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*Fulfill Your Purpose*

# CHART YOUR COURSE

Finding Answers to Life's  
8 Greatest Questions

*New Teaching Series Beginning October 6*



Join a  
*Group!*



**Week 1 > Get Your Mind Right**  
**Week 2 > Share Your Strengths**  
**Week 3 > Realize Your Destiny**  
**Week 4 > Fulfill Your Purpose**

SCHOOL  
ACCOUNS

# Serve Opportunities



*Now when David had served God's purpose in his own generation, he fell asleep [died]...*

**ACTS 13:36**

# 4 KEY FACTORS FOR CHRIST SERVANTS

GENESIS 12:1-4



1

**Faith factor:  
Step out of your comfort  
zone and serve.**

*The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you."*

**GENESIS 12:1**

***“A ship is safe in harbor,  
but that’s not what ships are for.”***

**– WILLIAM SHEDD –**

# THE FAITH FACTOR INCLUDES:

- > Step out from where you are.
- > Go somewhere new.
- > Leave what you know.
- > Do something new.

*...Then Peter got down out of the boat...*

**MATTHEW 14:22-33**

2

**Promise factor:  
God will use you to  
bless others.**

*I will make you into a great nation, and  
I will bless you; I will make your name great,  
and you will be a blessing.*

**GENESIS 12:2**

***...It is more blessed to give than to receive.***

**ACTS 20:35**

*We are therefore Christ's ambassadors,  
as though God were making his appeal  
through us. We implore you on Christ's  
behalf: Be reconciled to God.*

**2 CORINTHIANS 5:20**

*...Here is a boy with five small barley loaves  
and two small fish, but how far will they go  
among so many...*

**JOHN 6:1-14**



# 6 ACTS TO THIS PLAY

- > The Tension
- > The Impossibility
- > The Availability
- > The Blessing
- > The Miracle
- > The Result

3

**Purpose factor:  
You have been blessed  
to be a blessing.**

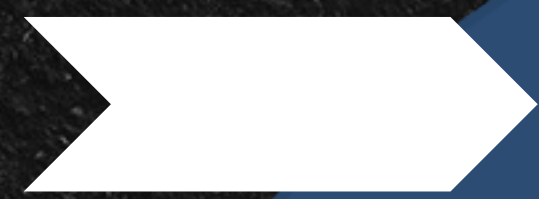
*I will bless those who bless you, and whoever  
curses you I will curse; and all peoples on  
earth will be blessed through you.*

**GENESIS 12:3**

**To Worship and glorify  
God by being his Witness  
and accomplishing His  
Work and Will.**

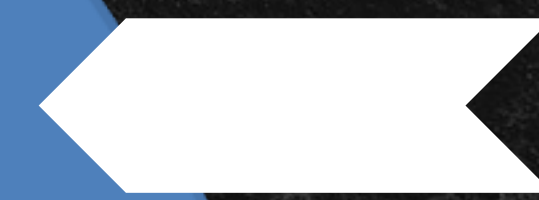
**SLEEP**

*2,880 hours  
per year*



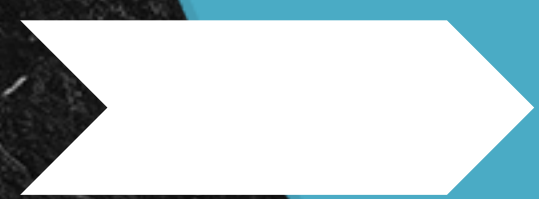
**EVERYTHING  
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*2,880 hours  
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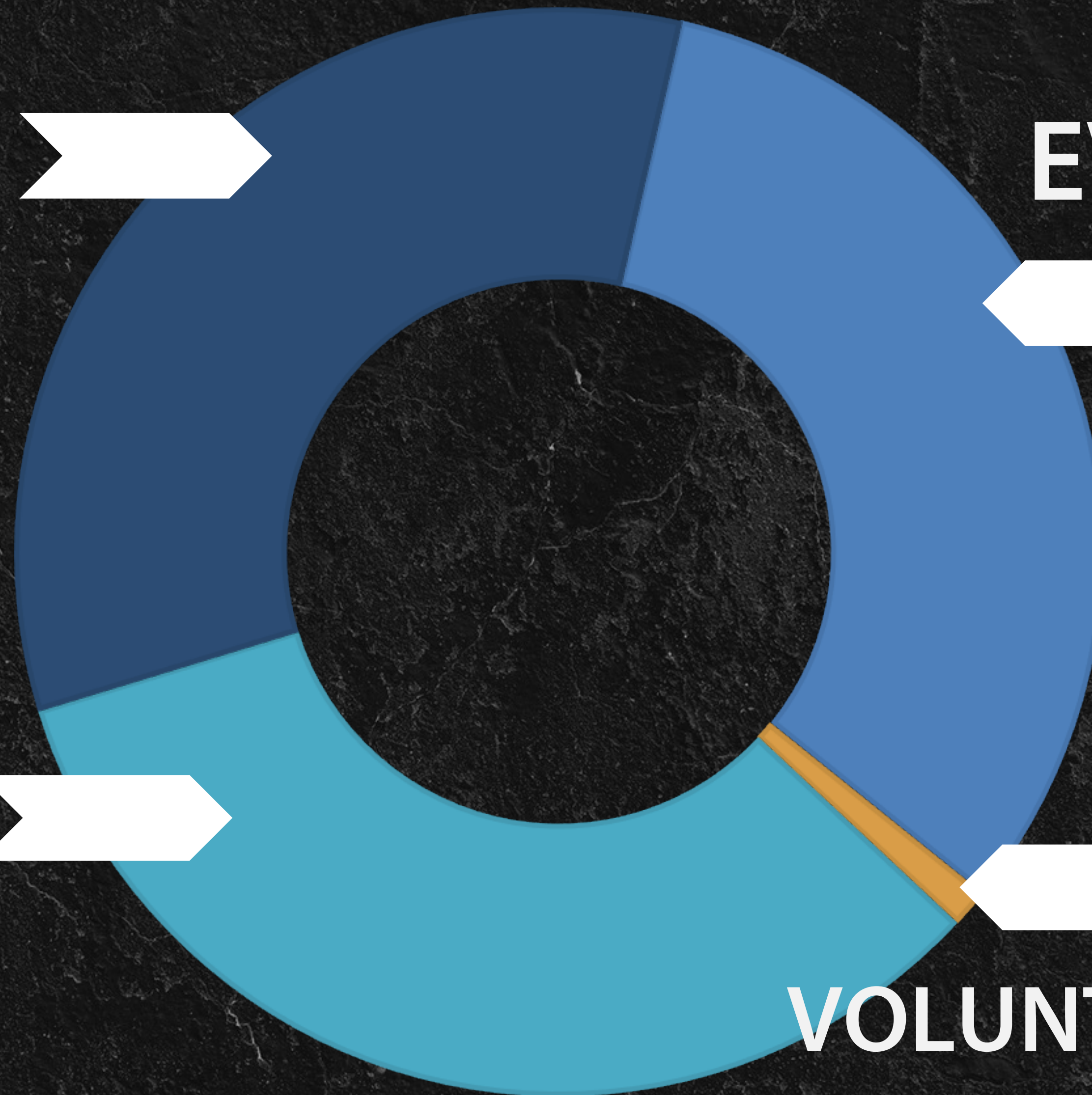
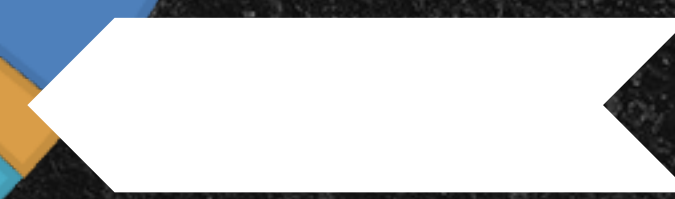


**WORK**

*2,880 hours  
per year*



**100  
VOLUNTEER HOURS  
per year**



**Today, I will be used by God and find opportunities for service.**

**Today, I want to be less “me” focused.**

**Today, I will think “humility.”**

**Today, I don't have to have an opinion  
about everything and argue and conflict.**

**Today, I will find a need and meet it; see a  
hurt and heal it; observe a void and fill it.**

**Today, I will look for ways  
to encourage others.**

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*...I am the Lord's servant...  
May your word to me be fulfilled...*

**LUKE 1:26-38**



4

**Calling factor:  
God's call on your life is  
constant and clear.**

*So Abram went, as the LORD had told him;  
and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-  
five years old when he set out from Harran.*

**GENESIS 12:4**

*Paul, called to be an apostle... To the church of God in Corinth, to those sanctified in Christ Jesus and called to be his holy people... God is faithful, who has called you into fellowship with his son...*

1 CORINTHIANS 1:1-9

*For God's gifts and his call are irrevocable.*

ROMANS 11:29

*...He found nothing but leaves...*

**MARK 11:12-14**

**Calling =**

**Obedience + Purpose + Service**

**1 > Faith Factor:**

**Step out of your comfort zone and serve.**

**2 > Promise Factor:**

**God will use you to bless others.**

**3 > Purpose Factor:**

**You have been blessed to be a blessing.**

**4 > Calling Factor:**

**God's call on your life is constant and clear.**

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# CONNECTION CARD

Drop off in the black boxes as you exit, or meet us at the Connection Center in the lobby!

NAME(S) & BIRTHDAY(S)

M  
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M  
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PHONE NUMBER(S)

EMAIL(S)

ADDRESS

- I'm new to BCA     BCA is my home!

## MY DECISION:

- I want to follow Jesus
- I want to be baptized
- I want to start serving at BCA
- I want to sign up for the DISCOVER class

## PRAYERS / COMMENTS

How can we pray for you?





