Gift of Tongues

General Usage	Specific Uses	Parameters
Dialektos - #G1258 - language Heteroglassos - #G2084 - different or a strange language (I Cor 14:21) Glossa - #G1100 - organ of speech (23 times - the tongue) - James 1:26	Glossa Mark 16:17 - there was a sign for those who believe - speak in new tongues New - #G2537 - new to me like my car is new even though it is old Acts 2:1-13 - first usage - tongues of fire that were on each person (3) - Spoke with other tongues (dialects) as the Spirit gave them utterance (4) - They heard them speak in their own language (5-6) - They heard in their own language - they spoke of the mighty deeds of God (11) Acts 10:46 - the gifts was given that they could speak with tongues so those present knew and understood that the Holy Spirit was with the Gentiles too Acts 19:6 - these didn't know about Jesus Christ - when they heard they believed and received the Holy Spirit - they spoke in tongues as a sign that they did have the Holy Spirit	I Cor 12 - gifts are given to various people - Not everyone has the same gift (tongues) I Cor 13 - exercising our gifts in love - All the gifts will be done away with when the perfect comes - Tongues of men and of angels I Cor 14 Tongue (singular) - pagan gibberish Tongues (plural) - various tongues - known languages 1) inferior to prophecy because prophecy edifies the church 2) Tongues purpose was a sign to unbelievers 3) Procedure - systematic, limited, orderly - one who speaks in a tongue edifies himself - prophecy edifies the church (4) - Speaking in tongues needs to be interpreted so all can be edified (5) - Edification of the church (12) - If all the church speak in tongues - the unsaved will think they are mad (23) - 2 or 3 at the most are to speak - each must be interpreted - in turn (27) - God is a God of order not confusion (33) - We should feel peace with God's people