

1 Corinthians 14:20-40

Gifts Part 6: God Desires Order

1 Corinthians 14:1-25

- Pursue love.
- Desire spiritual gifts.
- Build up the Church.
- We seek to excel in building up the church.
- We desire to be fruitful in our understanding.
- Tongues (languages) is used to get the gospel to unbelievers in their language.
- Prophecy (testimony of Jesus) is used within the church to make disciples.
- Discipleship in our understanding is the outward sign that “God is among us”.

1 Corinthians 14:26-40 – Get Organized

- We do what we do to build up others.
- We take organized turns for the building up of the church.
- Tongues without interpretation is forbidden by God in the worship service.
- Every one that speaks should be evaluated to make sure it is consistent with the Word of God.
- God is not unorganized.

Basically; self-reflection, understanding, knowledge, wisdom, learning, testing, truth should be what describes our worship services.

- Women are not the spiritual leaders of the church (pastors).
- If anyone ignores these teachings...God will ignore you.
- God demands that everything be done decently and in order.

Yes, we get to cry out Father. But our heavenly Father is still the King of kings and Lord of lords.