

A DIAGNOSTIC TOOL TO HELP YOU DEFINE YOUR CORE PASSIONS

- God has placed certain passions within you, that when you do them, they keep you energized.
- These are indicators of the main expression of your ministry calling.

1. Initial Questions About Our Passions

- What activities energize you when you do them, or even think of doing them?
- What activities give you great enjoyment, when you do them?
- What activities pull out the greatest creativity in you?
- What activities cause you the greatest satisfaction, when you do them?
- What activities do you desire to do, even if aren't paid to do them?

2. Our Passions Drive Us To Action

- To fulfill our purpose, we need passion to act, and passion to persevere. Our God-given passions move us to act, and energize us as we act.

3. Instructions:

- a) Action words are verbs.
- b) From the verb table, select the seven verbs from this list which most excite and inspire you.
- c) Which are the most meaningful and purposeful for you, and which really energize you.
- d) Write them on the back of the page.
- e) If you want a verb that isn't in this list, feel free to add it.
- f) Note: Remember to read each of these words as a verb, not as a noun.
- g) Then, after you have chosen 7, try to reduce them down to the three verbs that most excite you when you read them.

WHAT ARE MY CORE PASSIONS?

Activate	Advance	Affirm	Alleviate	Amaze	Anchor
Appreciate	Arrange	Believe	Bless	Brighten	Build
Call	Cause	Challenge	Champion	Circulate	Claim
Collect	Combine	Compel	Complete	Compose	Communicate
Conceive	Confirm	Contact	Counsel	Create	Defend
Delight	Deliver	Demonstrate	Develop	Devise	Direct
Discover	Distribute	Drive	Educate	Embody	Embrace
Empower	Encourage	Engage	Engineer	Enhance	Enlighten
Enlist	Enliven	Entertain	Envision	Equip	Evaluate
Excite	Explore	Express	Extend	Facilitate	Finance
Foster	Further	Gather	Give	Grant	Heal
Help	Hold	Host	Identify	Ignite	Illuminate
Immerse	Impart	Implement	Improve	Improvise	Increase
Inspire	Integrate	Involve	Keep	Know	Labour
Launch	Lead	Master	Mature	Measure	Model
Mould	Motivate	Move	Nurture	Open	Organize
Perform	Persuade	Possess	Prepare	Present	Produce
Progress	Promote	Provide	Radiate	Reach	Realize
Reclaim	Reduce	Refine	Reflect	Reform	Relate
Release	Renew	Resonate	Restore	Return	Reveal
Revise	Revive	Safeguard	Satisfy	Save	Serve
Shake-Up	Share	Speak	Stand	Strengthen	Summon
Support	Sustain	Take	Tap	Teach	Team
Touch	Train	Transform	Translate	Understan	Uphold
Unite	Utilize	Validate	Value	Venture	Verbalize
Work	Worship	Write	Yield		

DISCOVERING MY CORE PASSIONS

Seven Action Verbs That "Grab You"

**3 Key Action Verbs
Most Like You**
(Your three most
meaningful, purposeful,
exciting verbs).



Write a sentence or two about what each of the three key verbs mean to you.

1. _____:

2. _____:

3. _____:
