

One-Year Focus

This year, we will simplify our lives, creating margin to saturate our community with gospel conversations.

As a part of the one-year focus, we want to have gospel conversations in our communities. For the next few weeks, we will develop our own testimony as a method of having a gospel conversation.

Testimony Audit

Answer the following questions:

1. Do I have a clear understanding of the Gospel/Salvation?
 2. Have I developed my story and written it out?
 3. Can I communicate it in less than 3 minutes?
 4. When was the last time you shared your story?
 5. Do you have relationships with non-believers that you could share your story with?
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Testimony Action Plan

As you prepare to put your testimony on paper, answer the following question.

How would you communicate the gospel in one sentence?

Write out your testimony following this outline:

Theme – Choose a word or phrase that characterizes your story.

- Afraid
- No purpose
- Hopeless
- Insecure
- Trapped in sin
- Choose your own word

Before Jesus – How did you begin to understand your brokenness and your need for Jesus?

Write a paragraph that answers this question.

My response to Jesus – How did you respond to Jesus?

- How did I recognize Him as the answer?
- Were there significant people in my life that helped me?
- How the gospel message met me in my condition

Write a paragraph that answers these questions.

Life-Change because of Jesus – What has happened to me because of my relationship with Jesus?

- How has Jesus changed me?
- How is Jesus continuing to transform my life?

Write a paragraph that answers these questions.

Action Steps

Now that you have your written testimony, take the following action steps.

- Begin to practice sharing it with yourself. (Think 3 minutes)
- As you get more comfortable, share it with a trusted family member/friend.
- Share your story in a small group setting in your Life Group.
- Pray for an opportunity to share your story with a non-believer.