

Re-Gifting

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Wednesday Bible Study

1. Why should you share the Gospel?

- a) We are to live our lives so that we are the world's "Bible" and a "sermon" that God preaches to them through us. **Matthew 5:14-16** **John 7:37-39**
- b) Notice the emphasis on discipleship. **Matthew 13:20-22** **Matthew 28:19-20**
- c) If you don't want to share the Gospel, God can't and won't use you! **1 Thessalonians 5:19**
Philippians 2:13
- d) We must be sensitive to the Spirit's leading. **Acts 8:29** **Acts 16:6-7** **Matthew 10:19-20**
- e) Website for solid Gospel tracts: www.evangel.org

2. Why your hearer needs the Savior...

- a) We are *ALL sinners* and our actions do not measure up to *God's standard of perfection* which is required to enter Heaven. **Romans 3:23**
- b) The penalty for *our sin* is spiritual death, *separation from God forever* in Hell, BUT the *free gift God offers* is *eternal LIFE* through *Jesus as Lord of your life!* **Romans 6:23**

3. What has God done to correct this situation?

- a) Jesus, Who never sinned, became the *substitute for you and me* by taking *our sin* upon Himself and dying *in our* place on the cross! **2 Corinthians 5:21**
- b) While we were *still sinners*, Jesus took *our place* on the cross and died! **Romans 5:8**
- c) After being *in the grave* for 3 days, *Jesus rose from the dead* and then ascended to the right hand of God the Father, *proving* that His death-payment *for you and me* was *accepted by God* the Father! **Hebrews 9:11-14**

4. How can the hearer have these facts applied to them?

a) By *unearned approval*, you and I can be saved from *eternal separation from God* through *trust* in Jesus' death, resurrection and ascension *alone*. This is *not because of anything you did*, it is a *free gift from God*, so we can't brag! **Ephesians 2:8-9**

b) You can't go to church enough, give enough money away, walk enough old ladies across the street or anything else to earn a spot in Heaven!

c) *Trust* in your heart *that Jesus did what He said He did* and that *that is ALL that is necessary* to save you from eternal separation from God in Hell and *say OUT LOUD that you want to make Jesus your Lord...* and you are saved! **Romans 10:9-10**

d) TRUST is what happens when you actually SIT in a chair, instead for just looking at a chair and thinking, "Yes, that chair will hold me up."

5. Is there any reason why you can't be saved right now?

a) Talk to God OUT LOUD and tell Him...

** I know that I am a sinner and deserve to spend eternity separated from you in Hell.

** I know I can't do anything to earn my way in to Heaven and I trust and believe that Jesus' death, resurrection and ascension pays what I owe for my sin.

** Please send the Holy Spirit to live in my heart and control my life from today on.

** I pray this in the name of Jesus, Amen.

b) Understand that praying IS NOT what saves you... TRUSTING IN JESUS' death, resurrection and ascension does... praying OUT LOUD simply cements it in your heart and mind.

6. What just happened?

a) **Read John 5:24**

Did you hear God's Word from me?

Did you believe what God said in His Word and trust Jesus as your Savior?

Does "HAS everlasting life" mean NOW or SOME TIME LATER?

Does it say "SHALL not come into judgement" or "MAY not come into judgement"?

Does it say "HAS passed from death to life" or "WILL pass from death to life"?

b) Eternal life is based on *facts and your actions* NOT feelings!

7. What the hearer should do now.

a) Talk to God through prayer EVERYDAY and tell Him everything on your mind.

Philippians 4:6-7

b) Read the ESV or NAS version of the Bible EVERYDAY, starting with John or Philippians.

2 Timothy 3:16-17

c) Worship God with others in a local church.

Hebrews 10:24-25

d) Tell others (especially family and friends) how Jesus saved you.

Romans 10:13-15

e) Read "An Anchor For The Soul".

“Won By One”

Mylon LeFevre and Brokenheart

Day by day
Millions are looking for hope
Inch by inch
They come to the end of their rope
They're caught up fighting with their circumstances
Unless you offer them a chance

(Chorus)
One by one
Somebody's got to tell your world
One by one
Take His message to every boy and every girl
One by one
There is no need to fear it
Cause your friends need to hear it
And they are waiting to be
Won by one

Step by step
Take them into the Light
Bit by bit
Lead them out of the night
You can help them beat their circumstance
If you will offer them a chance