



Bible Study Exercise & Thought-Provoking Questions

The purpose of the learning exercise and questions is to facilitate a deeper understanding of the Bible, this Bible study topic and ourselves. The questions may be answered by each reader, or used by a Bible study group leader or church pastor. The following questions should be answered or discussed after reading "Spiritual Attributes God Designed Within Us."

Learning Exercise

Enter the corresponding number of the internal attribute for each attribute indicator. For example, the number for the first attribute indicator "An extension of vulnerability" is # 14 (Trust). Answers are provided on the next page.

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3. Memories
4. Analytical Thinking
5. Self-Awareness
6. Pride
7. Emotions
8. Conscience
9. Guilt
10. God Awareness
11. Hope
12. Belief
13. Faith
14. Trust
15. Ability to Communicate
16. Need Love & be Loved
17. Thankfulness
18. Discernment
19. Skepticism
20. Altruism
21. Empathy
22. Forgiveness

#	Attribute Indicator
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	A consequence of doing what is wrong.
	An appreciative response from the heart.
	Awareness of right versus wrong.
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	We can mentally visualize what our five senses cannot experience
	A small flicker of light in the deepest of life's valleys.
	The evidence of His work is all around us and in us.
	Facilitates person-to-person and person-to-God interaction.
	An acceptance something is true or exists.
	Strong feelings that are often reflected by behavior.
	Behavioral response to hope and belief.
	The one who gives this benefits more than the one who receives.
	An indescribable deep yearning.
	You are using this attribute to complete this exercise.
	A spiritual "cancer."
	Facilitates evaluation of the depth of our sinful nature.
	Jesus spiritually described this attribute as servanthood.
	Driven by an uneasy feeling, concern, or a "red flag."
	Eternally retains the good, the bad, and the ugly.
	Behavioral insight.
	A mental and emotional understanding.

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See the next page for thought-provoking questions.

Questions

Jesus was asked which is the greatest commandment. “Jesus said to him, ‘You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.’ This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.” Matthew 22:37-40

Jesus would never make such a declaration unless we had the capability of fulfilling the first and second great commandment.

The answer to each question below is based upon your opinion. As such, no answers are given. However, there are two parts.

1. Consider (or discuss if in a group) how each of these God-given attributes enable us to fulfill the 1st and 2nd great commandments: to love God with all of our heart, soul and mind; and to love one another.
2. Imagine (or discuss if in a group) what our daily life experience (and the world) would be like if we did not have these attributes.

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