Gift Details

A quick look at what each Primary Motivational Gift means.

1. Prophecy

They often make quick judgments about what they see and hear. They often sense someone who is not who they appear to be. They are alert to dishonesty and desire justice and have a loyalty to truth even if it means cutting off relationships.

2. Serving

They have the gift of "helps," and often serve on committees, to see and meet practical needs. they focus on completing tasks rather than impressing others. They often find it difficult to say "No." They generally prefer short term projects.

3. Teaching

The ability to impart knowledge and information helping others to trust & obey. They can make real the doctrines of the church and present truth systematically as they gather many facts. They require thoroughness and are uneasy with subjective truth.

4. Exhortation (Encouraging)

They"weep with those who weep"and urge others to help make spiritual growth practical. They are quick to discern spiritual maturity in others. They are motivated to learn cause and effect sequences and help others see and act upon logical reasoning.

5. Giving

They give with simplicity and are able to recognize available resources and draw on them when needed. They need reassurance that decisions are in God's will and knows that future reward is better than present praise. They help others to give.

6. Leadership

Working together to solve problems is important to them. They are good at keeping the body focused on the Kingdom and are able to delegate and visualize final results. They work best with people that are reliable, that they can count on.

7. Mercy

They reach out to the undeserving and neglected, inside and outside the church. Enjoy close friendships and sense when individuals are hurting… to share the pain with them. Loyal to friends and are drawn to people going through distress.