

Week Eight
Morph Me

MY PLAN



INTRODUCTION

In this week's reading, you read...

The door is shut, the players are dressed, and the coach stands in the middle of the circled team. They know the game plan; they've studied it all week. With a bit more passion and focus, though, the coach restates their plan...

What's your plan? How will you take the insights gained in recent weeks and fully engage the body of Christ? How will you use your gifts, talents, and resources? What do you hear God calling you to do?

The exercise that follows is not a time to think in generalities. It's a time to get specific and dive into the details. It's not a time to dream. It's a time to commit. *Which* people does God want you to serve? *When* and *how* will you serve them? *Which* cause does God want you to engage? *When* and *how* will you engage it? What *specific* lifestyle changes do you need to make? *When* and *how* will you make them?

The pages that follow will guide you through a process of pulling together previous week's insights and turning these insights into the next steps you will pursue.

FIRST STAGE MY PORTFOLIO

Throughout this *Morph* experience, you have been building a portfolio. Now, at the end of this experience, you are asked to thoughtfully pull it all together. As you do, don't just transfer information from previous pages to these pages. Rather, learn from your thoughts from previous exercises while listening for insights gained in the weeks that followed. Listen for God's guidance and record thoughts and ideas that will most directly impact your plan.

MY WORLD AND MY OPPORTUNITIES

Thoughtfully review the Morph Me exercises from Week One (pages 29-30) and Week Two (pages 52-60).

Who in your world is God specifically directing you to serve? Consider people and opportunities you recorded in the Weeks One and Two exercises, and consider how God has been speaking to you throughout this experience.

MY SELF AND MY WEAKNESSES

Thoughtfully review the Morph Me exercises from Week Three (pages 76-83) and Week Four (pages 102-106) to remind yourself of your answers there.

What personal inhibitors and motivators will likely affect you as you create and engage *My Plan*?

How might God want to display his strength in your weaknesses or in places where you feel unqualified or inadequate?

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MY GIFTS

Thoughtfully review the Morph Me exercise from Week Five (pages 124-128) to remind yourself of your answers there.

Summarize your spiritual gift(s) here:

How do you sense the Spirit wanting to work through your gifts as you create and engage *My Plan*?

MY RESOURCES

Thoughtfully review the Morph Me exercise from Week Six (pages 144-158) to remind yourself of your answers there.

How is God leading you to steward your resources to most effectively create and engage *My Plan*?

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MY NETWORK

Thoughtfully review the Morph Me exercise from Week Seven (pages 180-186) to remind yourself of your answers there.

How can you effectively tap the resources of *My Network* as you create and engage *My Plan*?

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