

Discover Your Spiritual Gifts!

"A spiritual gift is an expression of the Holy Spirit in the life of believers which empowers them to serve the body of Christ, the church. Romans 12:6-8, 1 Corinthians 12:8-10, 28-30; Ephesians 4:11; and 1 Peter 4:9-11 contain representative lists of gifts and roles God has given to the church" (Gene Wilkes, Spiritual Gifts Survey, LifeWay Christian Resources).



This is not a test. There are no wrong answers. Prayerfully complete each question quickly without asking for input from others. Choose your response choices from the following scale:

- 5 - Highly characteristic of me/definitely true of me
 - 4 - Most of the time this describes me/be true of me
 - 3 - Frequently characteristic of me/true for me - about 50 percent of the time
 - 2 - Occasionally characteristic of me/true for me - about 25 percent of the time
 - 1 - Not at all characteristic of me/definitely untrue for me
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- ___ 1. I have the ability to organize ideas, resources, time, and people effectively.
- ___ 2. I am willing to study and prepare for the task of teaching.
- ___ 3. I am sensitive to the hurts of people.
- ___ 4. I experience joy in meeting needs through sharing possessions.
- ___ 5. I have delivered God's message of warning and judgment.
- ___ 6. I take action to meet physical and practical needs rather than merely talking about or planning to help.
- ___ 7. I can delegate and assign meaningful work.
- ___ 8. I have an ability and desire to teach.
- ___ 9. I have a natural tendency to encourage others.
- ___ 10. I have an acute awareness of the emotions of other people, such as loneliness, pain, fear, and anger.
- ___ 11. I am a cheerful giver.
- ___ 12. I feel that I have a message from God to deliver to others.
- ___ 13. It makes me happy to do things for people in need.
- ___ 14. I am successful in getting a group to do its work joyfully.
- ___ 15. I have the ability to plan learning approaches.
- ___ 16. I can identify those who need encouragement.

- ___ 17. I am attracted to people who are hurting.
- ___ 18. I am a generous giver.
- ___ 19. I have spiritual insights from Scripture concerning issues and people that compel me to speak out.
- ___ 20. I am sensitive to the needs of people.
- ___ 21. I have been able to make effective and efficient plans for accomplishing the goals of a group.
- ___ 22. I think about how I can comfort and encourage others in my congregation.
- ___ 23. I possess an unusual capacity to understand the feelings of those in distress.
- ___ 24. I have a strong sense of stewardship based on the recognition that God owns all things.
- ___ 25. I have delivered to other persons messages that have come directly from God.
- ___ 26. I have an acute awareness of the physical needs of others.
- ___ 27. I am skilled in setting forth positive and precise steps of action.
- ___ 28. I explain Scripture in such a way that others understand it.
- ___ 29. I welcome opportunities to help people who need comfort, consolation, encouragement, and counseling.
- ___ 30. I recognize the signs of stress and distress in others.
- ___ 31. I desire to give generously and unpretentiously to worthwhile projects and ministries.
- ___ 32. God gives me messages to deliver to His people.
- ___ 33. I enjoy doing little things that help people.
- ___ 34. I can give a clear, uncomplicated presentation.
- ___ 35. God has used me to encourage others to live Christ-like lives.

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Use this page to tally your results. This will help you begin to discover what your spiritual gifts from the Lord may be. The 2-3 areas with the highest totals will indicate the areas in which you are most likely gifted.

Full Name: _____

Date: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone # _____

Scoring Your Survey - follow these directions to figure your score for each spiritual gift.

1. Place on each line your numerical response (1-5) to the item number which is indicated below the line.
2. For each gift, add the numbers on the lines and put the total on the TOTAL line.

ADMINISTRATION _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #1 #7 #14 #21 #27 TOTAL

TEACHING _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #2 #8 #15 #28 #34 TOTAL

MERCY _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #3 #10 #17 #23 #30 TOTAL

GIVING _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #4 #11 #18 #24 #31 TOTAL

PROPHECY _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #5 #12 #19 #25 #32 TOTAL

SERVICE/HELPS _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #6 #13 #20 #26 #33 TOTAL

EXHORTATION _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ + _____ = _____
 #9 #16 #22 #29 #35 TOTAL

The gifts I have begun to discover in my life are:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

*This Spiritual Gifts Survey is a modified duplicate of the public LifeWay version created by Gene Wilkes available at:
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