

SOME PRACTICAL DO'S AND DON'TS WHEN IT COMES TO EVANGELISM

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A. Reminders of Things TO Do

1. Be sure to _____ upon the _____ and His supernatural ability throughout the whole process (2 Cor. 3:5-6).

2. Acknowledge the essential benefit of _____ the whole thing in _____ before, during and after the conversation.

3. Try to be _____, pleasant and _____ throughout your evangelistic endeavor (1 Pet. 3:15).

4. Always keep the issue between the _____ and _____, not between _____ and them.

5. Have them _____ from the Bible whenever possible, the Word of God is _____ and _____ and the Spirit of God will use it (Heb. 4:12; Eph. 6:17).

6. Whenever possible, try to _____ or eliminate potential _____.

B. Reminders of Things NOT to Do

1. Never make the person's sinful _____ the issue, trusting the _____ of Christ is the real issue.

2. Try to avoid _____ them into making some kind of a _____ before they leave you.

3. Try to avoid making _____ the issue, when the focus should be on the _____.

4. Try to avoid _____ at length with someone who is _____ in his false doctrine.

5. Try to avoid _____ them with your vast _____ of the Scriptures.

6. Do not _____ Christian truths to the _____, make clear distinctions between 1st and 2nd tense salvation if it comes up in the conversation.

7. Do not be _____ to tell a person that you _____ know the answer to his or her question.

8. Do not _____ about how many people you _____ to the Lord, but at the same time be sure to _____ one another.

9. Do not automatically _____ that people are _____, if they do not understand _____, they do not understand the Gospel of salvation.

10. Do not assume that you did something _____ if they do _____ get saved, your ministry might have been an important one to “plant seeds”.

* How can you apply these truths in your own witnessing?