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Beginnings
Who were you when you began discernment?
What was your context?
What event initiated your discernment?
How did you respond?
Why did you respond that way?
Where was God moving? (Think theologically)
Transitions
What has been your context between your beginning and now?
Has your response been consistent or have you responding in different ways? If they've changed, why?
Where was God moving? (Think theologically)

NOW AND NEXT

What is your context now?

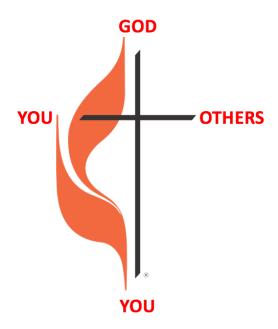
How are you currently responding?

Why are your responding the way you are?

Where do you think God is leading you into the future?

Where was God moving? (Think theologically)

AFFIRMATIONS



OTHER TIPS

- Start with the end in mind... and Keep it Brief
- Focus on you, not others... and Keep it Brief
- Cater to your audience... and Keep it Brief
- What are you learning about God?... and... Keep it Brief

RECAP (IN CASE YOU FELL ASLEEP)

- Your beginning
 - o Affirmations, God
- Your transition (growth/middle)
 - o What, Why, Affirmations, God
- Your "now"
 - o What, Why, Affirmations, God
- Your "next"
 - o What, Why, Affirmations, God