



Love is ...

1 Corinthians 13:8-13

Part 12





Lessons about spiritual gifts:

1. Every Christian has been given one or more spiritual gifts to be exercised in the local church (*the body of Christ*) for the spiritual growth and health of the body (*members*).

Teaching Lessons

1 Corinthians 13:8-13

1. Supernatural (miraculous) gifts are temporary. (v.8)
2. Supernatural (miraculous) gifts are elementary. (v.11)
3. Supernatural (miraculous) gifts ended (fulfilled their purpose) at the completion of the New Testament canon (v.9-11)
 - a) The revelatory gifts provided partial knowledge and revelation (v.9)
 - b) These supernatural gifts ***AUTHENTICATED THE NEW REVELATION***



"Face to Face"

*God created you with the chief purpose of glorifying Him
and enjoying His presence and His fellowship forever.*

AYNALAR
MIRRORS



Paul is contrasting . . .

Temporary (v. 8)

Partial (v. 9-10)

Elementary (v. 11)

Blurry (v. 12)

vs.

Permanent

Complete

Mature

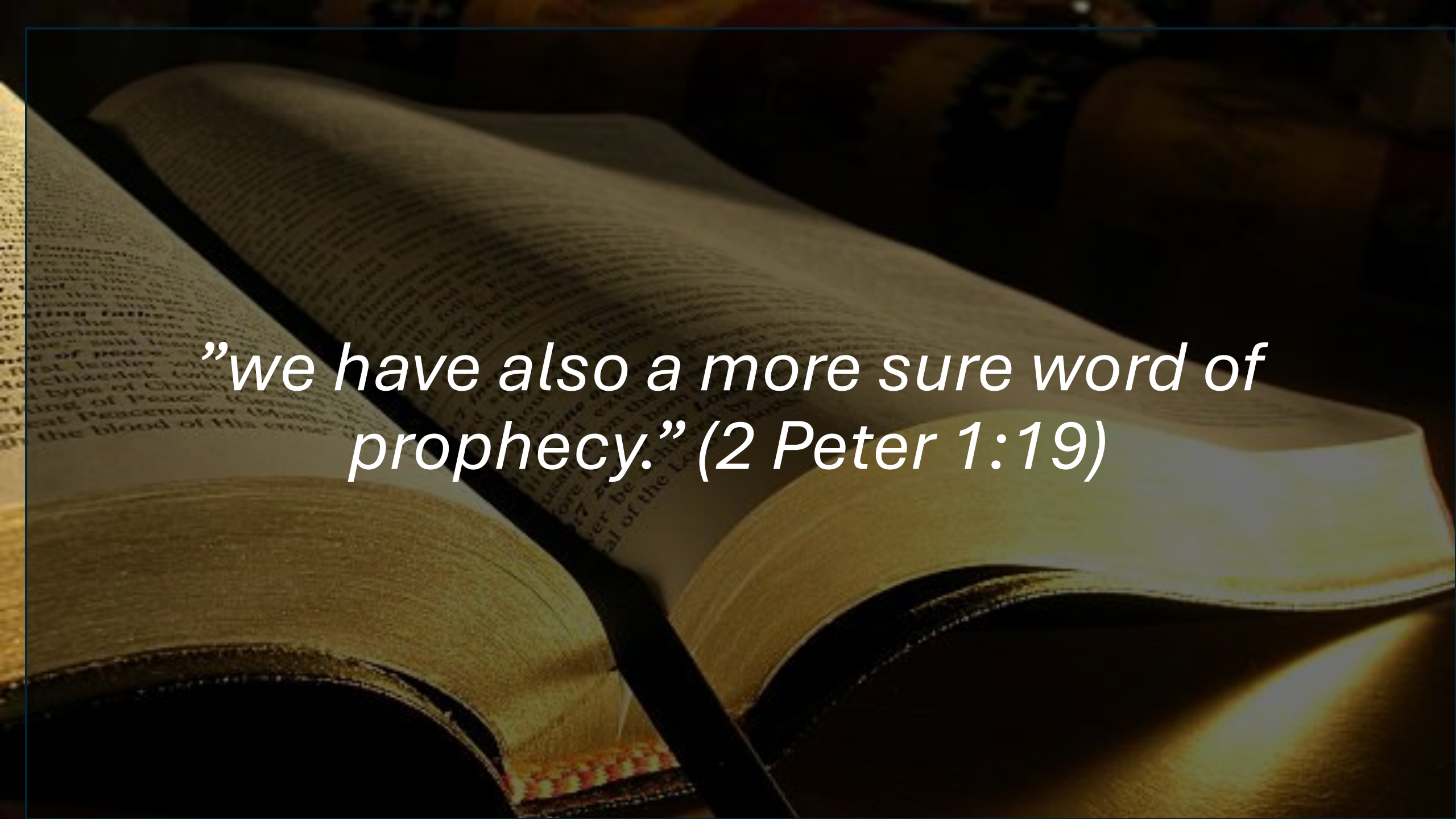
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“Face to Face”

- *Genesis 32:24-25, 29-30*
- *Deuteronomy 5:4-5*
- *Exodus 33:11-23*
- *Matthew 17:1-5*
- *2 Peter 1:16-21*

*It is better to be us today than it was to be
Peter on the mountain of transfiguration!*





*"we have also a more sure word of
prophecy." (2 Peter 1:19)*

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We see the glory of God in the face of Jesus (2 Cor. 4:6) by . . .

1. The preaching of the gospel (4:5)
2. The ministry of God's Word (4:3)
3. The liberating power of the Holy Spirit (3:17)



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- *Revelation 22:3-4*

Take-home Truths

1. Are you prepared for the day when we may see Him "face to face?"
2. Treasure the Word. Search its pages to see the glory of Jesus.

