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## Committed Relationship Communication Skills Assessment©

Circle the number which best defines your and your partner's communication skills using the following rating scale:

My partner / I / we is/are...

ND = Need This Skill Defined 3 = Average at this skill 5 = Excellent at this skill 2 = Fair at this skill 1 = Poor at this skill

A.	My partner's skill of listening to me when I communicate.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
B.	My skill of sharing my thoughts and feelings with my partner.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
C.	My partner's skill of sharing his/her thoughts and feelings with me.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
D.	My skill of sharing my future dreams with my partner.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
E.	My partner's skill of sharing his/her dreams with me.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
F.	My skill of making requests of my partner.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
G.	My partner's skill of making requests of me.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
H.	Our skill as a couple at making good decisions in a timely fashion.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
I.	Our skill as a couple at problem-solving quickly and effectively.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
J.	Our skill as a couple in negotiating/compromising when we differ.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
K.	Our skill as a couple in fighting in a healthy, fair way when we argue.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
L.	I acknowledge my partner often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
M.	My partner acknowledges me often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
N.	I compliment my partner often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
O.	My partner compliments me often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
P.	I validate my partner's thoughts and feelings often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
Q.	My partner validates my thoughts and feelings often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
R.	I encourage my partner often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1
S.	My partner encourages me often enough.	ND	5	4	3	2	1

## <u>Committed Relationship Communication Skills Assessment – Using Your Results</u>

Effectively communicating consistently is the most important skill needed to create and grow a loving, joyful committed relationship. The assessment you completed reflects how competent you believe you currently are, as a couple, in specific, valuable communication skills you use.

- ✓ Share your completed surveys with each other.
- ✓ Acknowledge which communication skills you have rated similarly and differently.
- ✓ Acknowledge the communication skills you both agree you use very well.
- ✓ Identify and prioritize the communication skills that you desire to collaborate to improve.
- ✓ Use the attached form to support you in planning and achieving your improvement.
- ✓ Make a commitment to enjoy that process!

Call 1 (866) 724-2000 to schedule time with a GRS Relationship Coach to help you! in-person by phone using Skype