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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

920416-54 ADMINISTERING GOD'S VARIED GRACE

- 3:30 Terry makes a reference to a doggerel used by Rudyard Kipling that has been useful to him. What?, Where?, When?, Why?, How?, Who? Teaching on application to bible study.
- 2:20 1 Peter 4:10 10 Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms. 11 If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.

Teaching. The way we glorify the Father is by finishing the work he gave us to do.

Reference Matthew 5:16 Let your light shine... Reference John 17:4 Jesus glorified the Father by finishing the work the Father gave him to do.

- 9:35 Ephesians 2:10 For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do. Teaching. Often we want to do our own thing and offer that to the Lord Strange Fire Reference Leviticus 10:1. God wants obedience. We are not to fashion our own offerings and ask the Lord to bless them.
- 12:15 Teaching continues back in 1 Peter 4:10. Failure to use the gifts that God has given to us to fulfill his plan is Disobedience.

- 13:30 Matthew 25:14-30 Teaching on being stewards of the gifts that God has given to us.
- 21:30 1 Peter 4:10 <u>10</u> Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms. Teaching on handling God's grace (Gifts).
- 39:35 1 Peter 4:11 <u>11</u> If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ.

Peter gives two examples of using gifts (speaking and serving). Teaching.

42:05 Jeremiah 23:16-22 Those who wish to speak God's words must be in his presence (council), to hear him. Terry relates the circumstances of his call to St. Paul's, Darien.

Personal time with the Lord is essential. Reference John 10:4,27 The Lord's sheep follow him because they know his voice. You cannot know his voice unless you spend time alone with him.

Terry's focus has never been his ministry, but his focus has been standing in the Lord's council to hear his word. After that the Lord will take care of the rest.

- 53:30 2 Corinthians 4:1-2 Set forth the truth plainly and commend it to every man's conscience.
- 55:10 1 Peter 4:11 if anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides....

The only ministry that glorifies God, is ministry that is done in the power of the Holy Spirit.

- 58:30 Luke 24:44-49 Jesus tells his disciples that they are to wait until they are clothed with power from on high (the strength that God provides).
- 1:02:00 Acts 1:3-5,8 ...wait for the gift my Father promised...you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit. ...you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria and to the ends of the earth. Reference Acts 10:38 Jesus himself is anointed with the Holy Spirit and with power.
- 1:07:30 1 Peter 4:10-11 Reading. What gifts has God given to you?
- 1:08:40 1 Peter 4:11 (The Why) so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. Reference Ephesians 1:11-12 We have been chosen to be for the praise of his glory.
- 1:10:30 1 Peter 4:11To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.

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Matt. 5:16 In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.

John 17:4 I have brought you glory on earth by completing the work you gave me to do.

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Matt. 25:14 "Again, it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted his property to them. 15 To one he gave five talents of money, to another two talents, and to another one talent, each according to his ability. Then he went on his journey. 16 The man who had received the five talents went at once and put his money to work and gained five more. 17 So also, the one with the two talents gained two more. 18 But the man who had received the one talent went off, dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money.

Matt. 25:19 "After a long time the master of those servants returned and settled accounts with them. 20 The man who had received the five talents brought the other five. 'Master,' he said, 'you entrusted me with five talents. See, I have gained five more.'

Matt. 25:21 "His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your master's happiness!'

Matt. 25:22 "The man with the two talents also came. 'Master,' he said,

'you entrusted me with two talents; see, I have gained two more.'

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Matt. 25:24 "Then the man who had received the one talent came. 'Master,' he said, 'I knew that you are a hard man, harvesting where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered seed. 25 So I was afraid and went out and hid your talent in the ground. See, here is what belongs to you.'

Matt. 25:26 "His master replied, 'You wicked, lazy servant! So you knew that I harvest where I have not sown and gather where I have not scattered seed? 27 Well then, you should have put my money on deposit with the bankers, so that when I returned I would have received it back with interest.

Matt. 25:28 "'Take the talent from him and give it to the one who has the ten talents. 29 For everyone who has will be given more, and he will have an abundance. Whoever does not have, even what he has will be taken from him. 30 And throw that worthless servant outside, into the darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.'

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Jer. 23:16 This is what the LORD Almighty says:

"Do not listen to what the prophets are prophesying to you; they fill you with false hopes.

They speak visions from their own minds, not from the mouth of the LORD.

Jer. 23:17 They keep saying to those who despise me, 'The LORD says: You will have peace.'

- And to all who follow the stubbornness of their hearts they say, 'No harm will come to you.'
- Jer. 23:18 But which of them has stood in the council of the LORD to see or to hear his word?

 Who has listened and heard his word?
- Jer. 23:19 See, the storm of the LORD will burst out in wrath, a whirlwind swirling down on the heads of the wicked.
- Jer. 23:20 The anger of the LORD will not turn back until he fully accomplishes the purposes of his heart.

In days to come you will understand it clearly.

<u>Jer. 23:21</u> I did not send these prophets, yet they have run with their message;

I did not speak to them, yet they have prophesied.

- Jer. 23:22 But if they had stood in my council, they would have proclaimed my words to my people and would have turned them from their evil ways and from their evil deeds.
- <u>2Cor. 4:1</u> Therefore, since through God's mercy we have this ministry, we do not lose heart. <u>2</u> Rather, we have renounced secret and shameful ways; we do not use deception, nor do we distort the word of God. On the contrary, by setting forth the truth plainly we commend ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.
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God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen.

Luke 24:44 He said to them, "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms."

Luke 24:45 Then he opened their minds so they could understand the Scriptures. 46 He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, 47 and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. 48 You are witnesses of these things. 49 I am going to send you what my Father has promised; but stay in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."

Acts 1:3 After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. 4 On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. 5 For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

Acts 1:8 But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

Acts 10:38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him.

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Eph. 1:11 In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will, $\underline{12}$ in order that we, who were the first to hope in Christ, might be for the praise of his glory.