

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP REFLECTIONS

PERSONAL REFLECTION GUIDE

Discerning Your Call

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Reflection Questions

1. Have you experienced a specific call from God? If so, what is it? Relive the experience of discerning your call and explore again how you can fulfill it. If you haven't experienced a personal call, what does the corporate call to follow Jesus require of you?
2. Have you had times in your life when God seemed silent? How did you handle that time of waiting for him to initiate change? What was the result? How did it affect your trust in God?
3. Our society sometimes values challenges over ease, but the things that come easiest to you are your God-given gifts. How can you develop your gifts rather than devalue them?
4. Heavy reliance on God is needed when he calls you to do something outside of your comfort zone. Have you had that sort of experience? What effect did it have on your personal spiritual growth?
5. Think about the difference between being called to do frontline ministry and being called to fill support functions in a ministry. What biblical metaphor is helpful to see how the different roles relate to each other and that all are important? Where do your skills and gifts lie?
6. Having your call corroborated by other mature believers is central to discerning your call. Consider who those people are in your life and invite them to be part of your discernment process.

You may also be interested in the series [Hearing God Speak](#).