

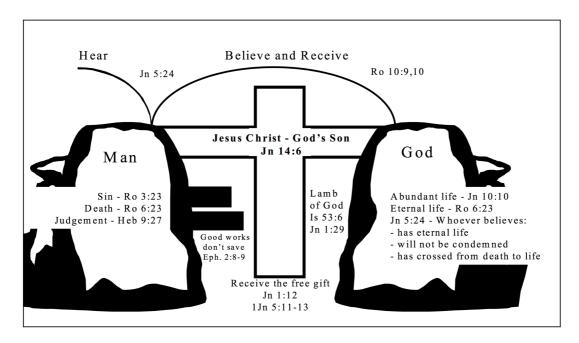
## Introduction to Evangelism

Part 2 - The urgent need

### I. THE NEED FOR EVANGELISM

# A. <u>People Are Spiritually Lost and Forever Separated from God without Jesus Christ</u>

### The Bridge



There are many verses that explain this need that all mankind has: Read through these verses as a group:

♦ Romans 1:18ff

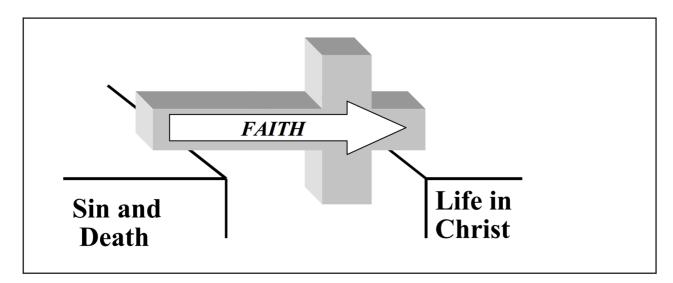
♦ John 14:6

♦ Romans 6:23

♦ Romans 3:9-20,23

◆ Ezekiel 3:16-21

◆ Ephesians 2:1-3



### B. We Are God's Method of Reaching the World

#### **READ THESE VERSES:**

 ◆ 2 Corinthians 5:16-2
 ◆ Acts 1:8
 ◆ Mark 16:15

◆ Matthew28:18-20 ◆ Romans1:14-17 ◆ 2 Timothy4:5

# C. Many are Eager to Hear and Understand the Solution to Their Dilemma

♦ Nicodemus—John 3 ♦ The man born blind—John 9

◆ Zacchaeus—Luke 19 ◆ Ethiopian eunuch—Acts 8

### D. The Gospel Has The Power to Change

1. The Gospel changes spiritual realities.

2. The Gospel changes the whole world.

3. The Gospel changes society.

4. The Gospel changes individuals.

5. The Gospel changes life now.

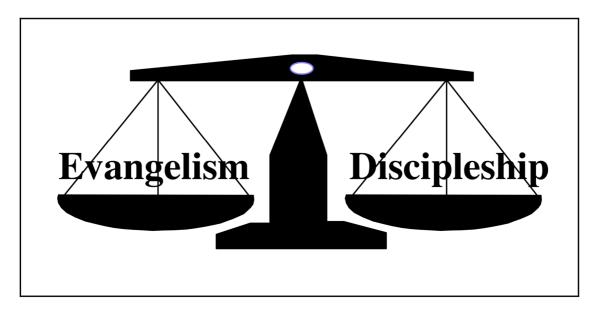
6. The Gospel changes our future.

7. The Gospel changes our eternity.

### II. THE MOTIVE OF EVANGELISM

- 1. It Is Possible to Evangelise Out of a Sense of Duty or Obligation to God or Others
- 2. It Is Possible to Evangelise Out of Fear of God and His Judgment
- 3. It Is Even Possible to Evangelise for Totally Inappropriate Reasons
- 4. We Should Evangelise Out of Love for Christ and The Lost

#### III. THE PLACE OF EVANGELISM IN THE VISION



### **QUESTIONS**

- What most motivates you to share the Gospel?
   Can you think of ten people in your web of relationships who need a personal relationship with Christ?
- 3. What plans do you have for increasing your evangelistic efforts?