

2021 SLT Feedback on Bigney

11 Diagnostic Questions on Bigney's Leadership

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Guys – In a desire to re-focus and repent in ways that will make me more effective in my next 'season' of ministry and leadership at GFC, please take some time to SCORE me on the following items.

To allow you to be as honest as possible, please DO NOT include your name. Just keep it anonymous. When you each return it to my in-basket, I'll have 3 sets of answers to prayerfully take before the Lord while I'm on sabbatical.

My Prayer: O, God, give me a listening heart like Solomon!

"Here's what I want: Give me a God-listening heart so I can lead your people well, discerning the difference between good and evil. For who on their own is capable of leading your glorious people?"

I Kings 3:9

Please score each question with a number from 0 to 10, with 10 signifying humility and 0 signifying pride

1. When in a disagreement, am I better at listening or talking?
2. Do I find it easier to talk about my weaknesses or my strengths?
3. Do you feel free to correct me, or because you fear my reaction, are you unwilling to be honest with me?
4. Am I contentious and argumentative about things that don't matter?
things.
5. During elders' meetings, am I often unnecessarily critical of others, or do I speak graciously?

6. From watching and knowing me, do you think I find my identity in my knowledge and spiritual gifts, or my membership in God's family?
7. When I make a mistake, am I better at asking forgiveness or doubling down in self-justification?
8. When confronted, do I immediately suspect you are right, or do I rush to defend myself?
9. During elders' discussions, am I better at yielding or demanding?
10. Do I habitually consider the needs of other elders and this church as more important than my own?
11. Do I seem to find it easy or difficult to trust others enough to delegate to them?