## THE GIFT OF MERCY

## **Characteristics:**

Questions	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Usually	Mostly	Always	POINTS
	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Tremendous capacity to show love							
Always looks for good in people							
Comes to the aid of friends when they are rejected							
Attracted to people who are hurting or in distress							
Takes action to remove hurts and relieve distress in others							
More concerned for mental and emotional distress than physical							
Motivated to help people have right relationships with one another							
Loves opportunities to give preference or place to others							
Takes care with words and actions to avoid hurting others							
Trusting and trustworthy; loyal							
Easily detects insincerity or wrong motives							
Drawn to others with the gift of mercy							
Enjoys doing thoughtful things for others							
Avoids conflicts and confrontations							ı
Does not enjoy being rushed in a job or activity							ı
Typically cheerful and joyful							
Ruled by heart rather than by head							
Rejoices when others are blessed and grieves when others hurt							
Supports and involves themselves in good causes							
Intercedes for the hurts and problems of others							
TOTAL							1

## **Misunderstandings:**

Questions	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Usually	Mostly	Always	POINTS
	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Tends to be indecisive							-
Prone to take up another persons offense							
Easily hurt by others							1
Empathizes too much with the suffering of others							ł
Close-minded to those who are insincere and critical					·		
TOTAL							1