HOW TO IDENTIFY YOUR ANOINTING

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1st Samuel 16:11-13

The anointing is the supernatural power to destroy spiritual yokes. A yoke is a form of bondage that keeps people bound to sin, generational curses or addictions. Yokes are **NOT** easily broken. Human will cannot break the power of a yoke.

Mental telepathy cannot break the power of a yoke. This is a job tailored for the anointing of God. God did not bless everyone to carry an anointing. It is a privilege to be anointed. It is an honor to be anointed.

When you have been anointed to do something it is God's way of revealing His **ASSIGNMENT** to you. Most people walk in their anointing and never realize it because it comes **NATUAL**. The reason most people cannot

identify their anointing is because they **NEVER** learned the thing they were anointed to do. When you learn something it is easily identifiable. However, when something comes natural it is easily **OVERLOOKED**.

For example, people who have an anointing to sing never learned how to sing. **IT CAME NATURALLY**. People who have an anointing to teach did not learn how to be a teacher. **IT CAME NATURALLY**.

People who have an anointing to preach with power did not learn how to preach with power. IT CAME

NATURALLY. The purpose of the anointing is to

HEIGHTEN what you have ALREADY been gifted with.

The anointing puts an exclamation mark behind your gift.

The anointing maximizes the potential of your gift. The anointing strengthens your gift. The anointing helps you to become skilled in your gift. The **FIRST** clue in identifying what you are anointed to do is to find out what you do **EXTREMELY WELL VOID** of the learning process.

When you can answer this question you are on the path of discovering your anointing. Remember, the anointing heightens what you **ALREADY** have. The anointing of God takes you from good to great, great to phenomenal and from phenomenal to unbelievable.

Once you've identified the first clue, the second clue targets the spiritual realm. How does your gift **BREAK** the yokes off of people? For example, there is a difference between a good teacher and a(n) anointed teacher. A good teacher will inspire you.

A(n) anointed teacher will change you. A good teacher will increase your knowledge. A(n) anointed teacher will increase your wisdom. A changed life destroys the yoke of generational bloodline curses. Wisdom destroys the yoke of foolish thinking.

Living under the anointing of God enables you to do **UNCOMMON** works in common people. It is a wonderful

thing to see someone operate in their gift. However, it is amazing to see someone work under the anointing. When you find the first and second clue you will be able to identify your anointing.

ENHANCEMENT

The anointing is **NOT** learned. It is **DEVELOPED**!

Working under the anointing of God will enhance your abilities. However, you are **NOT** excused from developing your natural gift. Teachers who are anointed do not stop reading books.

They read **MORE** books to enhance their ability so the anointing can take them further. Anointed leaders do not stop attending conferences. They attend **MORE** conferences to develop their skill so the anointing can take them further.

When you've identified the anointing on your life

DEVELOP the natural gift so the anointing can enhance
it exponentially.

Here's what I mean:

- If you are an anointed teacher develop your vocabulary, articulation, dictation and enunciation.
- If you are an anointed leader develop your communication and people skills.
- If you are an anointed musician develop your craft and musicianship.

CONFIRMATION

1st Samuel 16:11-13

David was anointed to be the King of Israel when he was a teenager. Before he was anointed he was a Shepard taking care of sheep. David was a **NATURAL** born leader. He **NEVER** learned to be a leader.

David's natural ability to be a ruler over sheep was the catalyst for God to make him an anointed leader over

people. 1st Samuel 16:11-13 says, "And Samuel said unto Jesse, are here all thy children? And he said, there remaineth yet the youngest, and, behold, he keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse, send and fetch him: for we will not sit down till he come hither. And he sent, and brought him in.

Now he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him: for this is he. Then Samuel took the horn of oil, and ANOINTED him in the modest of his brethren: and the spirit of the Lord came upon David from that day forward. So Samuel rose up, and went to Ramah."

The same thing God did for David, He will do for you. He will bestow you with a gift and in time He will **ANOINT** you with the gift. When you know what you are anointed to do you will see life differently. You will live differently. You will live with a purpose. You will live on a mission. You will live fulfilled.

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