

MODULE 2 | DISCOVER

How God Has Shaped You

BIG IDEA

God is at work in who you are, how He has gifted you, and where you are in your journey with Him.

BEGIN WITH JESUS

In Module 1 we began with the source of our life: Jesus. That matters here. We are not using assessments to tell us who we are at the deepest level. Our identity is in Christ. These tools simply help us notice patterns that may help us understand ourselves and pay attention to what God is doing.

A PROFILE CAN HELP DESCRIBE YOU. IT DOES NOT DEFINE YOU.

Your assessment results are clues for reflection and discernment—not labels, grades, or boxes.

Three questions for this module

DISC — How am I wired?

GIFT — How might God work through me?

PATH — Where am I in my journey with Jesus?

1. DISC — HOW AM I WIRED?

DISC helps us notice natural patterns in how we approach people, problems, decisions, pace, and details. We all have all four tendencies to some degree. Usually one or two are more prominent.

D	Dominant	Tends toward action, challenge, decisions, and results.
I	Influencing	Tends toward people, enthusiasm, communication, and connection.
S	Steady	Tends toward support, consistency, patience, and cooperation.
C	Compliant	Tends toward accuracy, quality, thoughtfulness, and standards.

THE COMBINATION MATTERS

Your primary pattern tells only part of the story. Your secondary pattern adds important texture. Two people with the same primary letter can look quite different because of their combination.

My primary DISC pattern:

My secondary DISC pattern:

DISC — PERSONAL REFLECTION

Something this helps me understand about myself:

A strength I want Jesus to use:

A growth area I want Jesus to continue forming:

2. GIFT — HOW MIGHT GOD WORK THROUGH ME?

The GIFT acronym names four broad movements—Guide, Inspire, Foster, Transform. The profile names help describe how those movements may show up in a person’s Kingdom impact. These are larger patterns that can help us notice how spiritual gifts may work together.

G	GUIDE Wisdom Cultivator	Helps others understand truth, grow in wisdom, and follow God’s direction.
I	INSPIRE Faith Catalyst	Awakens faith, encourages hope, and helps others move forward with confidence.
F	FOSTER Community Nurturer	Cares for people, builds relationships, and creates environments where others can belong and flourish.
T	TRANSFORM Kingdom Architect	Builds, organizes, and mobilizes people and resources for God’s purposes.

LOOK FOR PATTERNS, NOT A LABEL

Your primary and secondary GIFT profiles can work together. The goal is not to declare, “This is all I can do.” The goal is to notice where God may already be working through you and what might be worth exploring.

GIFT — PERSONAL REFLECTION

My primary GIFT profile:

My secondary GIFT profile:

Something in this result that sounds like me:

Something that surprised me:

A way I have already seen God use me to help someone:

Something I would like an opportunity to explore:

3. PATH — WHERE AM I IN MY JOURNEY?

The PATH acronym describes four movements or seasons in spiritual growth—Pursue, Abide, Transform, Harvest. The profile names help us recognize what those seasons may look like in a person’s present journey with Jesus.

P	PURSUE Awakening Disciple	God is awakening spiritual hunger, curiosity, and a desire for deeper life with Him.
A	ABIDE Rooted Disciple	God is inviting deeper rootedness through prayer, Scripture, and steady rhythms of grace.
T	TRANSFORM Responsive Follower	God is reshaping priorities, patterns, relationships, direction, or calling.
H	HARVEST Fruitful Servant	God is expanding opportunities to serve, encourage, lead, mentor, and invest in others.

PATH DESCRIBES A SEASON, NOT A SPIRITUAL RANK.

Pursue, Abide, Transform, and Harvest are not four levels of Christians. God may lead us through these kinds of seasons more than once, and characteristics of more than one season may be present at the same time.

My primary PATH profile:

My secondary PATH profile:

What feels accurate about this description?

Where do I sense God working in me right now?

What might Jesus be inviting me toward next?

PUTTING THE THREE TOGETHER

Assessment becomes most useful when we move from individual scores toward discernment. Look across all three results and notice what seems to connect.

DISC — HOW I AM WIRED: I tend to...

GIFT — HOW GOD MAY WORK THROUGH ME: I seem to come alive when...

PATH — WHERE I AM RIGHT NOW: In this season, God seems to be...

What do I notice when I put these three together?

YOU DO NOT HAVE TO FIGURE YOURSELF OUT TONIGHT.

We are collecting clues. Some things become clearer only as we follow Jesus, practice, serve, relate to others, receive feedback, and try things.

SCRIPTURE TO CARRY WITH YOU

1 Corinthians 12:4–7 reminds us that there are different gifts but the same Spirit, and that what God gives is intended for the common good.

Ephesians 2:10 reminds us that we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for good works He has prepared for us.

One discovery I want to carry from Module 2:

BEFORE MODULE 3

Module 3 is PRACTICE: Growing in Life with Jesus. We will move from asking who God has shaped us to be and where we are right now to asking how we are learning to live with Jesus in this season.

THE CONNECTION

PATH helped you consider where you are. Christian Practices will help you explore practices that may be particularly helpful in this season.

Before we meet again

Complete the Christian Practices recommendation/assessment. Bring your result with you, along with any questions or reactions it raises. We will use it as a starting point for choosing a practice to try—not as another label to collect.

CHRISTIAN PRACTICES

Explore the Christian Practices and receive a personalized recommendation.

<https://towerofpraise.net/explore-the-christian-practices/>

My initial reaction to the recommendation:

A question I want to bring to Module 3:

REMEMBER

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