

EVANGELISM



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1. WHY SHARE OUR FAITH?

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. (Mt 28:19)

a. It's God's command.

Acts 1:8; Rev 22:17

b. It demonstrates our love for God

Jn 14:15

c. Since all are lost

Rom 3:10, 23

d. It's God's chosen method

(He could have used angels, but He didn't; only redeemed sinners can tell lost sinner about Christ) ; Rom 10:14-17; Acts 8:3

e. God desires to save all people

Acts 4:12; 2 Pet 3:9; 1 Tim 2:4

f. Someone once shared his faith with us

(a faithful Bible teacher, a godly pastor or a praying parent and may rightly expect us to do the same); 1 Cor 15:3,4



2. WHAT TO SHARE?

For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, (I Cor 15:3, 4)

a. All are sinners, condemned to hell (Bible)

Is 53:6; Rom 3:10, 11, 23; Rom 5:8, 12; Rev 20:15

b. None can save himself or herself, or others

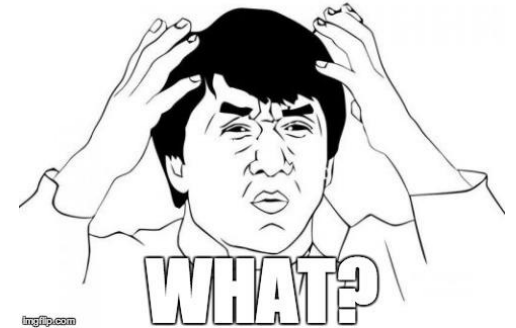
Is 64:6; Eph 2:9

c. Christ was born, crucified, and resurrected to SAVE lost people from their sin

(Vicarious substitute in death, in our place); John 3:16; 1 Tim 1:15

d. To be saved sinners must believe God's Word, repent and turn away from sin and invite Christ into their hearts by faith

John 5:24; Acts 16:31



3. BE PREPARED TO WIN SOULS

For Ezra had devoted himself to the study and observance of the Law of the LORD, and to teaching its decrees and laws in Israel. (Ezra 7:10)

a. Be clean vessels

Is 52:11; Ps 51:13



b. Tell the simple facts of the gospel

(Philip, the evangelist, without getting bogged down with profound theological concepts, demonstrated how to do this when dealt with a sinner in the desert); Acts 8:35

c. Avoid arguments and focus on sin and Christ's atonement as the solution for freedom from sin

1 John 1:7-9

d. Quote the Bible (or use God's Word to defend His own Word)

Acts 17:2; Acts 18:28; 2 Tim 2:15; 2 Tim 3:14-7

e. Prayerfully depend on the Holy Spirit

John 3:15; Acts 6:10; 1 Cor 2:4

4. HOW TO EVANGELISE?

Because our gospel came to you not simply with words but also with power, with the Holy Spirit and deep conviction. You know how we lived among you for your sake. (1 Thess 1: 5)

a. Regularly talk about God

E.g., Naaman's servant girl (2 Kings 5:3)

b. Prepare your testimony

Christ's advice to the man freed from legion of demons: "Go home to your friends, and tell them what great things the Lord has done for you, and how He has had compassion on you." (Mk 5:19)

c. Learn a brief summary of the gospel

Paul's summary of the gospel: 1 Cor 15:3-5, 10-11



5. WHEN TO SHARE OUR FAITH?

Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage--with great patience and careful instruction. (2 Tim 4:2)

a. Today is the day of Salvation

(2 Cor 6:2) [as there is no assurance, the sinner will see tomorrow]

b. Any time, all the time, any place and all the places

Paul did so, in prison, houses, synagogues, even a sinking ship

Thank You

May **GOD** bless you

To be a **BLESSING** through eternity by

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