LEADERSHIP TOOL #7

INFLUENCE BUILDER

Building influence requires five keys: Personal Calling, Trustworthy Character, Inspiring Vision, Proven Competence, and Relational Investment. Answer the questions under each ingredient below to help you create a practical plan to build enduring, God-honoring influence.

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| **INFLUENCE-BUILDING PLAN** | |
| **PERSONAL CALLING** | |
| 1. Have you responded to Jesus’s call to surrender to Him, receive His grace, and follow His lead? |  |
| 1. What is God’s calling for your life (those “good works” He created and gifted you to do)? |  |
| **TRUSTWORTHY CHARACTER** | |
| 1. What two areas of your character and integrity do you need to focus on growing the most? |  |
| 1. What steps will you take to grow these character traits in the next thirty days, and who can hold you accountable? |  |
| **INSPIRING VISION** | |
| 1. Describe your courageous vision. How can your team collaborate with you to bring your vision into focus? |  |
| 1. What steps will you take to communicate your vision to your team, department, or organization? |  |
| **PROVEN COMPETENCE** | |
| 1. What are your strongest and weakest leadership skills? If you don’t know, what trusted leader can you ask? |  |
| 1. How can you develop a growth plan and lean on your growth team to develop these leadership skills? |  |
| **RELATIONAL INVESTMENT** | |
| 1. How can you connect regularly with your team and show greater compassion to your team members? |  |
| 1. Who are three people you can begin coaching to help them cultivate their leadership potential? |  |
| **USING YOUR INFLUENCE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE** | |
| How will you use your influence to: 1) Meet a need, 2) Solve a problem,  3) Help a person, 4) Create beauty, or 5) Make a disciple of Jesus? | |
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