**You Asked For it** (Graphic)

Discovering God’s plan for your life.

You need to know **why** your chasing **what** your chasing.

Everyone needs a sense of purpose **bigger** than just more money, a nicer house, or the recognition of others.

True happiness is found in **purpose**.

Your **design** reveals your **destiny**.

**D:** Dominance, directness (task oriented, decisive, organized, outgoing, outspoken).

**I:** Influence, Interest in people (witty, easygoing, outgoing, people oriented).

**S:** Steadiness, stability (analytical, people oriented, introverted).

**C:** Compliant, competence (task oriented, goal oriented, introverted).

1. God **gave me** my gifts.
2. God **determined** my gifts.
3. God has **purpose** for my gifts.

**Your purpose can also be found in one of these three things:**

1. Your **gifts** and **passions**.

(Romans 12:6-8)

“We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us. If your gift is prophesying, then prophesy in accordance with your faith; if it is serving, then serve; if it is teaching, then teach; if it is to encourage, then give encouragement; if it is giving, then give generously; if it is to lead, do it diligently; if it is to show mercy, do it cheerfully.”

1. Your **life** **experience**.

(Romans 12:1)

“Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God’s mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.”

1. Your **pain**.

(2 Corinthians 1:3-4)

“Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God.”

No matter what you discover your divine purpose to **be we are all called to be a reflection of God to the world around us**.

(1 Peter 2:9)

“But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.”

We are all called to be **ministers**.