

# SIGNS OF GUIDANCE

Discovering your life's purpose is a mysterious and exciting challenge. A powerful way to get help is to pray for God's assistance. Next, think about your interests and ideas, and ask for advice from parents, teachers, or others you trust. Then take action. You could join a club, do a service project, or find out

more about careers that interest you.

Pay attention to things that bring you joy. For example, you may feel happy when you're performing music or solving math problems. If you're not sure yet, don't worry—keep exploring! Try memorizing this prayer. Once you know it by heart, you'll have it with you when you need a little help.

READ THE PRAYER AND LOOK AT HOW THESE WORDS ARE USED.



O Thou kind Lord! Grant that this youth may attain unto that which is the highest aspiration of the holy ones. Endow him with the wings of Thy strengthening grace—wings of detachment and divine aid—that he may soar thereby into the atmosphere of Thy tender mercy, be able to partake of Thy celestial bestowals, may become a sign of divine guidance and a standard of the Concourse on high. Thou art the Potent, the Powerful, the Seeing, the Hearing. —'Abdu'l-Bahá

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| 1. Attain            | A. Hope or desire                  |
| 2. Aspiration        | B. Freedom from the material world |
| 3. Endow             | C. Receive, have a share of        |
| 4. Detachment        | D. Reach or achieve                |
| 5. Partake           | E. Give, provide                   |
| 6. Celestial         | F. Souls in the spiritual world    |
| 7. Bestowals         | G. Strong, powerful                |
| 8. Standard          | H. Gifts, honors                   |
| 9. Concourse on high | I. Emblem or banner                |
| 10. Potent           | J. Relating to heaven              |

THEN DRAW A LINE FROM EACH WORD TO ITS MEANING.

