

Connect Group Guide: "Sharing God's Word In His Way | 1 Peter 3"



Passage: 1 Peter 3:15

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Welcome:

(Choose a question for your group to discuss)

- Do you think there is a good and a bad way to go about sharing the message of Jesus?

Worship:

(You may choose to use YouTube or other mediums to facilitate your time of worship)

- [ELEVATION WORSHIP - Jesus Be The Name: Song Session](#)

Word:

(Discuss these questions in your group, encourage everyone to take part)

Before reading the scripture:

- Do you think tone is important in communication? Why?

- Do you think a correct answer with the wrong tone has the potential to cause relational damage?
- Why would we often rather be right than be gentle when we argue?

Read: 1 Peter 3:15

- *What* we are called to - sharing the gospel - is just as important as *how* we are called to it. Discuss...
- Why do you think it is important to check the condition of our hearts when sharing the gospel?
- Peter tells us to have an answer for the hope that lives within us. How can we show others that we are people of hope?
- How can we ensure that our hope is built on the person of Jesus and not on circumstances?
- How can we build up those closest to us with the encouragement and hope of Jesus?

Works:

(Take some time for personal reflecting on the following questions and then share back with the group)

- Who is God calling you to share the gospel with in a gentle and respectful manner?
- Who might God be placing on your heart to share the gospel with?
- How can you ensure that your heart is in the right place when sharing the gospel?

Closing:

(Remember to ask for prayer requests.)

Pray that we may find encouragement as we encourage others in their faith.

