

SPIRITUAL GIFTS SURVEY

The following gift descriptions are gathered from Romans 12, 1 Corinthians 12, Ephesians 4, and from your current experience. Circle each gift either YES, I'm pretty sure I have this gift, MAYBE, I may have this gift, or NO, I don't think I have this gift.

Administration: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to organize people, tasks, or events. The ability to plan procedures and to set goals. A desire to manage or coordinate a variety of responsibilities.

Apostleship: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to start and oversee new ministries or churches. The ability to be culturally sensitive and to adapt to different surroundings. A desire to minister to unreached people.

Craftsmanship: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to design or construct items used for ministry. The ability to work with wood, cloth, paints, metal, glass, or other raw materials. A joy in serving with skilled hands.

Creative Communication: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to communicate God's truth through drama, writing, graphics, music, or dance. A desire to use artistic skills to communicate God's love and message.

Discernment: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to distinguish between truth and error, good and evil, right and wrong, pure and impure motives. The ability to recognize inconsistencies in teaching or interpretation. A desire to discern the spirits.

Encouragement: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to strengthen, comfort, reassure, or urge to action those who are ill, discouraged, or wavering in their faith. A desire to emphasize God's promises and to place confidence in the future.

Evangelism: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to invite unbelievers to place their faith in God and to commit themselves to following Jesus in everyday life. A desire to build relationships and to talk to non-believers.

Faith: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to have confidence in God's ability and therefore the ability to ask for what aligns with God's will. An attitude of trust in God that allows you to go forward when others will not.

Giving: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to manage finances and to choose a lifestyle characterized by generosity. Cheerful desire to contribute money and resources liberally to the work of the Lord.

Healing: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to touch, pray, or offer medical services that bring healing to those who are ill. A keen desire to restore people to wholeness through God's healing power.

Helps: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to serve unnoticed wherever needed. The ability to support the gifts and ministries of others. A desire to accomplish practical and necessary tasks that will free others for ministry.

Hospitality: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to meet new people and to provide a safe and comfortable environment. A joy in caring for people by providing fellowship, food, and shelter.

Intercession: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to consistently pray for others. A practice of praying in response to the leading of the Spirit, convinced that God moves in direct response to prayer.

Interpretation: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to make known to the body of Christ the message of one who is speaking in tongues. The ability to interpret and communicate a timely message of God.

Knowledge: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to search the Scriptures for insight, understanding, and truth that will help to guide the church. Having the necessary information to help the church make a decision or proceed with its work.

Leadership: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to envision, establish goals, and provide direction for God's people or ministry. An ability to motivate and a desire to inspire people for the purposes of God.

Mercy: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to express love, grace, and dignity to those who may be lonely, forgotten, or facing hardships and crises. A desire to cheerfully and practically help those who are suffering or are in need.

Miracles: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to speak God's truth and see it confirmed by an accompanying miracle. A desire to authenticate the ministry or message of God through supernatural interventions that glorify him.

Prophecy: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to make God's word and will known through public proclamation. The ability to clearly describe the promises and judgments of God. A desire to help people repent and to live a life that reflects the kingdom of God.

Reconciling: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to help people in conflict listen to each other, and to help them relate in new and just ways.

Shepherding/Pastoring: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to nurture, care for, and protect care receivers. The ability to guide and equip followers to spiritual maturity and ministry. A desire to model how to be a follower of Christ.

Teaching: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to clearly explain and apply the word of God to the lives of students. A desire to communicate biblical truth so that it will inspire greater knowledge and faithful discipleship.

Tongues: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to speak, worship, or pray in a language unknown to you. The ability to worship with unknown words too deep for the mind to comprehend. A desire to experience intimacy with God.

Wisdom: YES / MAYBE / NO The ability to apply knowledge effectively to a specific situation. The ability to provide divinely given solutions in the midst of confusion. A desire to provide direction and next steps for God's workers.

List and rank the gifts you have circled YES and MAYBE:

YES

MAYBE

Name:

Date: