

THE GIFT OF PASTOR-TEACHER*: From Awareness to the Crown of Glory

$$\begin{aligned} X [\text{SAL} + \text{ISG} = P_1 + \text{BD} = H_1] + \\ Y [\text{AWR} + \text{ASP} = P_2 + \text{AP} = H_2] + \\ Z [\text{OFF} + \text{CNG} = P_3 + \text{PM} = H_3] = \text{CG} \end{aligned}$$

X:

SAL: Salvation +

ISG: Imputation: spiritual gift of pastor-teacher =

P₁: Potential for awareness +

BD: Pertinent doctrine: spiritual gifts =

H₁: Confidence of having a spiritual gift

+: Awareness of having the gift of pastor-teacher

Z:

OFF: The office of pastor-teacher +

CNG: Assignment to a congregation

P₃: Potential for the Crown of Glory in the eternal escrow =

PM: Parishioners led to maturity +

H₃: Confidence of conveyance of the Crown of Glory =

CG: The imputation of the Crown of Glory at the Evaluation Tribunal of Christ

Y:

AWR: Awareness +

ASP: Aspiration to develop and utilize the gift =

P₂: Potential to attain the office +

AP: Academic preparation =

H₂: Confidence of attaining the office

+: Attainment of the office

* Eph. 4:11d - τοὺς ποιμένους καὶ διδασκάλους:
(*toús poiménas kaí didaskálois*): "some pastors
and teachers." (NASB)

The Granville Sharp Rule: When two nouns in the same
case are connected by the conjunction *καί*, ("and"),
and the first noun (*poiménas*, "pastors") has an article
(e.g., *toús*, "some") while the second noun (*didaskálois*,
"teachers") does not, both nouns refer to the same
person: "pastors-teachers."