

Understanding Your Shape 了解你的特色

哥林多後書 1:4 我們在一切患難中、他就安慰我們、叫我們能用 神所賜的安慰、去安慰那遭各樣患難的人。

We are effective when we are able to _____ our weaknesses, not just our strengths 當我們能分享神恩如何在我們的軟弱上幫助我們時，就遠勝於我們誇耀自己。

The very experiences that you have resented or regretted most in life – the ones you’ve wanted to hide and forget – are the experiences God wants to use to help others. They are your ministry!

For God to use your painful experiences you must be willing to share them. Stop covering them up. Honestly admit your faults, failures and fears.

People are always more encouraged when we share how God’s grace helped in weakness than when we brag about strengths.

哥林多後書 1: 8-10 弟兄們、我們不要你們不曉得、我們從前在亞西亞遭遇苦難、被壓太重、力不能勝、甚至連活命的指望都絕了。自己心裡也斷定是必死的、叫我們不靠自己、只靠叫死人復活的神。他曾救我們脫離那極大的死亡、現在仍要救我們、並且我們指望他將來還要救我們。

Experience is ___ what happens to you. It is what you ___ with what happens to you. 經歷不是指發生在你身上的事，而是你如何處理發生在你身上的事。

You will be most effective when you use your spiritual _____ and _____ in the area of your _____ desire, and in a way that best expresses your _____ and _____. 當你以最能表達你的個性與經驗的方式，使用你的屬靈恩賜與才能在你感興趣的事上時，你就最有果效。

What God-given ability or personal experience can I offer to my church? 有什麼神賜給我的才能與經驗，可以獻給我教會？

詩篇139:13 我的肺腑是你所造的。我在母腹中、你已覆庇我。

Only you can be you 世上只有一個你

哥林多前書 12:4-6 恩賜原有分別、聖靈卻是一位。

職事也有分別、主卻是一位。功用也有分別、神卻是一位、在眾人裡面運行一切的事。

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SHAPE: Applying your --_____ 運用你的才能

出埃及記 31:3-5 我也以我的靈充滿了他、使他有智慧、有聰明、有知識、能作各樣的工、能想出巧工、用金銀銅製造各物。又能刻寶石、可以鑲嵌。能雕刻木頭、能作各樣的工。

Our abilities come from God 我們所有的才能都是從神而來

羅馬書 12:6 按我們所得的恩賜、各有不同。或說預言、就當照著信心的程度說預言。

_____ one has plenty of abilities 每個人都有很多的才能

Every Ability can be used for God’s _____
每種才能都可以用來榮耀神。

哥林多前書 10:31 所以你們或喫或喝、無論作甚麼、都要為榮耀 神而行。

God has a place in His church where --_____ specialties can
神的家中必有一處地方，可以讓你做出貢獻。
_____ – you can make a difference

哥林多前書 12:6 功用也有分別、 神卻是一位
、在眾人裡面運行一切的事。

申命記 8:18 你要記念耶和華你的 神、因為得貨財
的力量是他給你的、為要堅定他向你列祖起誓所立的
約、像今日一樣。

How do you discover how your ability can give God glory?
怎樣知道你可用你的才能來榮耀神？

- 1) Realize that your ability is God given and give Him _____
for it. 首先明白才能是從神而來，歸功於神。
- 2) Use your ability to serve the needs of _____ and to share
your faith with unbelievers. 使用你的才能去幫助有需要的人
同未信者分享你的信仰。
- 3) Return at least a tithe (___ percent) of the profit to God as
an act of _____. 將至少十分之一歸回給神，以此敬拜神
- 4) Make it your goal to be a _____ Builder, not a _____
builder. 把你的目標定為做一個國度的建造者，而不是財富
的建造者。

What I'm able to do, God _____ me to do. 你的才能正是神要你
去做有力的指標 希伯來書13:21 在各樣善事上、成全你
們、叫你們遵行他的旨意、又藉著耶穌基督在你們心
裡行他所喜悅的事。願榮耀歸給他、直到永永遠遠。

Examine what you are _____ at doing
要檢查自己做得好與不好的事

彼得前書 4:10 各人要照所得的恩賜彼此服事、作
神百般恩賜的好管家。

SHAPE: Using Your _____ 善用你的個性

God has created us with a unique combination of personality
traits. 祂創造我們時，賜給我們獨特的個性

There are __ right or wrong personality traits for ministry.

從事工角度來看，性情沒有對或錯

God made you to be ____ 神造你作你自己

Serving in the manner consistent with God's shaping of
us, including our personalities will really give us _____,
satisfaction and _____.

SHAPE: Employing Your _____ 善用你的經歷

羅馬書 8:28-29 我們曉得萬事都互相效力、叫愛 神的
人得益處、就是按他旨意被召的人。因為他預先所知道
的人、就預先定下效法他兒子的模樣使他兒子在許
多弟兄中作長子。

Examine at least six kinds of experiences from your past:
你應該至少察驗以下六項過往的經歷：

- 1) _____ experiences: What did you learn growing up in
your family? 家庭經歷
- 2) _____ experiences: What were your favorite
subjects in school? 教育經歷
- 3) _____ experiences: What jobs have you been
most effective in and enjoyed most? 工作經歷
- 4) _____ experiences: What have been your most
meaningful times with God? 屬靈經歷
- 5) _____ experiences: How have you served God in
the past? 事奉經歷
- 6) _____ experiences: What problems, hurts, thorns,
and trials have you learned from? 痛苦經歷

God _____ wastes a hurt! 祂從不浪費痛苦的經歷

The greatest ministry you will have will most likely come
from your greatest _____.

God intentionally allows you to go through painful
experiences to _____ you for ministry to others.

