



I am Destined

Spiritual Gifts Activity Download

Instructions

This simulation is based on Romans 12:6-8. Read through the instructions and print out page 2 in advance. Also, it is important to plan how you will arrange the obstacle course so that you can have the necessary items to complete.

- One participant will be blind folded and guided through an obstacle course. Ideally this should involve climbing over and/or under tables, walking over a bridge (a row of chairs) or any other creative obstacle that doesn't endanger their life!
- The other 7 participants are assigned one of the seven gifts mentioned in Romans 12. The seven gifts are:
 - prophecy,
 - teaching,
 - serving,
 - showing mercy,
 - leading,
 - encouraging and
 - giving.
- Give each participant time to plan how they will be involved in guiding the blind folded person. Then let them meet together and discuss how they will work together to get the person through the obstacle course. Help them decide who should do what and when
- Applications can be drawn from this exercise about using our gifts and working together as united body. Everyone is needed!

You have the gift of PROHPECY

Begins by warning of danger if a wrong turn is taken.

You have the gift of TEACHING

Instructs the Server how to guide the person using their arm

You have the gift of SERVING

Help the Blindfolded person by letting them hold on to your arm as you follow the instructions of the teacher

You have the gift of SHOWING MERCY

Looks for the fall to assist when needed—staying close by the Server and Blindfolded person at all times.

You have the gift of ENCOURAGING

Throughout the activity, offer words of encouragement to everyone helping.

You have the gift of GIVING

Provides resources that will help through the obstacle.

You have the gift of LEADING

Ensure that everyone knows what they are doing prior to starting and afterwards bring everyone together to listen to their opinions on the activity.

You are Blindfolded