

## WHERE CAN I LEAD?

We each have countless opportunities to lead in our lives—sometimes we simply need to think more deeply about how to do so. Reflect on the following quotes from church leaders. Jot down any thoughts that come to mind about your potential leadership opportunities.

“Today a woman’s world is as broad as the universe. There’s scarcely an area of human endeavor that a woman cannot enter if she has the will and preparation to do so.”

~ *Belle S. Spafford*<sup>1</sup>

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“As we increase in our discipleship, we will become a greater force for good in the world. Never before has there been a time of such limitless opportunity to connect with others in the world—to serve, to testify, and to make a difference. Having faith in the Savior and purifying our lives enables us to have the constant companionship of the Holy Ghost, and through that power we may accomplish the great things we have been prepared and positioned on this earth to do.” ~ *Elaine S. Dalton*<sup>2</sup>

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Prayerfully consider these questions to discover how you could lead in new ways.

What are some activities or organizations you are involved in? List out each activity and organization you are involved in and what you do in each. Consider home, church, school, community, and recreational activities and responsibilities.

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How do you lead in those activities or organizations? This can include formal (for example, leading in a class presidency) or informal (helping others around you without being asked).

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In what other ways could you lead in these activities or organizations?

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What skills do you use? Are there any skills that you use in multiple activities or organizations? What skills do you want to develop further?

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How can developing those skills help you as a leader?

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<sup>1</sup> Spafford, Belle S. “Reaching Every Facet.” *Ensign*. June 1974.

<https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/study/ensign/1974/06/reaching-every-facet-of-a-womans-life?lang=eng>

<sup>2</sup> Dalton, Elaine S. *No Ordinary Women: Making a Difference through Righteous Influence*. Salt Lake City: Deseret Book, 2016. 64.

