

### **Infusion - WEEK 4**

#### INTRODUCTION

The moment we decide to follow Jesus, we are infused with the Holy Spirit of God. He empowers us and gives us gifts to fulfill our God-destined purpose. The more we give of this power and these gifts, the more we are given. In <u>Luke 6:37-38</u> Jesus said: "When we give what has been given, we are given more." When we apply this principle in our life we are living in the extraordinary life promised only to believers.

# **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

- 1. Share with the group about some gifts and talents you have.
- 2. Have you ever considered that your gifts and talents could be used for a higher purpose in life? What are some ways that your gifts and talents could be used for a higher purpose?
- 3. Has God ever used the gifts and talents you have to do something extraordinary for others? If so, how did He use them and how did it make you feel like?
- 4. In the message, Jon talked about living and extraordinary life vs. and ordinary life. When it comes to your current spiritual life, would you say you are experiencing an extraordinary life or ordinary life? Please explain your answer.
- 5. In <u>Luke 6:37-38</u> Jesus explains the extraordinary life is a life lived through the power and gifts of God. He went on to say: "When we give of the gifts and talents we have been given, we are given more." Have you found this principle to be true in your life? Please explain answer.
- 6. What are some ways you could give more of your gifts and talents back to God? What commitment are you prepared to make right now to start giving back to God what has been given to you?
- 7. How can this group help you keep your commitment?

## **MOVING FORWARD**

You have some amazing and extraordinary gifts that are just waiting to be unleashed in your homes, in your church, in your businesses, in your marriage, in your family, and in this community. All it's going to take is for you to step out and give it. The second you do, you are going to experience the extraordinary life and are going to receive more back than you are anticipating. Sometimes it is difficult for us to even know where to begin when it comes to giving. To keep it simple, Make a commitment to start this week by taking these two steps of progress.

- 1. Give 10% + an offering to God of every financial increase He gives you
- 2. Take the Spiritual Gifts Test and begin giving of the gifts you discover

### **CHANGING YOUR MIND**

"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." - Jesus (<u>Luke 6:38</u> TNIV)