

GETTING STARTED IN PERSONAL EVANGLEISM

WHO?

We need to get a number of people clearly in mind.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

"SOMEDAY, I'M GONNA CONVERT SOMEBODY" -- IS TOO VAGUE.

GET SPECIFIC

PRAY FOR THEM

1 Timothy 2:1
Phillippians 4:16
2 Thes. 3:1

ANALYZE THEM

Out of genuine interest and concern for these precious souls find as much as you can about them.

- Family
- Work
- Religious convictions
- Member of a church

- Hobbies
- General Interests

What have you discussed about religion with them in the past?

THINK ABOUT TOOLS

- Tracts
- Correspondence course
- Telephone messages
- Services of the congregation -- Regular/ Meetings
- Home study classes

Familiarize yourself with all of these so you can interest others in them.

PLAN YOUR WORK?

Decide what approach you are going to make to reach this precious soul.

2 Timothy 2:24-26

Colossians 4:5-6

1 Peter 3:15

WORK YOUR PLAN

Do it! Don't Delay!

John 13:17

Ecclesiastes 9:10

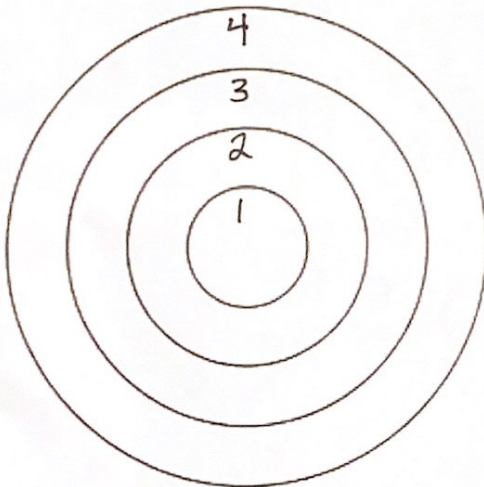
James 4:17



Your Personal Prospects List

Prospect (Friend)	Religion	Possible Obstacles

Our circle of prospects from common associations to new associations



- 1) Family, friends, co-workers
- 2) Visitors in the assembly,
All requests for a Bible study course;
(Acts 17:22)
- 3) Occasional service associations
Grocer, hairdresser, barber, doctor,
dentist, mechanic, etc. (make
opportunities out of ordinary situations,
cf. Jn. 4:7)
- 4) Search for new associations
Podcasts, mailouts, door to door,
neighborhood studies, etc. (Mt. 13:3-9)

Plan your work, work your plan

- 1) Prayer (Rom. 10:1-3; Col. 4:2-4)
- 2) 10 identical Bibles
- 3) Structured Bible Studies for evangelism
- 4) Copies of all lessons
- 5) Basic Bible tracts
- 6) Be prepared to give many good reasons for the Bible study:
 - Bible based
 - Learn the Bible as a complete unit (whole picture)
 - Structured, organized
 - At student's house or choice of meeting (Private Study)
 - Easy to understand lessons
 - Children can have their own study
 - Choice of topics
 - Flexible schedule

Don't Give Up Too Soon!

Luke 14:23 "...*Compel* them to come. . ."

- 1) Offer to begin with just one study
- 2) Offer a "Bible based study on the family"
- 3) Correspondence Course
- 4) Invite them to the assembly
- 5) Invite them to your house for a meal