

Gift Inventory

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

My gifts are... check as many things that you do well.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> accounting/ finances | <input type="checkbox"/> discerning | <input type="checkbox"/> organizing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> acting/ drama | <input type="checkbox"/> discussing | <input type="checkbox"/> photography |
| <input type="checkbox"/> analyzing/evaluating | <input type="checkbox"/> driving | <input type="checkbox"/> planning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> artistic (<i>designing, drawing, painting</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> facilitating | <input type="checkbox"/> praying |
| <input type="checkbox"/> athletics | <input type="checkbox"/> faith-sharing | <input type="checkbox"/> problem-solving |
| <input type="checkbox"/> budgeting | <input type="checkbox"/> following up on tasks | <input type="checkbox"/> promoting programs/ ideas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> building consensus | <input type="checkbox"/> fund-raising | <input type="checkbox"/> public speaking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> calligraphy | <input type="checkbox"/> gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> quilting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> caring and compassion | <input type="checkbox"/> graphic design | <input type="checkbox"/> recording/ sound systems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> carpentry/ building | <input type="checkbox"/> helping | <input type="checkbox"/> recruiting others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> child care (<i>nursery</i>) | <input type="checkbox"/> hospitality | <input type="checkbox"/> researching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> clerical work | <input type="checkbox"/> housekeeping | <input type="checkbox"/> ritualizing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> communicating | <input type="checkbox"/> interviewing | <input type="checkbox"/> sewing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> computer usage | <input type="checkbox"/> legal services | <input type="checkbox"/> sharing ideas/ vision |
| <input type="checkbox"/> database applications | <input type="checkbox"/> leading | <input type="checkbox"/> social justice work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> data entry | <input type="checkbox"/> learning | <input type="checkbox"/> summarizing/ synthesizing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> desktop publishing | <input type="checkbox"/> library work | <input type="checkbox"/> supporting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> spreadsheet | <input type="checkbox"/> listening | <input type="checkbox"/> teaching/ training |
| <input type="checkbox"/> website development | <input type="checkbox"/> maintenance/ ground work | <input type="checkbox"/> team-building |
| <input type="checkbox"/> word procession | <input type="checkbox"/> mechanical work | <input type="checkbox"/> telephoning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> cooking/baking/providing food | <input type="checkbox"/> mediating | <input type="checkbox"/> video taping |
| <input type="checkbox"/> coordinating | <input type="checkbox"/> medical/ nursing care | <input type="checkbox"/> visioning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> crafts | <input type="checkbox"/> mentoring | <input type="checkbox"/> welcoming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dancing | <input type="checkbox"/> music: instrument _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> working hard/ get it done |
| <input type="checkbox"/> decorating | <input type="checkbox"/> music: vocal | <input type="checkbox"/> writing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> delegating | <input type="checkbox"/> negotiating | <input type="checkbox"/> youth ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> designing | <input type="checkbox"/> nurturing | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |

Others would describe me as...(check as many things that you do well).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> authentic | <input type="checkbox"/> fair | <input type="checkbox"/> optimistic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> compassionate | <input type="checkbox"/> flexible | <input type="checkbox"/> patient |
| <input type="checkbox"/> cooperative | <input type="checkbox"/> friendly | <input type="checkbox"/> reliable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> creative | <input type="checkbox"/> humorous | <input type="checkbox"/> resourceful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> diplomatic | <input type="checkbox"/> inclusive | <input type="checkbox"/> team-player |
| <input type="checkbox"/> easy-going | <input type="checkbox"/> industrious | <input type="checkbox"/> tolerant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> efficient | <input type="checkbox"/> inquisitive | <input type="checkbox"/> understanding |
| <input type="checkbox"/> energetic | <input type="checkbox"/> inspirational | <input type="checkbox"/> wise |
| <input type="checkbox"/> enthusiastic | <input type="checkbox"/> open-minded | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |

The styles that best match my perception of myself include...

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| <input type="checkbox"/> logical | <input type="checkbox"/> outgoing and gregarious | <input type="checkbox"/> concerned with goals, outcome |
| <input type="checkbox"/> practical | <input type="checkbox"/> reserved and reflective | <input type="checkbox"/> concerned with relationships |
| <input type="checkbox"/> imaginative | <input type="checkbox"/> prefer open-ended flexibility | <input type="checkbox"/> concerned with change |
| <input type="checkbox"/> energetic doer | <input type="checkbox"/> prefer deadlines; specific tasks | <input type="checkbox"/> enjoy starting things |
| <input type="checkbox"/> makes decisions on fact | <input type="checkbox"/> prefer harmonious environment | <input type="checkbox"/> enjoy maintaining things |
| <input type="checkbox"/> makes decisions on hunches | <input type="checkbox"/> prefer lively, open debate | <input type="checkbox"/> enjoy finishing things |

I prefer to minister in the following contexts...

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| <input type="checkbox"/> with a large group | <input type="checkbox"/> with teens | <input type="checkbox"/> with the dying |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with a small group | <input type="checkbox"/> with adults | <input type="checkbox"/> with the grieving |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with one or two others | <input type="checkbox"/> with senior adults | <input type="checkbox"/> with the lonely |
| <input type="checkbox"/> alone | <input type="checkbox"/> with singles | <input type="checkbox"/> with the poor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with ideas and data | <input type="checkbox"/> with engaged couples | <input type="checkbox"/> with the hungry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with things | <input type="checkbox"/> with married couples | <input type="checkbox"/> with the unemployed |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with people | <input type="checkbox"/> with the divorced | <input type="checkbox"/> with those in crisis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> within our faith community | <input type="checkbox"/> with the widowed | <input type="checkbox"/> with the addicted |
| <input type="checkbox"/> within the larger community | <input type="checkbox"/> with single parents | <input type="checkbox"/> with the abused |
| <input type="checkbox"/> in a mission setting elsewhere | <input type="checkbox"/> with married parents | <input type="checkbox"/> with the imprisoned |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with infants or toddlers | <input type="checkbox"/> with the ill | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> with children | | |

My feelings about being asked to minister at this time are...

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| <input type="checkbox"/> anxious to learn and grow | <input type="checkbox"/> frustrated | <input type="checkbox"/> uncertain and unsure of role |
| <input type="checkbox"/> bored | <input type="checkbox"/> glad to use my gifts and serve | <input type="checkbox"/> unprepared |
| <input type="checkbox"/> complimented; flattered | <input type="checkbox"/> reasonably comfortable | <input type="checkbox"/> worried or afraid |
| <input type="checkbox"/> curious | <input type="checkbox"/> reluctant | <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> eager and excited | <input type="checkbox"/> tired and burned out | |

Special Information I want to share with the Shared Ministry Team:

- I am interested in becoming more involved. Notify me of opportunities that fit my gifts.
- I am interested in changing some of my current commitments.
- I prefer a one-time commitment (1 hour to 1 day).
- I prefer a short-term commitment (up to 6 months).
- I prefer a specific, longer term of service (1,2, 3 years).
- I am satisfied with my current involvement at Hope Lutheran Church.
- I am unable to take on additional commitments at this time. Contact me _____ (when).
- I would like to talk with a member of the Shared Ministry Team about my gifts and call.