GRACE EVANGELISM TRAINING

Lesson 3: The Gospel Presentation Part 2

LAST CLASS OVERVIEW:

Review:

- Gospel Presentation: Part 1
- God
- Man

III. CHRIST

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A. Jesus came to Earth as both God and sinless man.

Colossians 2:9 (NASB95)

9 For in Him all the fullness of Deity

dwells in bodily form,

1. CHRIST'S DEITY

John 10:30 (NASB95)

• 30 "I and the Father are one."

CHRIST'S DEITY

John 1:1, 14 (NASB95)

- 1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.
- 14 And the Word became flesh, and dwelt among us, and we saw His glory, glory as of the only begotten from the Father, full of grace and truth.

2. CHRIST'S HUMANITY

Hebrews 4:15 (NASB95)

• 15 For we do not have a high priest who cannot sympathize with our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all things as we are, yet without sin.

Romans 5:8 (NASB95)

• 8 But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

John 3:16 (NASB95)

• 16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.

2 Corinthians 5:21 (NASB95)

• 21 He made Him who knew no sin to be sin on our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

1 Peter 3:18 (NASB95)

• 18 For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, having been put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit;

1 Peter 2:24 (NASB95)

• 24 and He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, so that we might die to sin and live to righteousness; for by His wounds you were healed.

C. JESUS ROSE <u>FROM THE GRAVE AND IS ALIVE</u> <u>TODAY.</u>

1 Corinthians 15:3-4 (NASB95)

- 3 For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures,
- 4 and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures,

C. JESUS ROSE <u>FROM THE GRAVE AND IS ALIVE</u> <u>TODAY.</u>

Acts 17:30-31 (NASB95)

- 30 "Therefore having overlooked the times of ignorance, God is now declaring to men that all people everywhere should repent,
- 31 because He has fixed a day in which He will judge the world in righteousness through a Man whom He has appointed, having furnished proof to all men by raising Him from the dead."

C. JESUS ROSE <u>FROM THE GRAVE AND IS ALIVE</u> <u>TODAY.</u>

1 Peter 1:3 (NASB95)

• 3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

IV. YOU MUST <u>REPENT AND BELIEVE.</u>

Mark 1:15 (NASB95)

• 15 and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."

IV. YOU MUST <u>REPENT AND BELIEVE.</u>

John 1:12 (NASB95)

12 But as many as received Him, to them
He gave the right to become children of
God, even to those who believe in His
name,

IV. YOU MUST REPENT AND BELIEVE.

Revelation 3:20 (NASB95)

• 20 'Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and will dine with him, and he with Me.

A. REPENT OF ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.

2 Corinthians 7:10 (NASB95)

• 10 For the sorrow that is according to the will of God produces a repentance without regret, leading to salvation, but the sorrow of the world produces death.

WHAT IS TRUE REPENTANCE?

Simply put, true repentance is turning from sin and turning to Christ as Lord and Savior.

A. REPENT OF ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.

Isaiah 55:6-7 (NASB95)

- 6 Seek the LORD while He may be found; Call upon Him while He is near.
- 7 Let the wicked forsake his way And the unrighteous man his thoughts; And let him return to the LORD, And He will have compassion on him, And to our God, For He will abundantly pardon.

A. REPENT OF <u>ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.</u>

Luke 9:23 (NASB95)

• 23 And He was saying to them all, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me.

A. REPENT OF ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.

Luke 14:26-28 (NASB95)

- **26** "If anyone comes to Me, and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be My disciple.
- 27 "Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after Me cannot be
 My disciple.
- 28 "For which one of you, when he wants to build a tower, does not first sit down and calculate the cost to see if he has enough to complete it?

Repentance involves <u>confession of sin</u> to God that results in forgiveness.

To confess is to <u>say the same thing</u> <u>about sin that God does, to</u> <u>acknowledge His perspective on sin.</u>

A. REPENT OF ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.

Acts 8:22 (NASB95)

• 22 "Therefore repent of this wickedness of yours, and pray the Lord that, if possible, the intention of your heart may be forgiven you.

To be forgiven is to have complete
 purification from unrighteousness on the
 bases of Christ's righteousness freely
 imputed to us.

A. REPENT OF ALL THAT DISHONORS GOD.

1 John 1:9 (NASB95)

• 9 If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

B. BELIEVE IN CHRIST AS LORD AND SAVIOR.

Romans 10:9-10 (NASB95)

- 9 that if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord, and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved;
- **10** for with the heart a person believes, resulting in righteousness, and with the mouth he confesses, resulting in salvation.

B. BELIEVE IN CHRIST AS LORD AND SAVIOR.

Acts 16:31 (NASB95)

• 31 They said, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household."

Faith: "is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen." Hebrews 11:1. It will be demonstrated in obedience.

B. BELIEVE IN CHRIST AS LORD AND SAVIOR.

James 2:19-20 (NASB95)

- 19 You believe that God is one. You do well; the demons also believe, and shudder.
- 20 But are you willing to recognize, you foolish fellow, that faith without works is useless?

C. WILL YOU REPENT AND BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST OR REMAIN UNDER GOD'S WRATH?

Acts 17:30 (NASB95)

• 30 "Therefore having overlooked the times of ignorance, God is now declaring to men that all people everywhere should repent,

D. ENDING THE CONVERSATION.

HOMEWORK

1. Memorize Memory Card # 3

2. Complete Worksheet # 3