THE LUCK TENDENCY QUESTIONNAIRE

The following questionnaire was devised to reliably classify participants by whether they tend to feel more Lucky, Unlucky, or Neutral (neither lucky nor unlucky). Please take a few minutes to take the questionnaire and discover how you would be categorized.

To complete the questionnaire, simply read each of the descriptions that follow, and, for each one, rate how well it describes you by assigning a number between 1 and 7 on the following scale:

Lucky description

More lucky people tend to be people for whom seemingly chance events tend to work out consistently in their favor. For example, they seem to win more than their fair share of raffles and lotteries, or often accidentally meet people who can help them in some way, or their good fortune might play an important role in them achieving their ambitions and goals.

How well does this describe you?

| Doesn't | | | | | | Describes |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|-----------|
| describe | | | | | | me very |
| me at all | | | | | | well |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

Unlucky description:

Less lucky people tend to be the opposite — seemingly chance events tend to work out consistently against them. For example, they never seem to win anything in competitions, or they tend to be involved in accidents that are not their fault, or are unlucky in love, or tend to experience a great deal of ill fortune in their careers.

How well does this describe you?

| Doesn't | | | | | | Describes |
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Scoring

People may be classified as more Lucky, Unlucky, or Neutral on the basis of their answers. The classification is simple. Just create a "Luck Score" by subtracting the rating that you have given to the Unlucky description from the rating that you have given to the Lucky description.

For example, if you gave 5 to the first description and 1 to the second, you would have a Luck Score of +4. If, however, you gave 2 to the first description and 7 to the second, you would have a Luck Score of -5. If you gave 5 to the first description and 4 to the second, you would have a Luck Score of +1.

If your Luck Score is +3 or higher, you are classified as Luckier. If it is equal to -3 or lower, you are classified as Unluckier. People obtaining all other Luck Scores are classified as Neutral (that is, neither Lucky nor Unlucky). Luck Scores of +4, -5, and +1 are classified as more Lucky, Unluckier, and Neutral, respectively.

Note: Adapted from *The Luck Factor* by Richard Wiseman.