

## Leading others to Christ

### A Five Finger Reminder : “The Mission is in your hand” John 20v21, Matthew 10v32-33

#### 1. Acts 1:8 “You shall be My witnesses”

*Tell what Jesus did for you, not what you did to become a Christian. “Brag on Him !”  
A “silent witness” is a contradiction, either you are silent or you are a witness.  
A “silent witness” wants unsaved people to be the witnesses their life.  
A faithful witness tells all the truth and nothing but the truth.*

#### 2. Luke 8:11 “The seed is the Word of God”

*No one will get saved by trusting your testimony.  
Sow the Seed liberally ; give leather bound Bibles not cheap news print Gospels. **Mt13v4**  
Faith comes by hearing the Word of God, trusting Him at His Word. 1Cor3v6*

#### 3. Matthew 22:42 “What do you think about the Christ ?”

*“Drawing in the net”, looking for a decision, is often our weakest ability.  
Ask **open** questions, not yes-no “test” questions that judge people’s answers.  
Use a net of intertwined truths about salvation, not a hook to catch converts.  
Listen to their answers and their questions to respond **with more Seeds**.*

#### 4. Jonah 2:9 “Salvation is of the Lord”

*Saving is God's job, not yours.  
Don't try to do the work of the Spirit of God with arguments or convictions.  
**John 16:8** “He... will convict the world concerning sin, righteousness and judgment.”  
**Matthew 14:23** Follow Jesus and pray all night if necessary for the lost.  
The spiritual battle begins after the Seed is sown.*

#### 5. Matthew 28:18-20 “Make disciples... baptizing... and teaching them to observe all that I commanded you.”

*You can't baptize someone without getting wet yourself, so obey the Lord **TOGETHER**.  
Teaching what Jesus commands us is good, but it is **NOT** making a disciple.  
Teach an attitude, a passion, a humility before all the imperative verbs for Christians.  
Teaching to obey Jesus' commandments is **NOT** mentoring, making a clone of ourself.  
**John 4:34, 5:30, 6:38, 14:31, 15:10, 17:4** Jesus said, “I do My Father's will.”  
**Mark 1:17** Jesus said, “Follow Me !” In other words, let's obey Him together !  
Remember not to start with this last step, making disciples before leading them to Christ.*

### Review, React & Remember (The Real three R's)

Tell what Jesus did for you.

Say what He says.

Ask people questions.

Let God save ; just pray for your friend.

Make disciples of Jesus, who will in turn obey Him and tell others what He did for them !