## GREAT AWAKENING INTERNATIONAL STAGES OF AWAKENING TEST Word Sort

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**Describe your Awakening Experience:** Below are rows of word clusters. Look at all the clusters in the first row (A, B, C, D). Read the words and decide which of the lettered clusters is most like you. Give that box a "4". Then rank order the next three clusters from 3 to 1 in descending preference. You will end up with a row of four boxes with numbers "4" (most like you) to "1" (least like you). Continue this process with the remaining four rows until you end up with five horizontal rows that each have a 4, 3, 2, and 1.

| ROW ONE          |              |               |             |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| A                | B            | C             | D           |
| Denial           | Explosive    | Isolation     | Stable      |
| Dismissive       | Angry        | Rejected      | Endurance   |
| Skeptical        | Fanatic      | Uncertainty   | Scholarship |
| ROW TWO          |              | ,             | -           |
| E                | F            | G             | H           |
| Analytical       | Emotional    | Ambitious     | Inquiring   |
| Sticktoitiveness | Aloneness    | Arguments     | Questioning |
| Knowledgeable    | Confused     | Insensitive   | Curious     |
| ROW THREE        |              |               |             |
| l                | J            | K             | L           |
| Motivated        | Curious      | Frustration   | Unwavering  |
| Epiphany         | Detached     | Annoyance     | Zeal        |
| Traditional      | Ostracized   | Uncomfortable | Assured     |
| ROW FOUR         |              |               |             |
| M                | N            | 0             | P           |
| Ad hominems      | Embarrassing | Withdrawn     | Optimism    |
| Doctrinal wars   | Bewildered   | Attacked      | Unrelenting |
| Family fallouts  | Suspicion    | Depression    | Discipline  |
| ROW FIVE         |              |               |             |
| Q                | R            | S             | T           |
| Confident        | Demonized    | Betrayed      | Insight     |
| Connection       | Doubting     | Shamed        | Procedural  |
| Endurance        | Shunned      | Interrogation | Predictable |
|                  |              |               |             |

Now, add up the point values you assigned to each group of words using the following formulas:

| Total the score for these Stage 1 - A, H, K, N, S |  |
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| Total the score for these Stage 2- C, F, J, O, R  |  |
| Total the score for these Stage 3- B, G, I, M, T  |  |
| Total the score for these Stage 4 - D, E, L, P, Q |  |