

Service Profile: “Who are you?”

Welcome! We hope this profile will be **helpful** to you! It is quick and easy to complete!

How can you use this profile?

- Identify your own skills, talents and strengths and how you might best serve the living God.
- Identify other people’s skills, talents and strengths and how they might best serve.
- Use it a companion as you discern your spiritual gifts.
- Use it to research and recruit other people with the appropriate mix of interests or skills.
- Use it in get-to-know-you conversations as an outline and guide.
- Discern the Lord’s call to service.
- Match qualified candidates with appropriate service opportunities (like a resumé).
- Use it as a companion to other inventories, profiles or sign-up lists.
- Replace “time and talent” sheets, task-oriented sign-up sheets or surveys that need to be revised and repeated over and over when there is turnover or as tasks and/or people’s desires change.

Some benefits of this profile: One great benefit of this profile is that a person’s skills, talents, strengths, etc. will not change appreciably over time or as circumstances change; therefore, the service profile will not need to be repeated over and over, saving time and energy. Also with the purchase of a photocopying license, **the next two pages can be photocopied back to back on one sheet over and over.** A few additional notes:

1. **Understand how you and others are called to use these talents and skills!** We recommend these resources available on the Call Inc. website: www.callinc.org.
 - **Custom Designed Reflection Guide: *Ordinary People Hearing God’s Call***
 - **Custom Designed: *A Life Worthy of the Call***
2. **Individuals** may download a **FREE** sample of this service profile at www.callinc.org.
3. **Congregations, organizations or individuals** may purchase a **photocopying license** for making **unlimited copies** of this service profile at www.callinc.org for a small fee. After completion of the profile, people can be assisted to meaningfully employ their talents, skills and strengths in order to serve!

The living God custom designs, calls and empowers each of us with His Holy Spirit, power, gifts and talents in order to transform the world! **Press on!**

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Name: _____ Phone _____ Email _____ Date _____

Who are you? Help us get to know you!

What are your strengths, interests and gifts? What do you enjoy doing?

This is ***not*** a sign-up sheet or commitment to serve, but a profile indicating how you might serve best.

Performing Skills

<input type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking	<input type="checkbox"/> Dramatics: Speaking/Reading	<input type="checkbox"/> Pantomime	<input type="checkbox"/> Puppeteer	<input type="checkbox"/> Leading Games
<input type="checkbox"/> Presentations	<input type="checkbox"/> Skits/Plays	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance	<input type="checkbox"/> Parish Choir	<input type="checkbox"/> Sing solos/duets
<input type="checkbox"/> Comedy	<input type="checkbox"/> Handbells	<input type="checkbox"/> Play Instrument Specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Small Group Singing	<input type="checkbox"/> Spontaneity
<input type="checkbox"/> Compose Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Preaching	<input type="checkbox"/> Signing for deaf	<input type="checkbox"/> Lecturing	Other: Specify

Artistic & Creative Skills

<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing	<input type="checkbox"/> Scrapbooks	<input type="checkbox"/> Crocheting	<input type="checkbox"/> Posters/Charts	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Crafts
<input type="checkbox"/> Painting	<input type="checkbox"/> Knitting	<input type="checkbox"/> Photography	<input type="checkbox"/> Interior Design	<input type="checkbox"/> Creating or Innovating
<input type="checkbox"/> Woodworking	<input type="checkbox"/> Sewing	<input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> Decorating	<input type="checkbox"/> Web Design
<input type="checkbox"/> Displays	<input type="checkbox"/> Weaving or Banners	<input type="checkbox"/> Making Videos	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Crafts	Other: Specify

Practical & Manual Skills

<input type="checkbox"/> Masonry	<input type="checkbox"/> Electrical Skills	<input type="checkbox"/> Mechanical	<input type="checkbox"/> Plumbing	<input type="checkbox"/> Small Engine Repair
<input type="checkbox"/> Maintenance	<input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry	<input type="checkbox"/> Gardening	<input type="checkbox"/> Cooking	<input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning
<input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping	<input type="checkbox"/> Painting	<input type="checkbox"/> Heating/AC	<input type="checkbox"/> Organize Meals	Other: Specify
<input type="checkbox"/> Cabinet Making	<input type="checkbox"/> Wallpapering	<input type="checkbox"/> Inventing	<input type="checkbox"/> Cook in Large Quantities	Other: Specify
<input type="checkbox"/> Lawn Mowing	<input type="checkbox"/> Trimming	<input type="checkbox"/> Data Base Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Web Page Management	Other: Specify

Administrative & Leadership Skills

<input type="checkbox"/> Data Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Editing/Proofing	<input type="checkbox"/> Run Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/> Set Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/> Reporting
<input type="checkbox"/> Telephoning	<input type="checkbox"/> Budgeting	<input type="checkbox"/> Making Policy	<input type="checkbox"/> Supervising	<input type="checkbox"/> Record Keeping
<input type="checkbox"/> Library Skills	<input type="checkbox"/> Administrating	<input type="checkbox"/> Coordinating	<input type="checkbox"/> General Office	<input type="checkbox"/> Financial
<input type="checkbox"/> Filing	<input type="checkbox"/> Planning	<input type="checkbox"/> Organization	<input type="checkbox"/> Receptionist	<input type="checkbox"/> Bookkeeping

Please **DO NOT FORGET** to complete the **SECOND PAGE** on the **REVERSE SIDE**.

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Writing Skills

___ Informational or Newsletter Articles	___ Devotions	___ Essays/Stories	___ Drama	___ Poetry
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Outreach Skills

___ Marketing or Promoting	___ Human Relations	___ Cultural Trends	___ Research or Demographics	___ Fundraising
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People Skills

___ Welcoming	___ Teaching	___ Team Building	___ Recruiting	___ Mediating
___ Talking with Visitors	___ Tutoring	___ Motivating or Inspiring	___ Working with Groups	___ Solving Conflicts
___ Listening	___ Training	___ Speak a Foreign Language	___ Trouble Shooting	Other: Specify

List **other skills/talents** that you have:

In the last several years, **how have you served** (the church or other volunteer work)? **Be specific!** List **activities, tasks, events or opportunities**. Then, **rate** each one of these tasks or activities **on the following scale:** (1 – strongly dislike; 2 – dislike; 3 – acceptable; 4 – liked; 5 – loved).

I enjoy working with these **age groups** (indicate preferences): ___ No Preference
 ___ Preschool ___ Lower Elementary ___ Upper Elementary ___ Junior Youth
 ___ Senior Youth ___ Young Adults/College Age ___ Adults ___ Seniors

My Occupation: _____ **My Hobbies & Special Interests (list below):**

- ___ I would like help discovering my spiritual gifts.
- ___ I would like to explore with someone how my talents, abilities, skills and spiritual gifts may be uniquely used to serve in my family, work, community, church gathering or world.

Other Comments (e.g., service activities that you *desire to do* and also *prefer not to do*, description of your spiritual gifts and/or your call)

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