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Posted by [Mark L](#) on Tue, 22 Sep 2020 15:20:55 GMT

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I talked to a brother a couple days ago and he knows someone in the holiness church, who had a man at his church who when he went to a drive thru and would place his order with his mind without speaking any words, they would take his order and he would go around to pay for his

food. He thought he had a gift from God.

Very odd I do not think Telepathy is a gift.

Jesus on a number of occasions knew the thoughts of those around Him, I think this may be a word of knowledge. I heard a man recently on you tube, Chris Reed, who has a gift of the word of knowledge. I watched because he was in our area last weekend at some church.

He was able to tell a person quite a bit of information about their lives and then would minister to them. Some were saying that this gift was similar to what William Branham had.

The whole thing on the video seemed legit but I cannot for the life of me see someone asking Jesus to give us a little demo of your gift.

The supernatural events seem to be increasing in our area, more churches are saying God is moving in their midst.

Gary