SPIRITUAL GIFTS ASSESSMENT

Directions:

This is not a test, so there are no wrong answers. The Spiritual Gifts Survey consists of 35 items. Some items reflect concrete actions; other items are descriptive traits; and still others are statements of belief.

Record your answers by placing in the blank beside each item the number that corresponds to the response you want. Mark the extent to which you feel that the item describes you.

Do not spend too much time on any one item. Remember, it is not a test. Usually, your immediate response is best.

Please give an answer for each item. Do not skip any items. Work at your own pace. Your response choices are:

- 5 Highly characteristic of me/definitely true for me
- 4 Most of the time this would describe me/be true for me
- 3 Frequently characteristic of me/true for me about 50% of the time
- 2 Occasionally characteristic of me/true for me about 25% of the time
- 1 Not characteristic of me at all/definitely untrue for me

 1. I can 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 judgement.
 6. I take action to meet physical and practical needs rather than merely talking about
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 can 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 Christlike lives.

SCORING YOUR SURVEY

Directions:

This form will calculate each spiritual gift category. The categories with the highest total will indicate the gift that best fits you.

LEADERSHIP						
	ITEM 1	ITEM 7	ITEM 14	ITEM 21	ITEM 27	TOTAL
TEACHING						
	ITEM 2	ITEM 8	ITEM 15	ITEM 28	ITEM 34	TOTAL
PROPHECY						
	ITEM 5	ITEM 12	ITEM 19	ITEM 25	ITEM 32	TOTAL
EXHORTATION						
	ITEM 9	ITEM 16	ITEM 22	ITEM 29	ITEM 35	TOTAL
SERVICE						
	ITEM 6	ITEM 13	ITEM 20	ITEM 26	ITEM 33	TOTAL
MERCY						
	ITEM 3	ITEM 10	ITEM 17	ITEM 23	ITEM 30	TOTAL
GIVING						
	ITEM 4	ITEM 11	ITEM 18	ITEM 24	ITEM 31	TOTAL