

Spiritual Gifts Test

There are four groups of phrases. Each group of phrases starts with a beginning of a sentence. Read the beginning of the sentence and then rate each phrase in that group, according to the way it completes the sentence for you.

Please rate each phrase as a 0, 1, 2 or 3

0 = never

1 = sometimes

2 = often

3 = a lot

This is not a test. There are no right or wrong answers. Just how the phrase completes the thought for you.

Sample:

I feel close to God...

 2 When I pray

Please complete each phrase.

I have volunteered to...

 Do menial projects that need to be done (14)

 Speak out against immorality (13)

 Step out in faith trusting God for the supernatural (12)

 Help those in need (11)

 Help make important decisions (9)

 Assist person to learn Bible (8)

 Help behind the scenes (7)

 Pray for people to be healed (6)

 Give to a cause (5)

 Step out in faith and go for it (4)

 Teach Godly living from the Bible (15)

 Urge people to live for Christ (3)

 Do research on Biblical topic (10)

 Help find the truth in a situation (2)

 Organize tasks in order to reach a goal (1)

I feel God has enabled me to...

 Discern between good and evil (2)

 Create strategies to reach a goal (1)

 Comfort people from God's word (3)

 Believe Him for great things (4)

 Apply the Bible to everyday problems (15)

 Share my resources (5)

 Keep our church going by serving where needed (7)

 Stand up for what is right according to His word (13)

 Teach a Sunday school class (8)

 Study and understand Biblical issues (10)

 Use insight to help with problems (9)

 Trust Him to bring wholeness to people's lives (6)

 Assist those that cannot help themselves (11)

 Pray believing when the only solution is a miracle (12)

 Help set up for different programs in the church (14)

People ask me to...

 Tell them if a teaching is false (2)

 Pray to God for mighty things (4)

 Do the jobs others don't want to do (14)

 Lead a project (1)

 Help someone in need (7)

 Explain the scriptures regarding a problem they are having (15)

 Explain a Bible passage (9)

 Pray for them during an illness (6)

 Bring encouragement to someone (3)

 Help them understand deep Spiritual truths (10)

 Share with others in need (5)

 Pray that God would intervene in a situation supernaturally (12)

 Teach a class (8)

 Show compassion to someone hurting (11)

 Lead the fight against the evil in our

community (13)

In my Church I am burdened to...

 Coordinate people, ideas, and resources to reach a goal (1)

 Pray to God for great things (4)

 Do the behind the scene jobs to get ministry done (14)

 Pray for those that are hurting (6)

 Help and support where I can (7)

 Make sure that our ministry is Biblically sound (9)

 Help people understand Biblical truth (10)

 Prevent false doctrine or confusion from spreading (2)

 Organize to help the poor and needy (11)

 Use the scriptures in counseling others (15)

 Lead the people in believing in God's almighty power (12)

 Happily give to the different needs (5)

 Help with Christian education (8)

 Make sure that we are pure in our walk with God (13)

 Challenge people to live the life that God wants them to (3)

 Research topics for the pastor (10)

I feel God leading me to ...

 Pray about serious issues (4)

 Do jobs that I know others might not volunteer for (14)

 Organize activities (1)

 Pray for those seemingly impossible situations (12)

 Comfort people who are hurting (11)

 Encourage people from God's word (3)

 Give to different needs in the church (5)

 Study more about Biblical truth (10)

 Teach where I am needed (8)

 Help shed light on whether something is right or wrong (2)

 Help lead a ministry (9)

 Listen to people's deepest hurts and pray for God to heal them (6)

 Teach Biblical truths about living (15)

 Speak up against ungodliness (13)

 Give people assistance (7)

YOUR SCORE

When you are through, please score your test. Please note that there is a number in parentheses () at the end of each phrase. Please look at all the phrases with the same number after them. Write down the score you gave to each phrase in the appropriate box.

FOR EXAMPLE: *Review all phrases with (1) after them. Let's say you scored: 3,2,3,0 and 1. Please write your scores in the long horizontal box next to, 1. Administration. Then add them up and put the sum in the TOTAL box, in this case,9.*

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| 1. Administration | TOTAL |
| <input type="text" value="3, 2, 3, 0, 1"/> | <input type="text" value="9"/> |

Please put in your own scores

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| 1. Administration | TOTAL |
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| 2. Discernment | |
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| 15. Wisdom | |
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What Does Your Score Mean?

We tried to ascertain your gifts by looking at what you volunteer for. This could indicate what you like, are burdened for or feel a call from God to do. We looked at what people ask you to do. This could point out what they see as your gift. We also considered what you are burdened for. We would like to think that this is a God directed burden in your life. We asked you what you thought God has enabled you to do. This is often one way of knowing God's gifting in our life. Finally, we asked what do you feel God has led you to do.

When you put these scores together, it will give a strong indication of what you feel is your Spiritual Service Gift(s). Here is what your score meant:

15 - 13 Very dominant preference. If you are not already involved in using this gift, you should consider it. We would recommend that you seek a spiritual leader and ask them to confirm this gift in you. Get permission to start to use it in the church.

12 - 10 A strong desire to be involved using this gift. It may be that you need more experience; and have others in the church pray for you about this gift. Start to develop your use of this gift in the church.

9 - 8 Your experience of this gift is not that strong but nevertheless it is one that you are comfortable with. There will no doubt be occasion when you will be called to use this gift. If there is an interest in this gift and you feel God wants you to explore it more, go to your pastor for some input.

7 and below You do not feel this is your gift, perhaps it is because you do not have much experience in this gift. We are, however, called upon from time to time to be involved in all the Christian virtues of mercy, wisdom, helps, faith... these are part of our everyday Christian living. We need to learn everything we can about them.

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