

# Sharing the Gospel

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### Overview

Your mission trip can prepare you for the mission \_\_\_\_\_.

5 areas that most people are reportedly least equipped in:

1. Sharing the gospel
2. Sharing your \_\_\_\_\_ tied to scripture
3. Having a spiritual \_\_\_\_\_
4. Praying out loud around other people
5. Praying with a person \_\_\_\_\_

### Sharing the gospel

If you can spell the word gospel you can share the gospel in 20-45 seconds.

G-O-S-P-E-L

G – **God** created us to be in a \_\_\_\_\_ with Him

O – **Our** sin \_\_\_\_\_ us from God

S – Our **sin** can't be erased by doing good \_\_\_\_\_

P – In **paying** the \_\_\_\_\_ for our sin, Jesus came, lived a sinless life, died on the cross, and rose from the grave

E – **Everyone** who confesses with their \_\_\_\_\_ that Jesus is Lord and believes in their \_\_\_\_\_ that God raised them from the dead

L – will **live** in \_\_\_\_\_ one day when they pass from earth.

### Sharing your grace story tied to Scripture

1. Your life before Jesus Christ
2. What transpired in your life when you came to realization you need a \_\_\_\_\_?
3. What happened after you surrendered your life to Jesus Christ?

Our grace story is about what Jesus has done in our \_\_\_\_\_.

- He changed your \_\_\_\_\_, conduct, conversation, and conscious – the very way you live your life

Life verse

- Find a passage of scripture that aligns with your grace story – your \_\_\_\_\_
- Start by sharing your life verse. This is a reminder that this is about Jesus and not about me

For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. – Colossians 1:13-14

## Having a spiritual conversation

How do you turn a conversation into a spiritual conversation?

Ask questions and listen to their responses:

- Questions:
  - What's your spiritual \_\_\_\_\_ in attending church or reading the Bible?
  - To you personally, who is Jesus?
  - Do you believe that there's a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_?
  - If what you just shared about what you believe wasn't true, would you want to know?
- *Just \_\_\_\_\_ to their responses*

Share short pieces of Scripture

- Scripture:
  - Romans 3:23
  - Romans 6:23
  - John 3:3
  - John 14:6
  - Romans 10:9-11
  - 2 Corinthians 5:15
  - Revelation 3:20
- Ask them to read the Scripture – let the Spirit speak to them
- After reading Revelation 3:20, ask them if this (accepting Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior) something you'd like to do right now?
- Give them the Bible

Be an \_\_\_\_\_ for the gospel of Jesus Christ.

### Resources

*Sharing the Gospel with Ease:* Thom S. Rainer

*Recapturing Evangelism: A Biblical Theological Approach:* Matt Queen

*Turning Everyday Conversations into Gospel Conversations:* Jimmy Scroggins, Steve Wright

*The Great Commission to Worship:* David Wheeler, Vernon M. Whaley

*Missed some fill-in the blanks? No problem!*

*Review the answer key:*



*Want to discuss this more?*

*Community Group Discussion Guide:*

