# Lesson 1: Preparing for Soul-winning

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# <u>1.</u> The Soul-winner's Goals

**Note:** Although our <u>primary</u> goal is to have someone saved when we go soul-winning that is not our <u>only</u> goal!

# A. When we go out soul-winning and no one gets saved—we may not have done any soul\_\_\_\_\_ but we have done some soul\_\_\_\_\_

Acts 20:31 Therefore watch, and remember, that by the space of three years <u>*I ceased not to*</u> <u>*warn*</u> every one night and day with tears.

**Colossians 1:28** Whom we preach, <u>warning every man</u>, and teaching every man in all wisdom; that we may present every man perfect in Christ Jesus:

# B. When we go out soul-winning and no one gets saved—we were at least obedient to God's command

Matthew 28:19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

Matthew 28:20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

# C. When we go out soul-winning and no one gets saved—God will still reward us for our \_\_\_\_\_ or efforts

- 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 3:7 So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but <u>God that giveth the increase.</u>
- 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 3:8 Now he that planteth and he that watereth are one: and <u>every man shall</u> receive his own reward according to his own labour.

# D. When we go out soul-winning and no one gets saved—we at least got the word out about our church

## Statistics:

Saved = 1 first time visitor or visiting family Personal Invitations = 1 first time visitor or visiting family Flyers handed out = 1 first time visitor or visiting family

# 2. The Soul-winners Appearance

### A. When dressing for soul-winning remember who you represent

2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:20 Now then <u>we are ambassadors for Christ</u>, as though <u>God did beseech you</u> <u>by us</u>: we pray you <u>in Christ's stead</u>, be ye reconciled to God.

- 1) You represent the Lord \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 2) You represent \_\_\_\_\_ Church

### Note:

(a)Men please wear at least a tucked in collared shirt (prefer a shirt and tie)

(b)Ladies please no low cut shirts and skirts or dresses should go below the knee

### B. When dressing for soul-winning remember how you will feel

Note: Just dress comfortable—especially your shoes!

# 3. The Soul-winner's Rules

#### A. The Silent Partner

- 1) Do not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the key word is <u>silent</u>
- 2) Pray <u>silently</u> in your head
- 3) When appropriate minimize distractions

#### B. The People's Property

- 1) Don't walk on their \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) Don't sit in their furniture

# C. "No Soliciting" Signs

**Note:** If you feel comfortable with knocking on a door with a no soliciting sign go ahead—if you don't then don't!

#### D. *Our attitude*

- 1) Always be polite and pleasant no matter how people treat you
- 2) Remember we are \_\_\_\_\_ guests

# 4. The Soul-winners Introduction

#### A. Knock on the door firmly

- 1) How to knock
  - a. Not too soft
  - b. Not too loud

#### 2) Procedure in knocking

- a. Knock
- b. Wait a minute or two and then ring the doorbell or knock again

#### B. When someone answers the door

- 1) When the door begins to open end all \_\_\_\_\_\_ between soul-winning partners
- 2) Take the initiative in the conversation—don't allow for awkward
- *3)* Start with a well planned introduction

## Script:

*"Hi, we're coming from Verity <u>Baptist</u> Church and we wanted to give you an invitation to church."* 

#### C. If no one answers the door

- 1) Leave a church invitation on the front door or screen door
- 2) Leave the invitation so that it will be readily seen
- 3) Leave the invitation right side up and facing forward
- 4) Put the invitation on the door knob side away from the hinges

Action Step: Work on your "introduction" at the door