

Evangelism and the Believer

Lesson # 10 Homework

Memorize: I Peter 3:15

“But sanctify Christ as Lord in your hearts, always being ready to make a defense to everyone who asks you to give an account for the hope that is in you, yet with gentleness and reverence.”

The word *evangelism* brings many thoughts to mind. Some think of tents and famous speakers; still others of weekly “visitation” and the terror of “witnessing.” This lesson will introduce the biblical concept of evangelism and the role the believer plays.

I. The Call to Evangelism

A. According to Mark 16:15, what were the disciples to do?

B. What are three aspects of making disciples recorded in Matthew 28:19-20?

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C. What did Jesus say should be proclaimed to all the nations (Luke 24:46-47)?

D. What was Paul to tell all people (Acts 22:15)?

II. The Good News of Evangelism: The Gospel

A. According to I Corinthians 15:3-4, what is the good news that Paul preached?

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2. _____

3. _____

B. Of what did Paul say he was not ashamed (Romans 1:16)?

Why? _____

III. The Essentials of Evangelism

A. What must someone believe about Jesus Christ for salvation?

1. John 1:1 _____

2. John 14:6 _____

3. Acts 4:12 _____

B. The following are key verses in sharing the gospel message. Look up each verse and briefly summarize the key point:

1. Romans 3:23 _____

2. Romans 6:23 _____

3. Romans 5:8 _____

4. I Peter 2:24 _____

5. Romans 10:9 _____

6. John 1:12 _____

Most People Do Not Understand the Following:

- Man cannot save himselfMark 10:26-27
- God is holy, righteous, and hates sin Psalm 5:4-5
- Jesus Christ is God Colossians 2:9
- Christ's death on the cross was for our sins I Peter 3:18
- Christ offers heaven as a free gift of God Romans 6:23

IV. Strategy for Evangelism

A. Witness by your life

1. What kind of life should we live and how should we appear to the world (Philippians 2:14-15)?

Others Will See Your Redeemer Through Your Redeemed Life.

2. Read Matthew 5:16.

a. What do people notice that makes a Christian's life shine?

b. What will be the result? _____

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3. According to Colossians 4:6, how should you speak to others?
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B. Prayer

1. As Paul prayed for others, what was on his heart (Romans 10:1)?
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2. For what requests did Paul ask the Colossians to pray (Colossians 4:3-4)?
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3. When speaking the Word of God to others, especially in threatening situations, what should we ask God to give us (Acts 4:29)?
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“First of all, then, I urge that entreaties and prayers, petitions and thanksgivings, be made on behalf of all men ... This good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.”

I Timothy 2:1,3-4

C. Use God’s Word

1. What will God’s Word do (Hebrews 4:12)?
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2. How did Paul use the Scripture in witnessing (Acts 17:2-3)?

3. What are the Scriptures able to do (II Timothy 3:15)?

We must be ready to speak of Christ in any situation. We must know the essentials of the gospel. We must have confidence in God and His Word.

“Always being ready to make a defense ... to give an account for the hope that is in you “ (I Peter 3:15).

Then pray and look for opportunities!

V. Application

List several people whom you want to reach for Christ. Pray regularly for those people and prepare for the opportunity to share the Word of God with them. Allow God to do His convicting work and trust Him.

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