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God Gifts the Church to Grow

Ephesians 4:7-16

Passage in a Sentence: God gifts the church to grow.

- I. Your giftedness is graciously given by God. (7-10)
 - a. All our gifts are acts of grace from Christ. (7)
 - b. He sovereignly distributes these gifts to the body. (7)
 - c. Christ's gifting of the body further shows his supremacy. (8-10)

- II. God gifts the church with leaders to equip (11-12)
 - a. God gives leaders (11-12)
 - b. The church leaders' primary function is to equip the saints (12)
 - c. Leaders equipped well will build up the body (12)

- III. When the saints are equipped, the body functions properly (13-16)
 - a. We should pursue Christ until we are unified. (13)
 - b. We should pursue Christ until we are mature. (14)
 - c. We should pursue Christ until we are growing in truth and in love. (15)