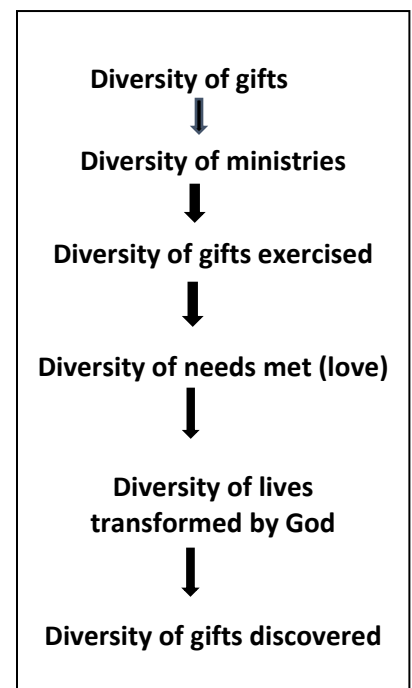


Lesson 5

God's Plan for Your Life

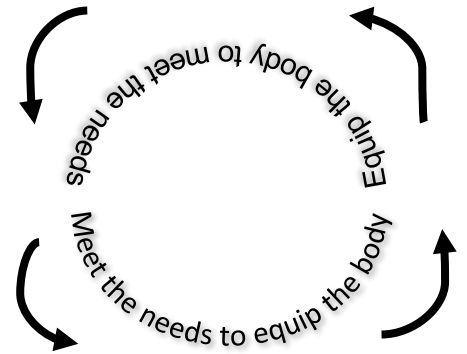
- **Discover the plan that God already has!**
 - Understand the difference between God's plan and ours.
 - **God's plan:**
 - Perfect/Complete/Gradually Revealed
 - **Our plan:**
 - Imperfect/Incomplete/Gradually Developed
 - **How should we approach planning?**
 - In pencil, expecting God to increase our understanding as His plan is gradually revealed in increasing detail.
 - **Would you like to have the details of God's plan for your church?**
 - Every church, obedient to His Great Commission, can!
 - **Where can you find the details?**
 - Most of the details are hidden in the undisciplined members.
 - **What, in bold strokes, is the outline of God's plan?**
 - The Builder is God Psalms 127:1
 - Diversity of Gifts = Diversity of Ministries
Romans 12, Ephesians 4, 1 Corinthians 12
 - Unity of Spirit = Gifts Focused on Christ's Goal
Ephesians 2:19-22, 3:14-21
 - The Process That Equips for Ministry
II Timothy 3:16, 17
 - The Bull's Eye of Discipling
Philippians 2:13



- **What is the process of equipping that is described in II Timothy 3:16, 17?**

All Scripture is:

- Inspired by the Holy Spirit
- Profitable for:
 - Doctrine (Defining right)
 - Reproof (Rebuking wrong)
 - Correction (Restoring right)
 - Instruction (Nurturing right)



Doctrine alone = Hearers of Word

Doctrine + Reproof + Correction + Instruction = Doers of the Word
Complete and thoroughly equipped for every good work (ministers)

- **Doctrine**
- **Reproof**
- **Correction**
- **Instruction**