



The Starhub Clan Outline

Theme: Unleashing Your Potential

Topic: Stewarding Your Gift to Fulfill Your Calling

Text: Romans 11:29 (NLT)

Introduction

God, in His wisdom and grace, has given each of us unique gifts, abilities, passions, and inclinations that serve as tools for purpose and service. These gifts are not random. They are intentional, tailored to our calling, and designed to reflect His glory in and through us. While they may bring fulfilment, recognition, or income, our gifts are ultimately meant to serve others and advance God's kingdom. What we do with them matters. Often, we discover our gifts gradually, as we journey through life, respond to different challenges, or step into unfamiliar responsibilities. Whether spiritual, creative, administrative, or entrepreneurial, they are all significant because God entrusted them to us. With that trust comes responsibility. Though the gifts and calling of God are irrevocable (Romans 11:29), we must be intentional in using and growing them. Today, we'll discuss what it means to steward our gifts well so we can fulfil our calling and bring glory to God

Discussion

1. Do you see yourself as a steward of the gifts God has given you? If yes, are you using them intentionally? If not, what's holding you back?
2. Do you believe stewarding your gifts is mainly for personal benefit, or do you see it as a way to serve God and others? Why?

3. God has given you gifts to fulfil His purpose, and stewardship is how you unlock that purpose. Stewarding your gifts is essential to walking in your God-given calling. It's not just about having a gift; it's about how you manage, grow, and use it. Here are five practical ways to steward your gifts effectively:
- A. Acknowledge your gifts by recognizing that you are gifted and that your gifts come from God. You didn't earn them—they were entrusted to you (James 1:17).
 - B. Ask God for wisdom and strength to use your gifts well. Since He gave them, He also knows how you should use them. (James 1:5)
 - C. Embrace accountability by remaining rooted in a community of believers. (Proverbs 27:17).
 - D. Take responsibility for your gifts. They won't grow if you don't use them. Be intentional. Develop them, practice, volunteer, learn. (1 Peter 4:10-11).
 - E. Serve and collaborate. Use your gifts to serve others. Don't fall into the trap of comparison; instead, partner with others whose strengths complement yours.

Conclusion

The gifts God has entrusted to you serve as clues to your calling and purpose. Using them brings fulfillment and often provision. More importantly, though, it glorifies God. Don't sit on your gifts; steward them with joy, courage, and intention. Go where your gifts are appreciated, not mocked. Growth occurs in an environment that honors who you are becoming.