

The Starring Role Profile

- 1. What was I most praised for when I was growing up?
- 2. What would I want to be remembered for at the end of my life?
- 3. What obstacles have I had to overcome?
- 4. Who have been my adversaries? Who were people who were challenging to me? Why?
- 5. What is my greatest character strength?
- 6. What would I not want others to know about me? Why?
- 7. Who in the past was wrong about me? Who would I like to recognize me as valuable now?
- 8. What is one thing I wouldn't want people to think about me?
- 9. For what was I shamed, scolded, or discounted as a child and teen-ager?

Starring Role & Theme

- 1. What patterns do I seem to repeat?
- 2. What character in a movie or book do I identify with?
- 3. What is my "theme" song?
- 4. In answering the questions, what theme seems to emerge for my life role?
- 5. What image do I hold of myself?
- 6. What roles do I expect from others in my drama? (Admiration, sympathy, support, allegiance, love, etc.)

Benefits and Costs of My Role & Theme

On the other side of this sheet list the benefits and the costs to myself and others when I play this role. In other words, what do you get out of this role and what do you lose?

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