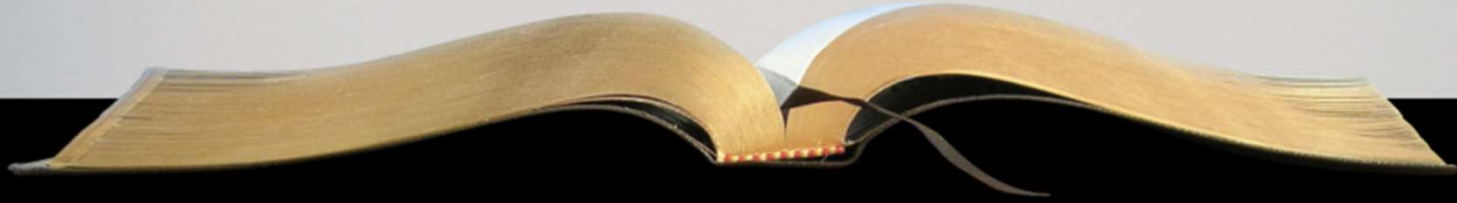
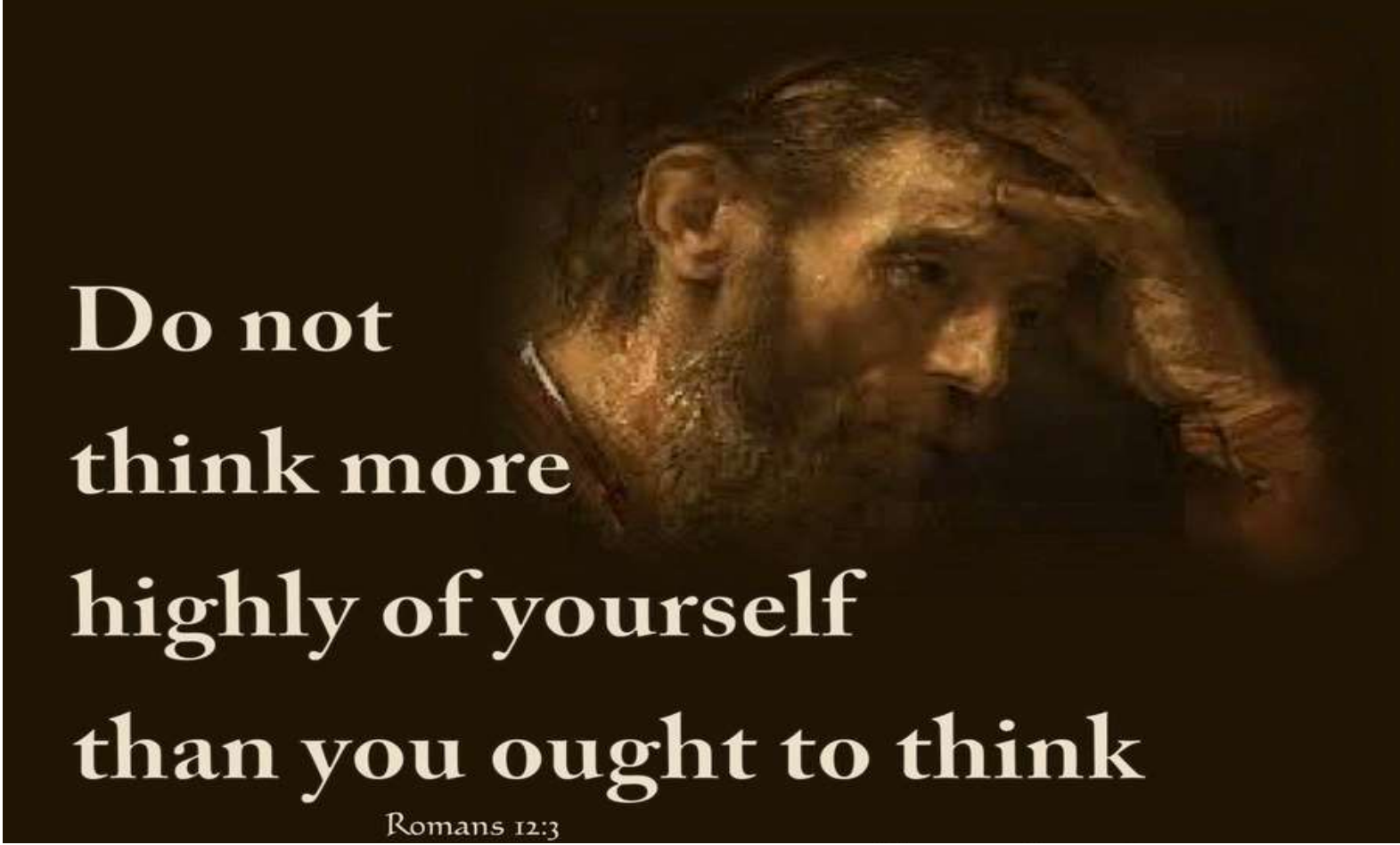


[Romans]
Lesson 13
Spiritual Gifts

(Romans 12:3-8)



1. We Must Think Right About Our Gifts.



Do not
think more
highly of yourself
than you ought to think

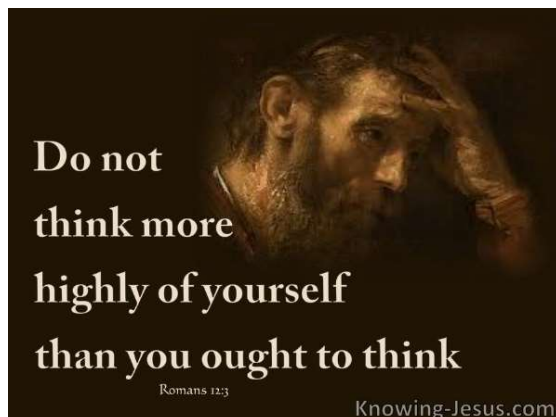
Romans 12:3

(Rom. 12:3) *For I (Paul) say, through the grace (gift) given unto me (Paul), to every man that is among you, not to **think of himself more highly (pride) than he ought (need) to think; but to think soberly (humble--truth)...***

Think right about your gifts:

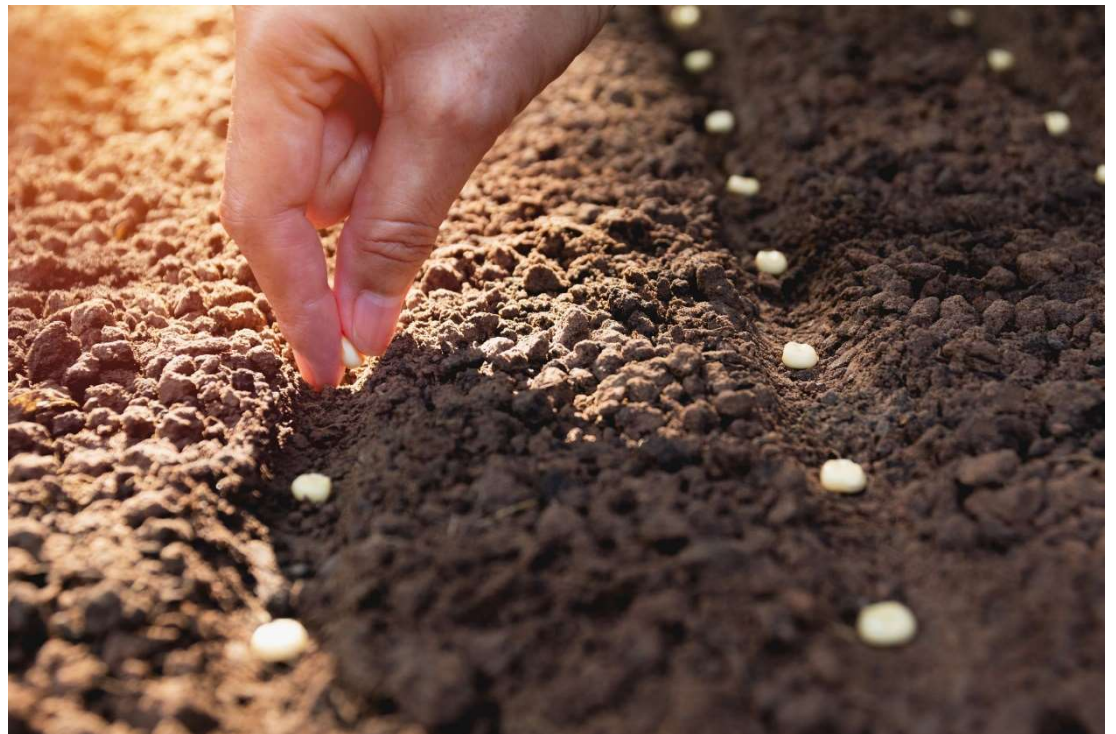
*Do not be proud.

*Be humble.



(Rom. 12:3) ...**but to think soberly** (*truth*),
according as **God hath dealt** (*given*) to
every man the **measure of faith**.

God has given
all of us
the faith needed
to serve Him
in the church.



(Rom. 12:4) *For as we have many members (eyes, feet, hands...) in one body, and all members have not the same office (job):*



(5) So (*same way*) we, being many, are one body in Christ, and every one members one of another (*joined*).

God has given us different Gifts to serve Him by serving the church.

(Rom. 12:6) *Having then gifts differing according to the grace (gift—no pay) that is given to us...*



2. The Gifts God Has Given Us





(Rom. 12:6) *Having then gifts differing...
prophecy (tell God's Word)... (7) Or
ministry (serve)... or he that teacheth...
(8) Or he that exhorteth (encourage)... he
that giveth... he that ruleth... he that
sheweth mercy...*

Prophecy

(tell / write God's Word)



“according to the proportion of faith”



needed



Ministry

(service)



Teaching



Exhortation

(encouragement)



Giving



“with simplicity”



freely

Ruling

(lead / order)



“with diligence”

↓
busy

Mercy

(kind / love)



“with cheerfulness”

↓
happy