

**1. Connecting people to the Savior**

- a) Luke 19:10 How did Jesus describe His mission?
- b) 1 Timothy 2:3-4 (see also 2 Peter 3:9) How many individuals does God want to save from sin and death?
- c) James 5:19-20 – joining Jesus in His mission
- d) Romans 10:8-17 What important insights can we gain from Paul's testimony?
- e) Share a time when God gave you the opportunity to cooperate with Him in reaching out to a lost person.
- f) Will people be lost if we don't cooperate with Jesus in His mission to seek and to save the lost?

**2. Bringing joy to the heart of God**

- a) Luke 15:6-7, 9-10, 22-24 What common theme do you hear in these three stories?
- b) Zephaniah 3:17 What impacts you the most as you hear this inspired description of the LORD our God?
- c) Why does our Savior rejoice when individuals accept His gift of salvation (John 3:16)?
- d) How can we share in the joy of the LORD?

**3. The blessings of sharing the truth about Jesus**

- a) John 7:37-38 Why is it important to allow Christ's living giving water to flow through us to bless the lives of those around us?

- b) Luke 6:38 What important truth is Jesus sharing here?
- c) What are some specific blessings that come to those who obey Christ's command to be His witnesses?
- d) Share a time when you were blessed as you shared the truth about Jesus with others.

**4. Faithfulness to Christ's command**

- a) Mark 16:15 Jesus gives a clear command at the conclusion of His earthly ministry. Why are some of His followers so hesitant to obey His command?
- b) Acts 1:8 Why is the message of Jesus before His ascension an essential lesson for those who choose to be faithful to His command?
- c) What are the consequences of being unfaithful to Christ's command to share the Gospel message with everyone on planet earth?

**5. Motivation for being Christ's witnesses**

- a) What are some inappropriate motivations for being Christ's witnesses?
- b) According to the apostle Paul, what should motivate us to share the Gospel message with the world? 2 Corinthians 5:14-15, 18-20
- c) Who has inspired you as someone who was/is motivated by love to be a powerful witness for Christ?

