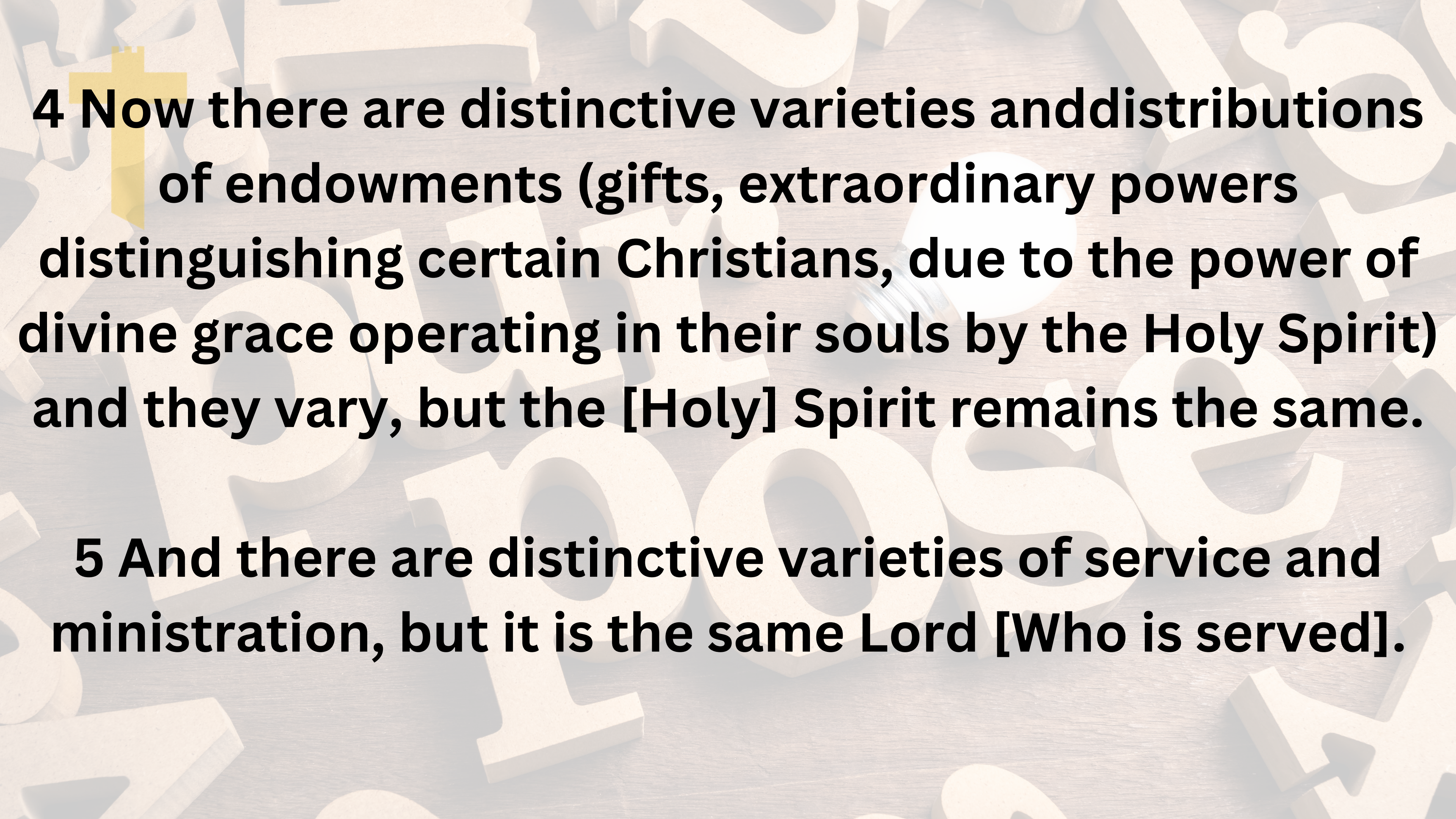




Discovering Your Kingdom Purpose

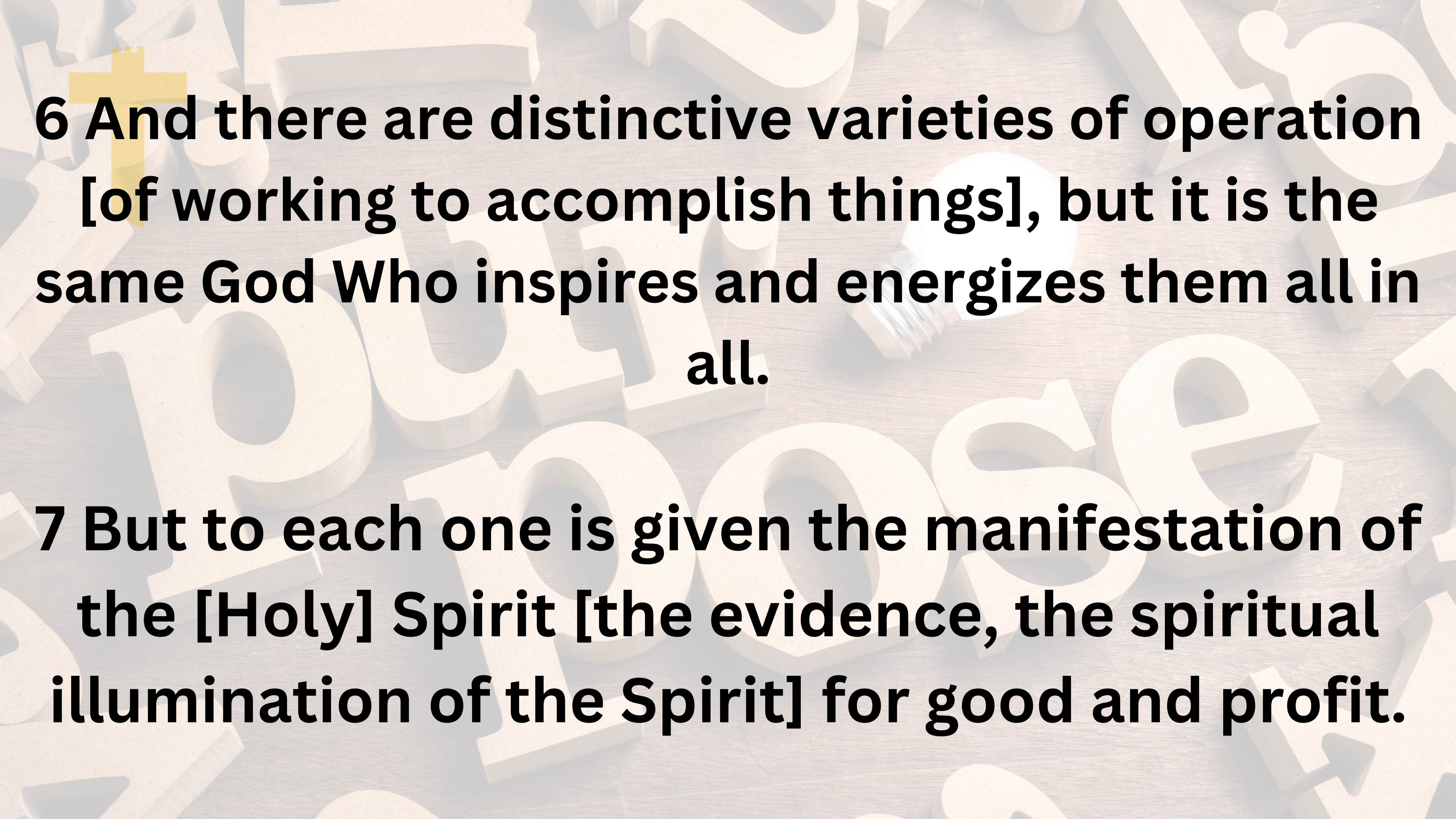
**I Corinthians 12:4-11 &
Ephesians 4:11-12**

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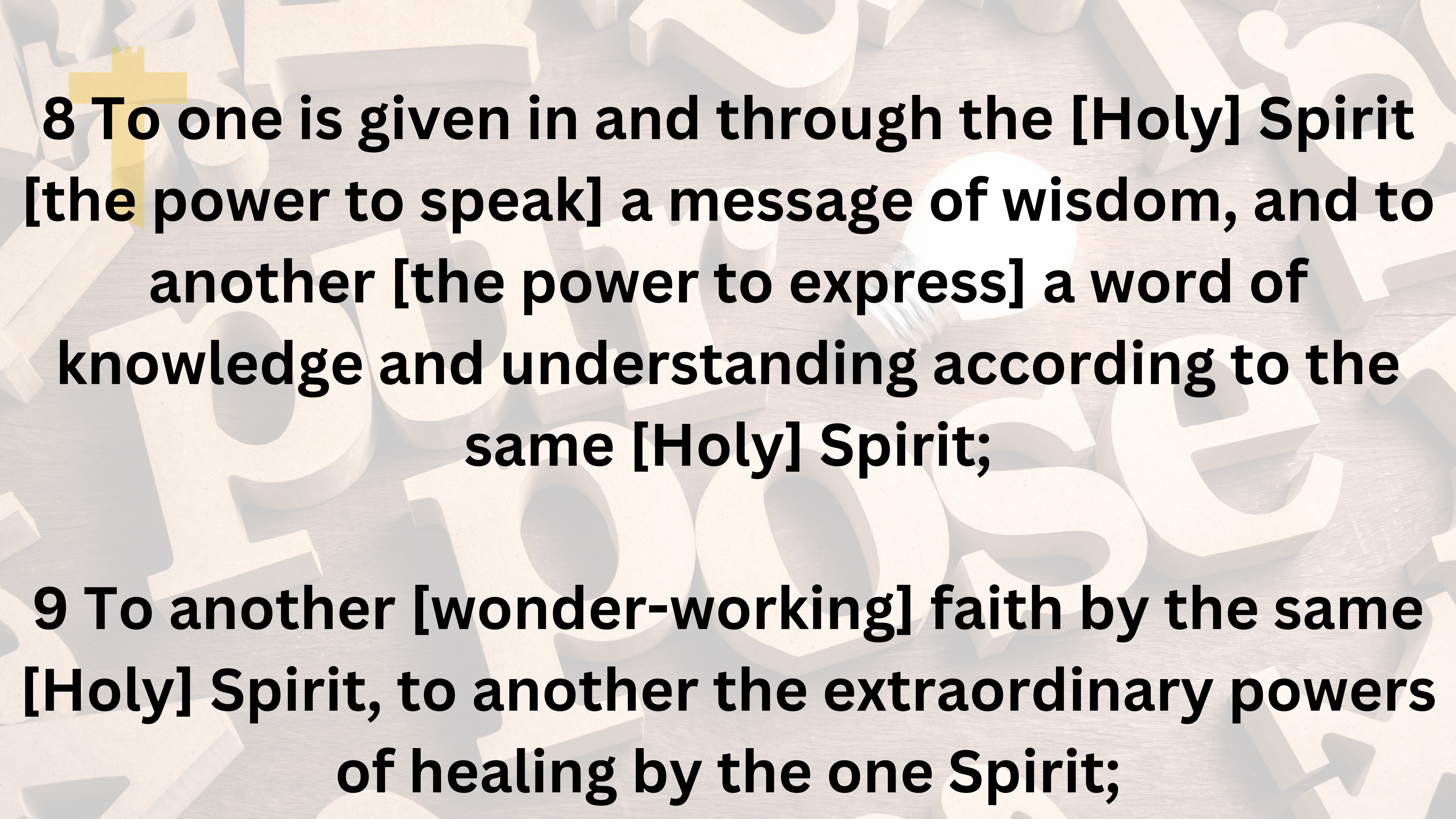
4 Now there are distinctive varieties and distributions of endowments (gifts, extraordinary powers distinguishing certain Christians, due to the power of divine grace operating in their souls by the Holy Spirit) and they vary, but the [Holy] Spirit remains the same.

5 And there are distinctive varieties of service and ministrations, but it is the same Lord [Who is served].



6 And there are distinctive varieties of operation [of working to accomplish things], but it is the same God Who inspires and energizes them all in all.

7 But to each one is given the manifestation of the [Holy] Spirit [the evidence, the spiritual illumination of the Spirit] for good and profit.



8 To one is given in and through the [Holy] Spirit [the power to speak] a message of wisdom, and to another [the power to express] a word of knowledge and understanding according to the same [Holy] Spirit;

9 To another [wonder-working] faith by the same [Holy] Spirit, to another the extraordinary powers of healing by the one Spirit;

10 To another the working of miracles, to another prophetic insight (the gift of interpreting the divine will and purpose); to another the ability to discern and distinguish between [the utterances of true] spirits [and false ones], to another various kinds of [unknown] tongues, to another the ability to interpret [such] tongues.

11 All these [gifts, achievements, abilities] are inspired and brought to pass by one and the same [Holy] Spirit, Who apportions to each person individually [exactly] as He chooses.

Ephesians 4:11-12

11 And His gifts were [varied; He Himself appointed and gave men to us] some to be apostles (special messengers), some prophets (inspired preachers and expounders), some evangelists (preachers of the Gospel, traveling missionaries), some pastors (shepherds of His flock) and teachers.

12 His intention was the perfecting *and* the full equipping of the saints (His consecrated people), [that they should do] the work of ministering toward building up Christ's body (the church)

1. DIVINE DEPOSIT (I COR. 12:4,6-9;11)

2. DESIGNATED DISTRIBUTION (Ephes. 4:11;

I Cor. 12:4,6 & 11

3. DEPLOYMENT'S DESTINATION I Cor. 12:7 &

Ephesians 4:12

DIVINE DEPOSIT



The Source is not human but God!

I Cor. 12:4 Divine Grace (unearned gift)

Operation in our SOULS (mind, feelings and will)

BY HOLY SPIRIT

VS. 6- God inspires and energizes in ALL

vs. 7: manifestation of Holy Spirit (evidence)

vs. 8-11 (Spirit is the One @ Work)

Designated Distribution



HIS gifts are: 1) varied

Jesus himself appointed and gave...(Ephes 4:11 & I

I Cor. 12:6

Holy Spirit decides who receives what I Cor 12:11



Deployment's Destination

1 Cor. 12:7 But to each one is given the manifestation of the [Holy] Spirit [the evidence, the spiritual illumination of the Spirit] *for good and profit.*



Deployment's Destination

Ephesians 4:11

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Prayer for Upcoming Week

Holy Spirit, who have YOU equipped me to

SERVE...TODAY!!!

NEXT WEEK: YOUR MINISTRY MATRIX!