there is no other but him.

33 To love him with all your heart,
with all your understanding and
with all your strength, and to love
your neighbor as yourself is more
important than all burnt offerings
and sacrifices.”

34 When Jesus saw that he had answered wisely, he said to him, **“You are not far from the kingdom of God.”**

HEBREWS 12

Therefore we also, since we
are surrounded by so great a
cloud of witnesses,

let us lay aside every weight,
and the sin which so easily
ensnares us, and let us run
with endurance the race that is
set before us,

2 looking unto Jesus, the
author and finisher of our faith,

who for the joy that was set
before Him endured the cross,
despising the shame, and has
sat down at the right hand of
the throne of God.

