



**MY DESIRE TO DEVELOP CHRIST-LIKENESS**  
**(A SPIRITUAL INVENTORY)**

Directions: Circle the number that represents how you're doing in each of the following areas. Zero represents struggle in that area. Nine means you are having habitual success in that area. No one else needs to see the results; it's between you and the Lord.

1. **THANKFULNESS:** It is the habit of my life to thank God and others for what they have done. I can honestly say that I am a thankful person and often express my gratitude.

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2. **HUMILITY:** I do not have an inflated self-opinion and consistently consider others higher than myself. I have a teachable spirit and avoid bragging, name-dropping and spiritual pride.

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3. **BOLDNESS:** I have been able to launch out and take risks for God - risking obediently when God calls me to do something. There is nothing now that God is asking me to do that I'm resisting because of fear.

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4. **TRUST:** I not only believe but act as if, "His eye is on the sparrow and I know He's watching me." My life is one of simple reliance on God. I'm free from fretting, worry or anxiety about the future.

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5. **PERSISTENCE:** It is normal for me to hang in there when things get difficult, stressful and unrewarding, even if I must face suffering, difficulty or persecution. My persistence keeps me from giving up too easily so I just keep on keeping on.

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6. **SUBMISSION:** I do respect the authority of those over me, even if they're less competent or gifted.

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7. **RIGHT RELATIONSHIPS:** Reflecting on all my relationships, I'm able to say there are no broken relationships with anybody that I am not attempting to work out.

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8. GIVING LIVING: I regularly practise generous giving to both the corps and to the poor, homeless, helpless and other needy folk. Generosity is a normal behaviour for me.

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9. FAMILY TIME: It is the routine of my life to control the amount of time I spend in work, pleasure or other activities that take too much time away from my family. Family time is the top priority of my life.

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10. FORGIVENESS: If there is an individual or group of people who hurt me in the past, I hold no resentment, bitterness or grudge against them. I am learning to forgive.

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11. RESISTING MATERIALISM: I resist the grasping materialistic lifestyle of my culture, choosing rather to live a life of contentment and satisfaction with what I have, not always wanting more.

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12. SPIRITUAL INTIMACY: It is the routine of my life to spend time alone with God each day to read the Bible and pray. I “practise the presence” of Jesus by sensing His presence in my everyday life.

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13. TONGUE STEWARDSHIP: I abstain from slander, gossip, harshness, unkindness, criticism, caustic remarks, obscenity, foolish talk and coarse joking. Instead I use my tongue to build others up, giving words of encouragement, comfort, help, inspiration and challenge.

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14. USE OF TIME: I’m a good steward of my time. I live close enough to Christ that His priorities are becoming my priorities.

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15. GUARDING THE EYES: I carefully guard what I allow to enter my mind through the gate of my eyes, avoiding movies, magazines, and TV shows that could cause me moral problems.

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