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ACROSS PERSONALITIES

1 CORINTHIANS 12:1; 4-7; 11-14; 24-25

Introduction

1. We are meant to be _____.

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2. We are meant to be _____.

• Source:

• Purpose:

3. We are meant to _____:

• In _____

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS & GROUPS

1. What animal best symbolizes your personality and why?
2. What are three positive strengths of your personality?
3. Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-7. What are the repeating words? Why did God make us so different and yet calls us to be unified?
4. How does knowing your SHAPE (Spiritual Gifts, Heart, Abilities, Personality, Experiences) free you from comparing yourself with others? How does it help you from conforming to the world's pressure of how you should be?
5. Read Ephesians 2:10 out loud as a group. Now put it in your own words.
6. Which "superpower" of your personality reflects the image of God? (ex- good, loving, effective, original, wise, loyal, joyful, powerful, peaceful) When do you most see it in action? How does that encourage or motivate you?
7. Which "root sin" or blind spot might lurk in your personality? (Perhaps: anger, pride, deceit, envy, greed, fear, gluttony, lust, sloth.) How does David's prayer in Psalm 19:12,13 encourage us to be self-aware and honest? What does it mean to live with "Gospel-awareness?"
8. Describe the downsides of pigeon-holing and excusing that result from personality tests. When have you done this yourself, or been the recipient of it? Describe the benefits of personality knowledge.
9. What do "eyeglasses" and "compassion" have to do with each other? Share an aha moment when you understood what was important to another person's personality. What action step in your life would be an answer to Jesus' prayer in John 17:20-23?