

Spark or Sputter?

Self-Assessment for Aspiring Artists

Believe it or not, you *can* answer your calling as an artist without giving up financial stability. By answering the questions below, you'll gain insight into whether or not you're positioned for both **passion and prosperity** in your creative life.

Rate each statement on a scale of 1 (strongly disagree) to 10 (strongly agree).

01

Creative Routine

I have a consistent creative routine I am satisfied with.

Rate:

___/10

02

Flow & Fulfillment

When I sit down to create, I easily find flow and feel successful at the end of the session.

___/10

03

Artistic Identity

I feel confident in my identity as an artist and I feel clear on how it fits with other roles in my life.

___/10

04

Financial Stability

I feel a sense of peace and security around my finances.

___/10

05

Day Job Peace

I feel satisfied and content in my day job, and it does not detract from my creative process.

___/10

06

Creative Fulfillment

I believe my artistic talents and passions are being put to good use.

___/10

07

Support System

I have a support system (family, friends, online community) that understands and encourages my creative goals.

___/10

08

Sharing

I am comfortable talking with people about my art, and I know exactly when, where, and how I like to share my work with others. _____ /10

09

Time Investment

I feel satisfied with the amount of time and energy I am able to spend on my art. _____ /10

10

Future Outlook

I can see a future where I am both creatively fulfilled and financially thriving. _____ /10

Sum up your ratings for each question to **find your total score** (out of 100): _____

Score 80-100: Thriving Artist

You are actively engaged in your creative journey and are stepping into your full potential as an artist. Stay balanced, remain consistent, and continue exploring new ways to build your wealth and your creative portfolio at the same time. If you'd like help to fine-tune your creative experience, book a call with me. Together we can tackle your growth edge and take you to the next level.

Score 40-79: Seeking Balance

You're on the right track but may benefit from further guidance. It can be challenging to step into your identity as an artist without sacrificing other roles. There's more to unlock here, and a fulfilled creative life awaits you! If you'd like help finding synergy among all your priorities and passions, book a call with me. Together we'll elevate your artistry in balance with the rest of your life.

Score 10-39: Blocked Potential

Without a change, you risk never fulfilling your artistic dreams. But you don't have to stay stuck! (And you don't have to become a starving artist, either.) All you need is the right blueprint and strategies to go from blocked to thriving. Getting started is easier than you think. Book a call with me, and together we'll pinpoint the powerful changes you can make now to build a rich creative life.

What to do next...

Regardless of where you fall on the spectrum, know that success is a journey. If you think you would benefit from proven techniques, guidance, and coaching to help you build a rich and fulfilling creative life, let's chat. I'm here to help.

Book a free 15-minute discovery call at www.laurenspangler.com/connect