

THE KEY TO YOUR GREATEST SUCCESS

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“For we are God’s masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.” Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)

For I, _____, am God’s masterpiece. He has created me anew in Christ Jesus, so I can do the good things he planned for me long ago.

“Everything in heaven and earth is yours, O Lord ... Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand.”
1 Chronicles 29:11, 14 (NIV)

THE STEWARDSHIP OF INFLUENCE

Influence: The power to affect how someone develops, acts, or thinks

God expects me not to master the world, but to _____ the world.

“Self-sacrifice is the way, my way, to saving yourself, your true self. What good would it do to get everything you want and lose you, the real you?”
Mark 8:35–36 (MSG)

“Don’t copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think.” Romans 12:2 (NLT)

“I tell you and encourage you in the Lord’s name not to live any longer like other people in the world. Their minds are set on worthless things.”
Ephesians 4:17 (GW)

Am I a thermometer or a _____?

“The eyes of the Lord search the whole earth in order to strengthen those whose hearts are fully committed to him.” 2 Chronicles 16:9 (NLT)

“What if [your people] do not believe me or listen to me and say, ‘The Lord did not appear to you?’ Then the Lord said to him, ‘What is that in your hand?’ ‘A staff,’ he replied. The Lord said, ‘Throw it on the ground.’ Moses threw it on the ground and it became a snake, and he ran from it. Then the Lord said to him, ‘Reach out your hand and take it by the tail.’ So Moses reached out and took hold of the snake and it turned back into a staff in his hand.” Exodus 4:1–4 (NIV)

Moses’ staff represented three things:

- _____: **What he leaned on; how he protected himself**
- _____: **His occupation; how he provided for himself**
- **Influence:** _____ **How he exercised authority**

Four Crucial Questions:

- **What am I leaning on for security?**
- **What is my identity?**
- **Who is in my sphere of influence?**
- **What can God do through me if I give it all to him?**

What is in my hand? It’s time to take inventory:

- **Relationships, contacts, networks ...**
- **Talents, abilities, energy, strengths ...**
- **Intelligence, ideas, interests, passions ...**
- **Resources, money, possessions, time ...**

“God is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us.” Ephesians 3:20 (NIV)

The key to my greatest success is _____.

1. serve 2. thermostat 3. security 4. identity 5. surrender

取得最大成功的關鍵

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以弗所書 2:10 (新普及譯本)

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「上主啊，天上和地上的一切都是你的...，一切都從你而來，我們只是把你賜給我們的獻給你！」
歷代志上 29:11-14 (新普及譯本)

成為影響力的管家

影響力：影響別人成長、行動或思考的力量

上帝不期望我主宰世界，而是_____世界

「自我犧牲是我的方法，拯救你的真我。你若賺得一切，卻失去真我，有何益處呢？」
馬可福音 8:35-36 (意譯)

「你們不要效法世人的行為和習俗，卻要讓上帝更新你們的思想，使你們轉變成新人。」
羅馬書 12:2 (新普及譯本)

「我奉主的名鼓勵你們：不要再過着像外邦人那樣的生活。他們的心思定在沒有價值的事上。」
以弗所書 4:17 (意譯)

我是溫度計，還是_____？

「上主的眼目遍察全地，要加力量給全然委身於他的人。」
歷代志下 16:9 (新普及譯本)

「『要是他們不相信我，不聽我的話，或說上主根本沒有向你顯現，我怎麼辦呢？』上主問摩西：『你手裏拿的是甚麼？』摩西回答說：『是牧人的杖。』上主對他說：『把它扔到地上。』於是摩西把杖扔到地上，那杖隨即變成一條蛇！摩西趕緊跳開。上主對摩西說：『伸手抓住牠的尾巴。』摩西就伸手抓住蛇的尾巴，蛇在他手中又變回牧人的杖。」
出埃及記 4:1-4 (新普及譯本)

摩西的杖代表三件事：

- _____：是他的倚靠，保護自己的方式
- _____：他的職業，養活自己的方式
- 影響力：_____行使權力的方式

四個關鍵問題：

- 我靠甚麼來獲得安全感？
- 我的身份是甚麼？
- 誰在我的影響範圍內？
- 若把一切交託給上帝，祂能藉我做甚麼？

我手裏拿的是甚麼？是時候點算一下：

- 關係、朋友、網絡 ...
- 學識、想法、興趣、熱誠 ...
- 才幹、能力、精力、長處 ...
- 資源、金錢、財產、時間 ...

「他能藉着在我們裏面運行的莫大能力，成就一切遠遠超過我們所求所想的事。」
以弗所書 3:20 (新普及譯本)

我最大成功的關鍵是_____