Grace Evangelism

LESSON 1:

The Foundations of Biblical Evangelism



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• The Mission:

- What is God's ultimate purpose for evangelism?
- The Motivation
 - What motivates believers to evangelize?
- •The Message
 - What characterizes a biblical gospel presentation?
- •The Method
 - What are the guiding principles of presenting the message?



The Mission: God's ultimate purpose for evangelism is to glorify Himself.

- A. God's ultimate purpose in everything is to glorify Himself.
- B. Salvation accomplishes God's mission to bring Himself glory.
- C. Evangelism exists because worship does not.



The Motivation: Believers are motivated by love for God.

- A. If we love God, we will obey Him.
 - 1. Love for God expresses itself in obedience, of which evangelism is a part.
 - 2. Love for God expresses itself in love toward others.
- B. If we obey Him, we will glorify Him.



The Message: The God-centered gospel presentation emphasizes God's glory and man's sinfulness.

- A. The God-centered message proclaims God's holiness.
- B. The God-centered message reveals man's sinful condition.
- C. The God-centered message declares Christ as Savior and Lord.



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D. The God-centered message calls sinners to repent and believe in Christ.

E. The God-centered message proclaims God Himself as the great end of the gospel.

- 1. God's chief end in salvation is His own glory.
- 2. The sinner's greatest benefit in salvation is God Himself.



The Method: We evangelize with a transformed lifestyle and a biblical presentation.

- A. Live a transformed life.
- B. Maintain a lifestyle of prayer.
- C. Present the gospel with wisdom and innocence.
- D. Rely upon Scripture as the only authority.



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LESSON 2:

The Gospel Presentation, Part 1



The Gospel Presentation, Part 1: I. God

- A. God is Creator and Owner of everything.1. The Person of God Revealed in Creation.
 - 2. The Law of God Revealed in the Conscience.
 - The conscience is an alarm system.
 - The conscience activates based on the level of good that it knows.

- The conscience can be programmed.
- B. God is perfectly holy.
- C. God requires perfect obedience to His law.



The Gospel Presentation, Part 1: II. Man

- A. Everyone has broken God's law.
- B. The consequence for sin is separation from God.
- C. Good works and good intentions cannot save anyone.



Question & Answer

- What is the importance of showing God as Creator and Owner?
- How does Romans 1:18–20 prove the existence of God?
- Since God is Creator, His Word is not only true and truth, but is better and best—unpack what this means in regards to God's design and how this can be shared with an unbeliever.
- What passages of Scripture demonstrate how sinful we are, and how might you use it?
- What Scriptures show that our good works or intentions cannot save us?
- How might our therapeutic world redefine sin and salvation?
- Share any evangelistic encouragements.

