



High Definition Service

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Introduction:

I came so they can have real and eternal life, more and better life than they ever dreamed of. **John 10:10b**

Do you want to stand out? Then step down. Be a servant. **Matthew 23:11**

- ◆ Finding significance
- ◆ Apprehensive to serve?

How I am Wired for Service

1. _____

God planned for us to do good things and to live as he has always wanted us to live. That's why he sent Christ to make us what we are. **Ephesians 2:10**

A spiritual gift is given to each of us... **1 Corinthians 12:7**

2. _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Administration (organizing) | <input type="checkbox"/> Evangelism |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discernment | <input type="checkbox"/> Faith (high trust in God) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Encouraging | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Giving | <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pioneering (starting new works) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mercy / Compassion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership | <input type="checkbox"/> Serving / Helping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shepherding / Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Wisdom / Good Advice |

If your gift is serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, teach well. If your gift is to encourage others, be encouraging. If it is giving, give generously. If God has given you leadership ability, take the responsibility seriously. And if you have a gift for showing kindness to others, do it gladly.

Romans 12:7-8

3. _____

A spiritual gift is given to each of us so we can help each other. **1 Corinthians 12:7**

My dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Don't let anything move you. Always give yourselves completely to the work of the Lord. Because you belong to the Lord, you know that your work is not worthless. **1 Corinthians 15:58**

Next Steps:

- Memorize John 10:10b (series memory verse)
- Take a "spiritual gifts" test to help me find out where to best serve (www.kodachrome.org/spiritgift)
- Complete the "volunteer" form in the worship program and try serving in an area of interest
- Pray that God will help me to discover how I can best serve (and then step out in faith)
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