

**BROOKLAND BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Bible Study  
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Lecture VI

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**Discovering Your Spiritual Gift(s)**

**III. The Gift of Knowledge**

The gift of knowledge can be defined as “**the God-given ability to discover Biblical truth, summarize and explain it.**” It is closely related to the Gift of Teaching; knowledge is understanding the Word of God; teaching has to do with sharing that knowledge.

- **Proverbs 2:1-5**

**General Indicators of the Gift of Knowledge**

1. They have a special ability and desire to study and understand God’s truths.
2. They can relate God’s truths to specific situations.
3. They are skilled in determining the relationship between one spiritual truth and another.
4. They can pinpoint spiritual truths that relate directly to the church's well-being.
5. They are able to communicate spiritual truths to others.

**IV. The Gift of Wisdom**

The gift of wisdom can be defined as “**the God-given ability to apply spiritual truth and Biblical knowledge to everyday life. Wisdom is referred to as “sanctified common-sense.”**”

- **James 1:5-6**
- **Acts 6:8-10**
- **I Kings 3:5-12**

**General Indicators of the Gift of Wisdom**

1. They have an unusual ability to offer solutions that result in profit for others and for the church.
2. Their advice is sought on practical matters. Persons will come to them, and at times may not know them well.
3. The advice they give is consistently good.
4. They are able to bring about a relaxation of tension when difficult issues are discussed.
5. Their opinions are considered carefully by groups.
6. They are skilled in clarifying issues for groups and individuals.

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