

WORKSHOP

Enhancing the Spiritual Health of Your Leadership Team

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3-minute convo

What was the healthiest leadership environment you ever served in? What made it healthy?



Goals for this Hour

- ✓ **Offer** 3 tools you can use to help enhance spiritual health and vitality on your team
- ✓ **Discuss** ideas for developing staff unity and spiritual/relational health
- ✓ **Consider** the pathway to revival
- ✓ **Pray** for your leadership team



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Bad Examples: TN, FL

Good Examples: NC, VA, TX



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In your current ministry post:

What part of team life is healthy?

What probably needs work?



Expert Panel - Keywords

Shared Vision

Friendship

Fun

Focus

Unity

Prayer Rhythm

Discipleship

Transparency

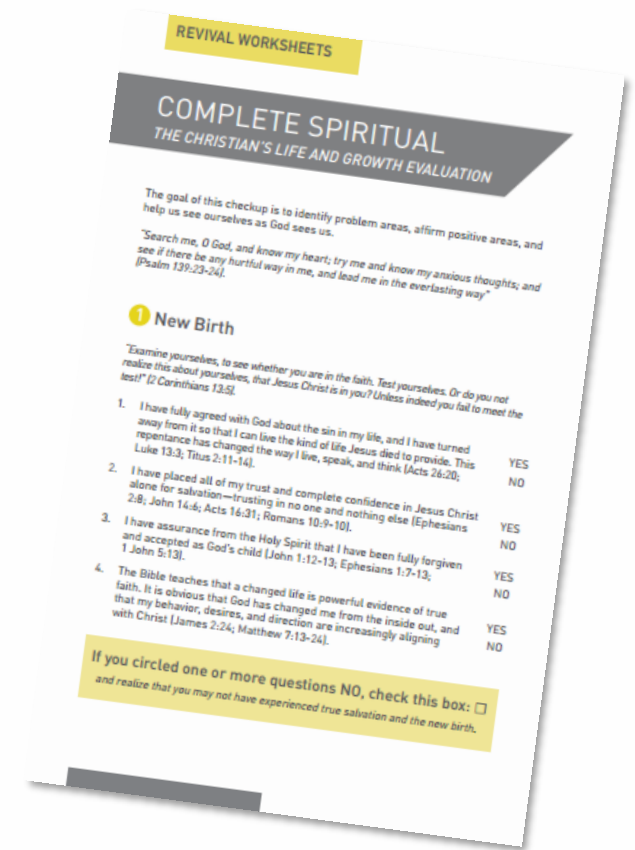


Tools to Grow Together

#1: Renewal Worksheets

Utilize Life Action's spiritual health assessments and walk through as a staff. (See handout example)

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#2: Vitality Plan

Implement a team-wide vitality plan to help keep your staff in a healthy place.

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1 consider

date: _____

Area

What's going well?

What's being neglected?

Steps to replenish

Seeking God

Bible Study, reading, memorization and meditation; stillness/solitude; prayer, thanksgiving, praise, confession, intercession; corporate worship

Marriage

Time, listening, supporting, conflict resolution, respecting and honoring, praying together, sexual intimacy

Family

Time, listening, open communication, mentoring, discipline, family worship

Relationships

Friendships, mentoring, accountability, small group/local church involvement, confession, hospitality

Emotional health

Overall spirit, peace, joy, encouragement, attitudes, forgiveness, response to pressure/stress

Physical health

Diet, exercise, sleep, schedule

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2 connect

Who is speaking into your life in these areas?

Who could be part of the conversation, pray for you, and provide accountability as needed?

3 focus

Once you've gotten a big picture view of what is happening in your life, **select one or two areas to focus on for the next three months.**

4 track

Revisit this exercise quarterly to track progress and set goals.

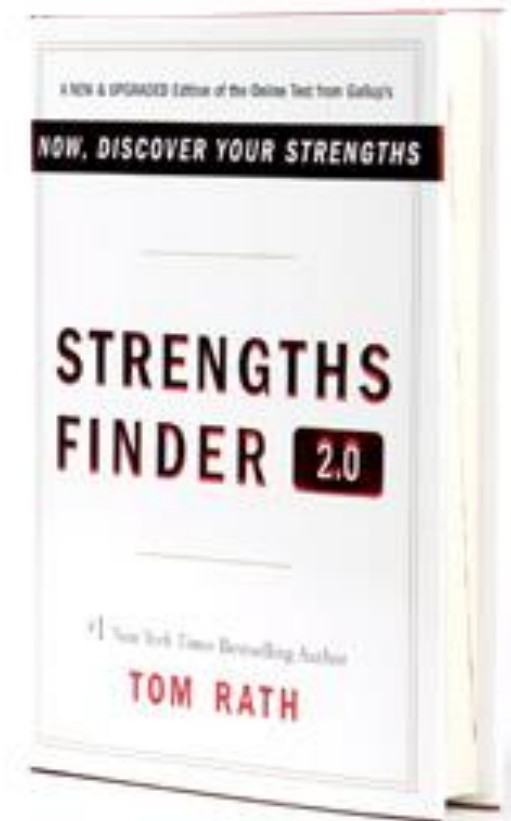
“Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.” (1 Thess. 5:23-24)

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#3: StrengthsFinder

*Maximize each other's strengths
and hold each other accountable to
specific growth recommendations*

strengths.gallup.com



Boiling It Down

1. Clear vision/roles
2. Ongoing discipleship
3. Friendship & communication
4. Seeking God together



5-minute convo

What have been some of the most valuable “retreat” or “forced fun” experiences you’ve had as a part of a leadership team?

In your current post, would you say your team needs more, needs less, or has just the right amount of this? Why?



Seeking God Together

At Life Action, our mission is not only to issue a call to revival, but to help create contexts where people can seek and obey God.

For a leadership team, this can look like:

- > Retreats at our Lodge, Camp
- > In-church conference events with leader/staff enrichment components



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For leaders & congregations, we believe that an honest assessment of spiritual health is a necessary first step toward revival (James 4:6-10).



6 Responses to God

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Honesty

Repentance

Forgiveness

Obedience

Seeking God's Kingdom First



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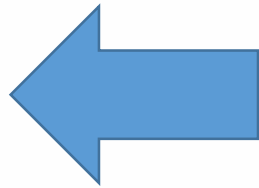
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Getting honest about where we are, where our church is, why we need God, what areas of health we need to grow in, etc.



An Opportunity

God has entrusted church leaders with the responsibility to watch over His flock. If you are a leader of leaders, your role is even more critical to the health & well-being of people.



Wrap Up & Prayer Time

The spiritual health of your team won't happen on auto-pilot. As leaders we need to be intentional in this area!

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Prayer for Teams

In groups of three (people not on your team): Briefly describe your team environment as it stands today, and what the next significant goal in front of your team is. Pray for one another, and most of all, for revival/renewal in each person's situation.

