



YOU ASKED FOR IT

Part 6 – Finding My Purpose
November 6, 2016

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2 Questions to Help Us Find Our Purpose

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 - Passion – The great _____
 - Passion sets us apart from _____

2. What are my _____?

When you find your gift, you will...

- Be _____ at it.
- Have an _____ to use it.
- Be _____ by it.
- Have _____ to develop it.

How Do We Lose Ourselves?

- √ Give your purpose to something _____ than you.
- When you are bigger than your purpose, you have a _____.
 - When your purpose is bigger than you, you have a _____.
 - Success is when I add value to _____.
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1. What am I passionate about?
 - Passion – The great energizer
 - Passion sets us apart from others.
2. What are my gifts?

When you find your gift, you will...

- Be good at it.
- Have an opportunity to use it.
- Be energized by it.
- Have capacity to develop it.

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- √ Give your purpose to something bigger than you.

- When you are bigger than your purpose, you have a career.
- When your purpose is bigger than you, you have a calling.
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