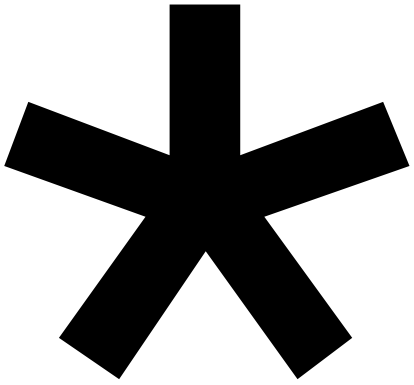


THE WORSHIP LEADER'S ROLE
AN EVALUATION TOOL
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The Worship Leader's Roles: Personal

Use this sheet to personally reflect on your current roles as a worship leader. What are your strengths, what are you weaknesses, in your view. Then, take a blank sheet, and ask the question - "How do I think others percieve my fulflillment of these roles?"

Name: _____ **Title**: _____

PART 1: ROLES

Priestly Role:
How am I doing at building bridges for people to connect with God?

_____
_____

Teaching Role:
How am I doing at communicating what worship is all about outside of the musical context?

_____
_____

Storytelling Role:
How am I doing at retelling the story of the Kingdom of God in music, readings, etc. (gathered worship)?

_____
_____

Evangelism Role:
How am I doing at creating environments that lead people to a place of both challenge and commitment?

_____
_____

Pastoral Role:
How am I doing at relationally nurturing our teams and communities?

_____
_____

Prophetic Role:
How am I doing at challenging followers of Jesus to go to new edges in their faith?

_____
_____

Administrative Role:
How am I doing at organizing worship, planning events, and ordering details?

_____
_____

Intercessory Role:
How am I doing at actually praying for those I lead/lead with?

_____
_____

Mentoring Role:
How am I doing at equipping and training others to lead worship in our community?

_____
_____

The Worship Leader's Roles: Pastor

Use this sheet as a pastor or leader to reflect on how you perceive your worship leader(s) is fulfilling these roles in your community. What are their strengths, what are their weaknesses, in your view?

Name: _____ **Title**: _____

PART 1: ROLES

Priestly Role:
How is he/she doing at building bridges for people to connect with God?

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_____

Teaching Role:
How is he/she at communicating what worship is all about outside of the musical context?

_____
_____

Storytelling Role:
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Mentoring Role:
How is he/she at equipping and training others to lead worship in our community?

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_____

The Worship Leader's Actions: Personal

Use this sheet to help you think about key elements in the worship leader's day to day ministry leadership. The following ratings are based on a scale of 1-10, 1 being "extremely weak," and 10 being "extremely strong." 5 would represent "adequately doing this." Place a circle around the number from your perspective, then guess your pastor's perspective.

PART 2: ACTIONS

Honest Communication:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my pastor(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Submission To Another's Leadership:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my pastor(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Musical Strength and Leadership:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Pastorally Supporting Others:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my fellow leader(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Conflict Resolution:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my pastor(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Being A Team Player:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my pastor(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Supporting Another's Vision:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? With my pastor(s) (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Easy To Get Along With (Likeability):
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Mentoring Others:
How am I doing at this with my team(s) and its members (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Technical Leadership:
How am I doing at this with my sound/visual team(s) (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Marriage And Family (if applicable):
How am I doing at caring for my spouse and children (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Discipleship:
How am I doing at responding to God's work in areas of my life (circle)? In my pastor's eyes (square)?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

The Worship Leader's Actions: Pastor

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PART 2: ACTIONS

Honest Communication:
How are they doing at this with their team(s) and its members (circle)? With you or their pastoral leader?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Submission To Another's Leadership:
How are they doing at this with their team(s) and its members (circle)? With you or their pastoral leader?
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

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Other Arenas For Comment: Personal

Use this sheet to help you think about any areas of your life, ministry or leadership that you believe need some focus in the next 6-9 months. Are there areas of creativity that must be strengthened? Are there personal growth paths you should follow?

PART 3: GENERAL COMMENTS

Written Notes:

Images Or Graphic Descriptions:

Other Arenas For Comment: Pastor

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