10 Clues to Career Direction

1. What do I love to do? What would I do even if I were not paid to do it?
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2. What parts of my life do I thoroughly enjoy? When am I energized?
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3. What do I naturally do well?
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4. What classes fascinate and absorb me?
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5. Is there a cause I am passionate about? What about the cause am I attracted to?
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6 What messages am I receiving from family/peers about my career direction? Which ones fit for me? Which ones don’t?

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7 Who are my heroes and heroines? What traits do I admire about them?

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8 What do I most often want to talk or read about?

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9 If I were writing my epitaph, what would I want to be remembered for? (Epitaph: a phrase or form of words written in memory of someone)

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10 What would I do if I knew I could not fail? (Look beyond any perceived limitations.)

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