

# **YOU ARE CALLED TO REACH OTHERS FOR CHRIST**

## **Live Your Calling: Discovering God Purpose for Your Life**

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### **Ephesians 1:5**

- **GOD'S PLAN FOR HISTORY: HE'S GATHERING A FAMILY THAT WILL LOVE AND \_\_\_\_\_ WITH HIM FOREVER!**

*"Anyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. But how can they call on him to save them unless they believe in him? And how can they believe in him if they have never heard about him? And how can they hear about him unless someone tells them? And how will anyone go and tell them without being SENT? That is what the Scriptures mean when they say, 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring Good News!'"* **Romans 10:13-15 (NLT)**

- **MY 5<sup>TH</sup> PURPOSE AND CALLING IN LIFE: TO \_\_\_\_\_ OTHERS INTO GOD'S FAMILY.**

*"Through Christ, God made peace between us and himself. Then God gave us the work of bringing others into peace with him."* **2 Corinthians 5:18 (ICB)**

*"Jesus said, PEACE be with you! As the Father has SENT me, I am SENDING you..."* **John 20:21 (NIV)**

## **HOW TO GET STARTED**

1. **BECOME \_\_\_\_\_** - of the unbelievers God has placed in your life.
  - ✓ *Make a list of them by name.*
  - ✓ *Determine each person's level of spiritual interest.*
  - ✓ *Look for common areas of interest you can build on.*

## 2. COMMIT TO \_\_\_\_\_

- ✓ Use your list to pray for your unsaved friends every day.
- ✓ *Pray that you'll get the opportunity to share your story.*

**Colossians 4:3-5**

*"Don't forget to pray for us too, that God will give us many chances to preach the Good News of Christ for which I am here in jail."* **Colossians 4:3 (LB)**

*"Pray that I will be bold enough to tell it freely and fully and make it plain, as, of course, I should."* **Colossians 4:4 (LB)**

*"Make the most of your chances to tell others the Good News. Be wise in all your contacts with them."* **Colossians 4:5 (LB)**

- ✓ *Pray that God will give you wisdom for what to say.*
- James 1:5**

*"If you want to know what God wants you to do, ask him, and he will gladly tell you, for he is always ready to give a bountiful supply of wisdom to all who ask him; he will not resent it."* **James 1:5 (LB)**

## 3. SHOW YOU \_\_\_\_\_

- ✓ *Be a genuine friend. Help them in practical ways.*
- ✓ *Be a good listener. This is an important way to show love.*

## 4. BE READY TO \_\_\_\_\_

- ✓ *Identify yourself as a positive, joyful follower of Christ.*
- ✓ *Share your story when the occasion naturally arises...and it will!*

## TELL YOUR FRIEND \_\_\_\_\_ YOU BECAME A CHRISTIAN

Jesus said "Go back home and tell people how much God has done for you. So the man went all over town telling how much Jesus had done for him."

**Luke 8:39 (NCV)**

**MEMORY VERSE:** "Work at bringing others to Christ." **2 Timothy 4:5 (NLT)**

## FOUR PARTS OF YOUR TESTIMONY

### 1. WHAT MY LIFE WAS LIKE \_\_\_\_\_ I MET CHRIST.

- What common circumstances would an unbeliever identify with?
- What were your attitudes that an unbeliever would identify with?
- What was most important to you?
- What substitute for God did you use to find meaning in your life?  
(success at school, sex, drugs/alcohol, having fun, entertainment, popularity, hobbies, etc.)

### 2. HOW I REALIZED I \_\_\_\_\_ CHRIST.

- What significant steps led to your decision for Christ?
- What needs, hurts, or problems made you dissatisfied with the way you were living without God?
- How did God get your attention? What motivated you?

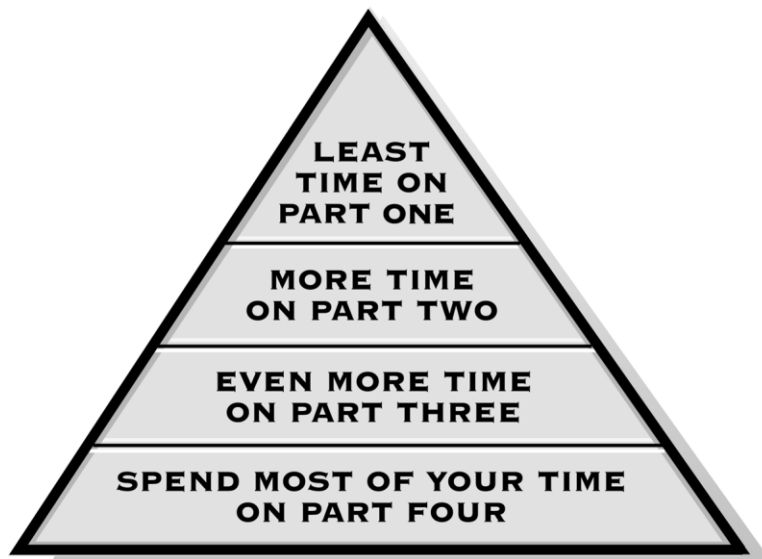
### 3. HOW I \_\_\_\_\_ MY LIFE TO CHRIST.

- What specifically did you do? Where did it happen?
- What did you say in your prayer? Be specific.

**4. THE \_\_\_\_\_ IT HAS MADE IN MY LIFE.**

- What benefits have you experienced or felt?
- What problems have been resolved?
- How has Jesus helped you change for the better?
- How has it helped your relationships?
- Give a current example.

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### **My Next Steps Today:**

- I will memorize **2 Timothy 4:5 (NLT)**
- I am accepting Christ for the first time
- I am recommitting my life to God
- I want to join the New Life Church Family
- I will make a list of those I think don't go to church
- I will pray for those on my list
- I will write out my testimony

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