



The Spiritual Gift of Leadership

Definition

The gift of Leadership is the God-given ability to cast vision, motivate, and direct people to harmoniously accomplish the purposes of God.

Gifts in Action

Moses was one of the greatest leaders of God's people. God appointed him to free the children of Israel from bondage in Egypt and lead them to the land of promise in Canaan. Moses was successful in his mission despite the challenges he faced from the pharaoh and the doubts and fears of the people he was leading.

Scripture References for Leadership

- Romans 12:8
- 1 Timothy 5:17
- Hebrews 13:17

People With This Gift Like to...

- Motivate others to perform to the best of their abilities.
- Take responsibility, cast a vision, and establish goals.
- Provide direction for God's people or ministry.

Characteristics of People With Leadership

- Influential
- Visionary
- Persuasive
- Motivating
- Goal setter

Potential Ways to Use the Gift of Leadership

- Team or ministry leader
- Small-group Bible study leader
- Church leadership board or council
- Children or youth leader

RECOMMENDED READING:

Spiritual Leadership – Oswald Sanders

Lead - Paul Tripp

The Book on Leadership - John MacArthur

Biblical Eldership - Alexander Strauch