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Use 將

Natural Abilities

自然能力

for God's Purposes

用於上帝的目的

Do What You were Made to Do

做你被設計要做的事

You are not an accident
你不是偶然被創造出來的
You were made on purpose
你是有目的地被創造出來的

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做你被設計要做的事

When you do, you fly! Your Soar!

當你這樣做時，你會飛！ 你會翱翔！

What were you made to do?

你是做什麼的

In the way God designed you! ?

按照上帝設計你的方式！

One-of-a-kind masterpiece

獨一無二的傑作



Ephesians 2:10

For we are God's
workmanship, created in
Christ Jesus to do good
works, which God prepared
in advance for us to do

以弗所書 2:10

我們原是他的工作，在基督耶穌裡造成的，為要叫我們行善，就是神所預備叫我們行的。

Greek 希臘語

Poiema

English: "Poem"

= a work of art, a masterpiece

英語： "詩"

= 一件藝術品，一部傑作



Our bodies are shaped differently, and inside all these interesting shapes are a wide variety of natural abilities.

我們的身體外形各不相同，
並且在所有這些有趣的外形
中都有各種各樣的自然能力。



Natural Abilities

天生能力

Examples: 例如

- Athletic ability 運動能力
- Musical ability 音樂能力
- People skills 人際交往能力
- Mechanical ability 機械能力

We're all different
我們都不同

We're all good at some and
not so good at others
我們都擅長某些能力
而其他方面則不那麼擅長



Story of An Animal School

動物學校的故事



God has designed every creature with certain
abilities to excel in certain area

上帝設計每個生物時，
都使其具有某些能力並在某些領域表現出色

When we try to force someone to do something
they are not gifted for...

→ guilt and frustration, mediocrity and failure

當我們試圖強迫某人做某事時，
而他們無能為力時.....

→ 內與挫折，平庸與失敗

01

Theology of
Natural Abilities
自然能力的神學



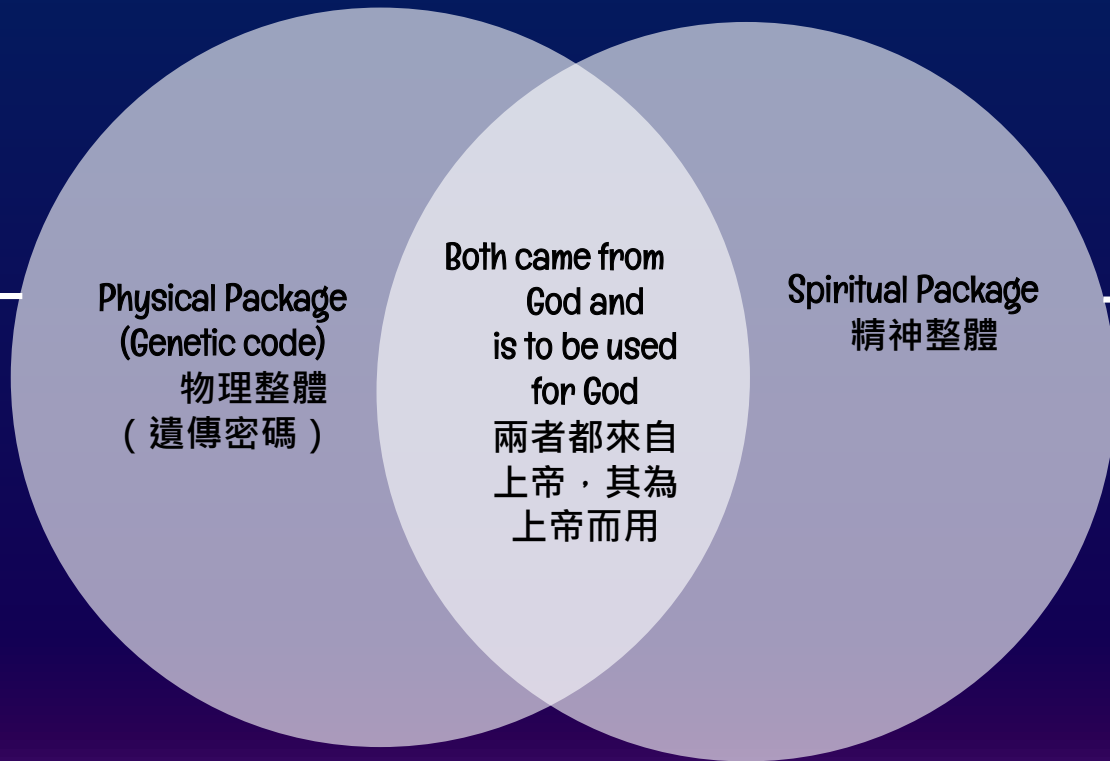
Natural Abilities
自然能力

Physical Package
(Genetic code)
物理整體
(遺傳密碼)

Both came from
God and
is to be used
for God
兩者都來自
上帝，其為
上帝而用

Spiritual Package
精神整體

Spiritual Gifts
屬靈恩賜



A. Every Ability is given by God
一切能力都是上帝賜予的



B. Every Ability can be used for God
一切能力都可以為上帝使用



C. God matches your abilities
and life purpose
上帝令你的能力
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D. Use it or Lose it
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Exodus 31:1-6

Then the LORD said to Moses, ²“See, I have chosen Bezalel son of Uri, the son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah, ³and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, with skill, ability and knowledge in all kinds of crafts — ⁴to make artistic designs for work in gold, silver and bronze, ⁵to cut and set stones, to work in wood, and to engage in all kinds of crafts. ⁶Moreover, I have appointed Oholiab son of Ahisamak, of the tribe of Dan, to help him. Also I have given ability to all the craftsmen to make everything I have commanded you:

出埃及記 31:1-6

耶和華曉諭摩西說： ²「看哪，猶大支派中，戶珥的孫子、烏利的兒子比撒列，我已經提他的名召他。 ³我也以我的靈充滿了他，使他有智慧，有聰明，有知識，能做各樣的工， ⁴能想出巧工，用金、銀、銅製造各物， ⁵又能刻寶石，可以鑲嵌，能雕刻木頭，能做各樣的工。 ⁶我分派但支派中亞希撒抹的兒子亞何利亞伯與他同工。凡心裡有智慧的，我更使他們有智慧，能做我一切所吩咐的，

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Exodus 36:1-2

So Bezalel, Oholiab and every skilled person to whom **the LORD has given skill and ability** to know how to carry out all the work of constructing the sanctuary are to do the work just as the LORD has commanded. Then Moses summoned Bezalel and Oholiab and every skilled person to whom **the LORD had given ability** and who was willing to come and do the work.

出埃及記 36:1-2

「比撒列和亞何利亞伯，並一切心裡有智慧的，就是蒙耶和華賜智慧、聰明，叫他知道做聖所各樣使用之工的，都要照耶和華所吩咐的做工。」
凡耶和華賜他心裡有智慧，而且受感前來做這工的，摩西把他們和比撒列並亞何利亞伯一同召來。

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Deuteronomy 8:18

But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you the ability to produce wealth, and so confirms his covenant, which he swore to your ancestors, as it is today.

申命記 8:18

你要記念耶和華你的神，因為得貨財的力量是他給你的，為要堅定他向你列祖起誓所立的約，像今日一樣。

Whatever natural abilities you have
were given to you by God who
designed and created for a purpose
任何自然能力都是上帝為您設計
和創造的

B. Every Ability can be used for God
一切能力都可以為上帝使用

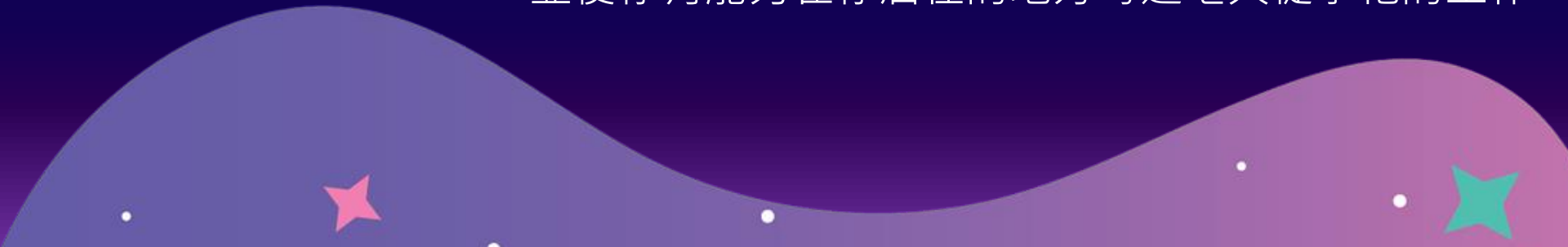


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God didn't waste any abilities on you
上帝沒有在你身上浪費任何能力

You are God's agent in the world, and He has strategically placed you and equipped you to do His work seven days a week where you live
你是上帝在這世界的代理，祂策略性地安排了你，
並使你有能力在你居住的地方每週七天從事祂的工作



Proverbs 16:3

Commit to
the LORD **whatever
you do**,
and he will
establish your plans.

1 Corinthians 10:31

So whether you eat
or drink or **whatever
you do**, do it all for
the glory of God.

Colossians 3:17

And **whatever you
do**, whether in word or
deed, do it all in the
name of the Lord Jesus,
giving thanks to God
the Father through
him.

Colossians 3:23

Whatever you do,
work at it with all
your heart, as
working for the Lord,
not for human
masters,

箴言 16:3

你所做的要交託耶和
華，你所謀的就必成
立。

哥林多前書 10:31

所以，你們或吃或喝，
無論做什麼，都要為
榮耀神而行。

歌羅西書 3:17

無論做什麼，或說話或
行事，都要奉主耶穌的
名，藉著他感謝父神。

歌羅西書 3:23

無論做什麼，都要從
心裡做，像是給主做
的，不是給人做的。

Ability has a purpose
能力是有目的



Whatever you do, commit it to the Lord,
do it for the glory of God, do it in the name of Jesus, do it for the Lord.

Whatever you do, do it with all your heart for the Lord

無論你做什麼，都要將它交託給神，
為神的榮耀而做，以耶穌的名義做，為主而做。

無論你做什麼，都要全心全意為耶和華做。

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Hebrews 13:21

equip you with everything good for
doing his will, and may he work in
us what is pleasing to him, through
Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for
ever and ever. Amen.

希伯來書 13:21

在各樣善事上成全你們，叫你
們遵行他的旨意，又藉著耶穌基
督在你們心裡行他所喜悅的事。
願榮耀歸給他，直到永永遠遠！
阿們。

When He wants us to do something, **He empowers us to do it.**
當他希望我們做某事時，**祂授權我們去做。**

The more you know what God gave you, the
better you'll be able to serve him and live out
god's dream for you.

你越了解上帝給你的東西，你就越能夠侍
奉祂，實現上帝對你的夢想。



D. Use it or Lose it
使用它或失去它



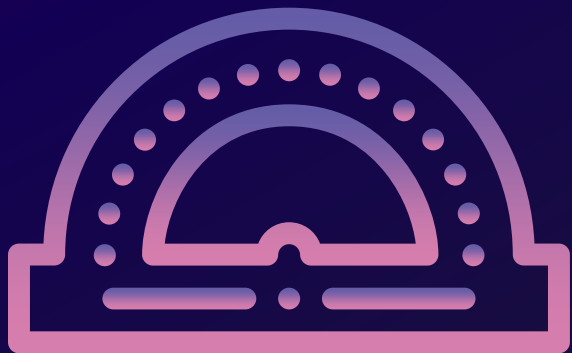
Matthew 25:28

“So take the bag of gold from him
and give it to the one who has ten
bags.

馬太福音 25:28

奪過他這一千來，給那有一萬的！

Don't bury your talents! Don't waste your abilities
不要掩蓋自己的才華！ 不要浪費你的能力



Universal Law 宇宙法則

God has given each of you natural abilities, but if you don't use them, you'll lose them!

上帝賦予了你們每個人自然的能力，但是如果您不使用它們，你就會失去它們！

02

How to make the
most of your
natural abilities
如何充分利用你的
自然能力





A. Assess your abilities
評估你的能力



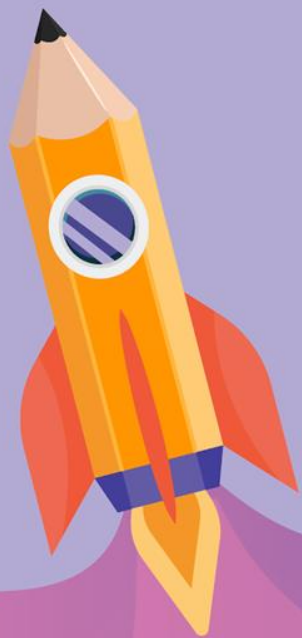
B. Dedicate your abilities
竭盡所能



C. Sharpen your abilities
增強你的能力



D. Use your abilities
利用你的能力



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Romans 12:3

For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with **sober judgment**, in accordance with the faith God has distributed to each of you.

羅馬書 12:3

我憑著所賜我的恩對你們各人說：不要看自己過於所當看的，要照著神所分給各人信心的大小，看得**合乎中道**。



Take Inventory 盤點

1

list of all the things you like
to do and are good at
列出你喜歡做且擅長的所有事情的清單

Evaluate Your Experience 評估你的經驗

2

List all the things you
already been successful
or already do well
評估你已經成功或已經做很好的所有事情

Ask for feedback 尋求反饋

3

if you're good at something,
others will notice it. You
wouldn't notice because they
come so naturally to you
如果你擅長某些事，其他人會注意到。您很難會注意到，因為它們對你來說很自然

Experiment 實驗

4

when you try different things,
you may discover that you
are good at something and
never knew it because you
had never tried. **TRY!**
當你嘗試不同的事物時，
你可能會發現自己擅長某件事，卻從未聽說過，因為您從未嘗試過。 **嘗試！**

Assess Your abilities.

Know Yourself

評估你的能力
認識你自己

But the reason why so
few of us know what
we're good at is that it
comes so easy

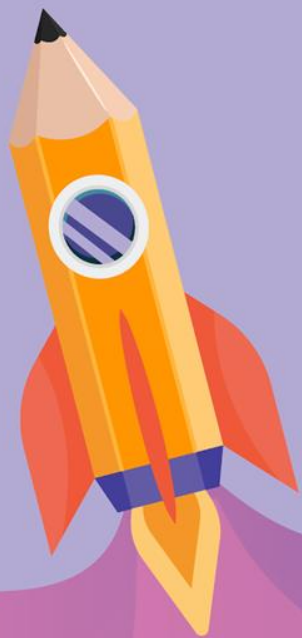
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原因是它對我們來說
太簡單



Peter Drucker



Bill Moyers



B. Dedicate your abilities

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When you know you have an ability, dedicate it to God. You can use Your abilities for the right purpose or the wrong purpose

當你知道自己有能力時，將其奉獻給上帝。
你可以將自己的能力用於正確的目的或錯誤的目的。

God gave you those abilities:

Now you need to give them back. Dedicate them to God and His purposes. Use them for what He intended

上帝賜給你這些能力：

現在您需要把它們還給神。奉獻給上帝和祂的目的。
用它們來實現祂的意圖

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.

羅馬書 12:1

所以弟兄們，我以神的慈悲勸你們，將身體獻上，當做活祭，是聖潔的，是神所喜悅的，你們如此侍奉乃是理所當然的。



Michael W. Smith

Worship is a 24/7 deal – “Up and Out”

敬拜是一直不休的交易- “向上和向外”

Apostle Paul 使徒保羅

Real worship is offering ourselves to God as living sacrifices. It's dedicating our lives, our time, our gifts and abilities, our money, all that we have and are, to God.

真正的敬拜是將自己獻給上帝，作為活祭。它把我們的生活，我們的時間，我們的天賦和才能，我們的金錢，我們擁有的一切和所有的奉獻給上帝。

Problem 問題

They keep crawling off the altar

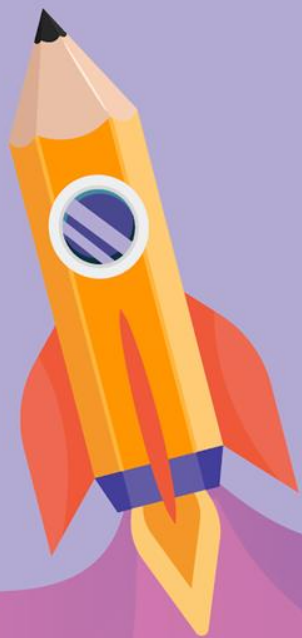
他們不斷爬上祭壇

→ We have to do it again...everyday... sometimes multiple times a day
我們必須每天再次敬拜，有時一天多次

God, here is my life.
Here are my abilities.
Do what you want with me.
Direct me, use me for your purposes.
I give myself to You

神阿，這是我的生命。
這是我的能力。
跟我一起做祢想做的。
指導我，將我用於祢的目的。我把我自己獻給祢。





C. Sharpen your abilities
增強你的能力

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Natural abilities get better with practice and use
通過實踐和使用，自然能力會變得更好

Experience sharpens skills

體驗提高技能



1 Chronicles 25:7

Along with their relatives—all of them trained and skilled in music for the LORD—they numbered 288.

歷代志上 25:7

他們和他們的弟兄學習頌讚耶和華，善於歌唱的共有二百八十八人。

Ecclesiastes 10:10

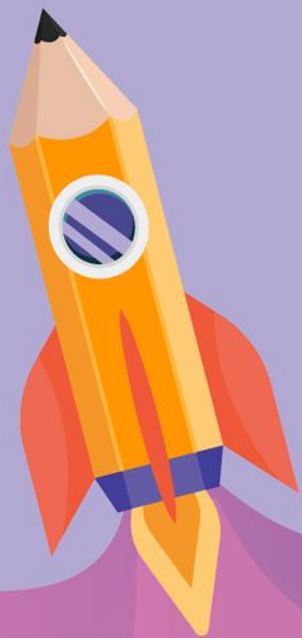
If the ax is dull and its edge unsharpened, more strength is needed, but skill will bring success

傳道書 10:10

鐵器鈍了，若不將刃磨快，就必多費氣力，但得智慧指教便有益處。

Do the hard work. Practice, Train,
Take lessons. Get better!
Sharpened skills will bring success
努力工作。實踐、培養、
上課。改善！
熟練的技巧將帶來成功





D. Use your abilities
利用你的能力

1 Peter 4:10

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.

彼得前書 4:10

各人要照所得的恩賜彼此服侍，做神百般恩賜的好管家。

Whatever God has given you, use it to serve others. Manage what
God has given you faithfully, as a trust

上帝賜給你的一切，都要用它來服務他人。管理上帝忠實賜
給你的一切，作為一種信任

Take what God has given you and use it faithfully
– be a trustworthy manager of God's gifts and abilities

接受上帝賜給你的東西，並忠實地使用它
– 成為上帝天賦和能力的可信賴管理者

God has given me my value. I need not attempt to imitate others. I will
accept and celebrate my God-given differences

上帝給了我我的價值。我不必嘗試模仿別人。我會接受並
慶祝神賜予的差異



Though I may not be the best at what I do, I do know that “no one in the universe can reach the quality of my combination of talent, ideas, abilities and feelings.” I do know that I am using the talents God gave me on a daily basis as I assist in the care of His people

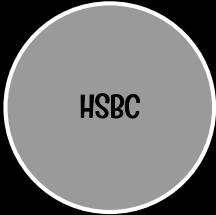
儘管我做的事情可能不是最好的，但我確實知道“宇宙中沒有人能達到我的才能，思想，能力和感覺的綜合素質。”我確實知道我每天都在利用上帝給予我的才能，因為我協助照顧祂的子民

Giving

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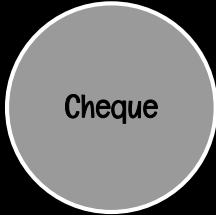
In Person

Give in person during
our Wednesday or
Saturday services

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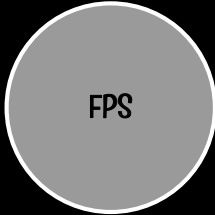
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Cheque

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payable to "Rever
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send your cross cheque
to our correspondence
address)

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