



Halftime Guide to Personal Serving [GPS] >>

Moving from success to significance is a journey. It's a matter of aligning the way God has created you with the works He has prepared for you so that you can do what He created you to do. There are three primary issues you need to address in the alignment process: Core, Capacity and Context.

“For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works which he prepared in advance for us to do.” – Ephesians 2:10

CORE

[Skills, passions, personal mission]

[1] Write a brief description of your core skills and abilities. If you do not know, complete an online strengths assessment [www.strengthsfinder.com]

[2] List areas of known passion—needs/issues that you feel strongly about.

[3] Confirm your Core by discussing with your spouse, and a few friends.

[4] Craft a mission statement—visit (www.successtosignificance.com/personalmission)

By Bill Wellons and Lloyd Reeb, to supplement their book *Unlimited Partnership*

CAPACITY

[Available time margin]

[1] List all activities and responsibilities to which you allocate time, and rank them in terms of their impact and fit with your Core. Use the online assessment tool at www.successtosignificance.com/capacity

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[2] Identify two or three activities from above that are low value or do not align with your Core. List here the things you will eliminate.

[3] To create more capacity for significance, take a faith step—i.e. negotiate your salary down and your time up, or choose to tithe a day to serving.

[4] How much time will these steps make available for you to serve?

_____ Hrs/wk

CONTEXT

[Best-fit serving role/setting]

[1] Watch several stories of other Halftimers at www.successtosignificance.com. Reflect on how their role fits them uniquely.

[2] Now identify the organizations that are serving within the area of your passion:
> In your church?
> In your community?
> International ministries?

[3] Schedule an interview with several of these organizations to explore a role that fits your Core and Capacity. Consider a pilot project, in parallel to your career, to assess the fit.

What organizations?

What role will fit you best?

[4] Is there a special way that your marketplace role could be a platform to live out your mission?
