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Journey Through the Rainforest Mind Understanding Giftedness

Licensed counselor Paula Prober explains the challenges exceptionally bright children and adults face such as perfectionism, high expectations, loneliness, sensitivities, existential depression, multi-potentiality, and guilt/responsibility for saving the world.

Using examples from her counseling practice, Prober provides suggestions, strategies, and resources to assist gifted children and adults in their search for meaning, connection, and self-actualization.

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Her office is in Eugene, OR. In March, she will open a part-time practice in Portland.

Paula Prober, M.S., M.Ed. is a licensed counselor in private practice in Eugene, Oregon. Over the 30 years she has worked with the gifted, Prober has been a teacher, consultant, and adjunct instructor with the University of Oregon and a guest presenter at Pacific University. Presently, she is counseling gifted adults and youth, consulting with parents of gifted children, and training educators and psychotherapists to work with the gifted. She has written articles on giftedness for the *Eugene Register-Guard*, the *Psychotherapy Networker*, *Advanced Development* journal and the *Annals of the American Psychotherapy Association*.



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