

## USE WHO YOU ARE

(1Peter 4:10-11)

Professional football has been described as “a game where 45,000 people desperately in need of exercise, watch 45 men desperately in need of rest.”

### God’s people are to be **PLAYERS**, not **SPECTATORS**

*As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. <sup>11</sup>Whoever speaks, is to do so as one who is speaking the utterances of God; whoever serves is to do so as one who is serving by the strength which God supplies; so that in all things God may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom belongs the glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. (1Peter 4:10-11—NAS)*

- All have the **CAPACITY** to contribute      *Each one has received a special gift...*
  
- All have the **RESPONSIBILITY** to contribute      *Employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God...*
  
- All have the **ABILITY** to contribute      *Whoever speaks, let him speak, as it were, the utterances of God; whoever serves, let him do so as by the strength which God supplies...*
  
- All have the **OPPORTUNITY** to contribute      *Here in MJ, at the MJCOG, and other places...*
  
- Where are you using who you are to contribute? → “Coffee & Connect” 11:30-12:30 today

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