



THE 5 SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILES

Questionnaire and Profile conclusions

General attributes,
Apostle/Missionary,
Prophet/Preacher,
Evangelist,
Pastor/Teacher

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The Five Special Gifts Profile

Explanation:

General Qualifications (personal maturity attributes), Apostle, Prophet, Evangelist, Pastor/Teacher are the GIFTS.

Using the SCORING SHEET, there are 50 QUESTIONS in this profile. It is designed to help you evaluate if your desires and patterns in life are manifesting the qualifications and characteristics of these five special gifts. Do not worry if the test does not meet your expectation. It may be helpful, but it can not be considered conclusive. You must evaluate yourself carefully, the inward call of God on your life, and the continuing and effective use of the gift, confirming that gift through and by others in your ecclesia.

HERE IS A SAMPLE:

Ticked in **BLUE** is the box that you agree (YES) with the QUESTION. There is a total of 50 QUESTIONS presented across the five tables: GENERAL, APOSTLE/Missionary, PROPHET/Preacher, EVANGELIST, PASTOR/Teacher.

Here are the tables and totals for an example:

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS	
Applies to all four gifted persons	
	1.
✓	6.
	11.
	16.
✓	21.
✓	26.
✓	31.
	36.
	41.
	46.

APOSTLE Missionary	
	2.
✓	7.
✓	12.
	17.
✓	22.
	27.
✓	32.
✓	37.
	42.
	47.

PROPHET PREACHER	
	3.
	8.
	13.
✓	18.
	22.
	23.
	28.
✓	33.
	38.
✓	43.
✓	48.

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EVANGELIST	
✓	4.
✓	9.
✓	14.
✓	19.
✓	24.
	29.
✓	34.
✓	39.
✓	44.
✓	49.

PASTOR TEACHER	
✓	5.
	10.
	15.
✓	20.
	25.
	30.
	35.
	40.
	45.
	50.

For each gift/table, the number of boxes marked under it are totalled up. There are 10 QUESTIONS for each gift. (The marked boxes are all **YES/X/✓** ie the positive affirmations to the questions). To tally, simply mark under the correct total 1-10 for that gift. (You can not have more than 10 for any GIFT.)

For the conclusion, make a vertical line on the SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE Conclusion at the appropriate number (1-10) to indicate your level (marked in blue on the SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE conclusion on next page) for each gift.

These sample affirmations are added to this graph (totalling the number of affirmations per GIFT):

SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE tally

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS				✓						
APOSTLE					✓					
PROPHET - PREACHER				✓						
EVANGELIST									✓	
PASTOR – TEACHER		✓								

SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE conclusion

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GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS										
APOSTLE - MISSIONARY										
PROPHET - PREACHER										
EVANGELIST										
PASTOR – TEACHER										

SPECIAL GIFTS QUESTIONNAIRE

YES	NO	QUESTION
		1. Do you believe God is calling you to a place of leadership?
		2. Have you ever desired to be a missionary?
		3. Do you believe god has given you the ability to be a public speaker?
		4. Do you have a great desire to witness to unbelievers?
		5. Do you enjoy spending time in Bible study?
		6. Have you had a continual desire to be in full-time ministry of the Word of God?
		7. Do you enjoy moving from place to place frequently?
		8. Do you feel capable of speaking in front of large audiences?
		9. Do you enjoy sharing the Gospel with unbelievers more than teaching and training Christians?
		10. Would you rather work in a local church than move to another place with new opportunities?
		11. Do you believe your marriage and family background would be an example for others to follow?
		12. Do you feel gifted in terms of developing leaders for the church?
		13. When you see conditions and situations that are not right, do you desire to be involved in correcting them?
		14. Is witnessing to unbelievers easy for you?
		15. Do you enjoy relationships with people with whom you are not well acquainted?
		16. Would other people who know you well describe you as a patient and kind person?
		17. Have you ever started a ministry for the Lord and watched it grow to the point that others were trained to do what you were doing?
		18. Do you frequently sense a spirit of boldness in wanting to speak God's Word to people and situations where it is needed?
		19. Do you witness more out of a desire than out of responsibility and duty?
		20. Do you like working with people, dealing with their personal problems, burdens, and questions, more than letting others take this responsibility?
		21. Would you describe yourself as a well-disciplined person?
		22. Would you find it easy to go and live in another country or culture?
		23. Have other believers commented that when you speak God's Word to people they feel convicted?
		24. Has anyone ever shared with you that you seem gifted in evangelism?
		25. Would you enjoy having a regular teaching ministry that would involve believers at all levels of maturity?
		26. Would you describe yourself as a person of hospitality, who enjoys having people in your home?
		27. Do you find it relatively easy to endure hardship in the midst of difficult and changing circumstances?
		28. Do you find yourself being aggressive in sharing God's Word with people in need rather than waiting to be asked?
		29. Do you find a greater interest and concern in reaching the unsaved for Christ than in teaching and training believers?
		30. Do you feel a burden to train believers in how to use their spiritual gifts and minister effectively for the Lord?
		<i>(continue to next page)</i>

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YES	NO	QUESTION
		31. Are you a person who is able to live with financial pressure and limited income without emotional stress and a desire to make more money?
		32. Are you presently free from family and financial responsibilities that might keep you from moving to another country or culture?
		33. Are you more inclined toward public speaking than private conversation?
		34. Do you find yourself actively seeking opportunities to witness for Christ?
		35. Are you comfortable spending long hours in research and study of the Bible?
		36. Have you been a Christian for more than three years?
		37. Do you believe you are capable of winning people to Christ and training them to become pastors/shepherds?
		38. Have you had experience in preaching God's Word to groups who were gathered together to hear you speak?
		39. Do you begin each day with an anticipation and desire to share the Gospel with an unbeliever?
		40. Has anyone ever told you that you would make a good pastor or teacher?
		41. Have you had the responsibility of managing a family or a business that other people would say has been successful?
		42. Do you find it easy to meet strangers and get acquainted with them quickly?
		43. Do you frequently become concerned about moral issues in various situations, desiring to speak out against that which is wrong?
		44. Do you have frequent conversations with unbelievers about the Man and work of Jesus Christ?
		45. Do you believe God has given you the ability to work with people and their problems in a positive and loving manner?
		46. Are you convinced that other believers would say you are a gifted leader for the church?
		47. Is it easy for you to turn over responsibilities to others who demonstrate leadership abilities?
		48. Would others describe you as an effective public speaker?
		49. Would you say that you have such a burden for unbelievers to believe that it often controls what you do and say?
		50. Would you enjoy having the responsibility of caring for all the spiritual needs of a group of people?

If you can not or unsure of an answer, leave blank. The "YES" answers are the ones that are tallied for your result, and the conclusion will be near accurate for this period in your life. Thank you for taking the questionnaire! The 5 SPECIAL GIFTS Conclusion SCORING SHEET and the 5 SPECIAL GIFTS Profile are on the following pages for you to complete.

SPECIAL GIFTS SCORING SHEET

When you have finished the questionnaire, complete this page. For each question you marked "YES" on the Questionnaire, indicate the same mark beside the question number on the following 6 tables. DO NOT MAKE ANY MARK FOR "NO" OR BLANK ANSWERS. Make a mark for only those questions which you answered "YES" in the left column.

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SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE

Using the SCORING SHEET on the previous page, you may complete the SPECIAL GIFTS PROFILE tally here. For each of the 5 GIFTS, count the number of boxes you have marked in the previous left columns, and total under 1-10 (1st table below). The marked boxes are all of your “YES” answers to the 50 Questions. Then, make a line on the PROFILE conclusion (2nd table below) also under the applicable number.

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Romans 12:7-17 (NLT)

*7*If your gift is serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, teach well.

*8*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.

*9*Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good.

*10*Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honouring each other.

*11*Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically.

*12*Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble, and keep on praying.

*13*When God's people are in need, be ready to help them. Always be eager to practice hospitality.

*14*Bless those who persecute you. Don't curse them; pray that God will bless them.

*15*Be happy with those who are happy, and weep with those who weep.

*16*Live in harmony with each other. Don't be too proud to enjoy the company of ordinary people. And don't think you know it all!

*17*Never pay back evil with more evil. Do things in such a way that everyone can see you are honourable.