# Easter – Sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ

#### Version #1

#### <u>Gospel Text</u>

"For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that <u>Christ</u> <u>died for our sins</u> according to the Scriptures, <u>that he was buried, that he</u> <u>was raised on the third day</u> according to the Scriptures."

-1 Corinthians 15:3-4

<u>Gospel Fruit</u> <u>The Past</u> – SAVED... "from the penalty of sin"

Key Word: **Forgiven** Scripture: Romans 8:1

<u>The Present</u> – SAVED..." from the power of sin"

Key Word: *Freed* Scripture: Galatians 5:19-25

The Future – SAVED... "from the presence of sin"

Key Word: *Forever* with the Lord Scripture: John 3:16, 1 John 3:1-3

#### Gospel Response

How do I get saved? --Mark 1, Acts 20 – Repent, believe the good news, follow Jesus

## **Telling Your Story**

- Highlight the "<u>Gospel Text</u>" → Jesus died for your sins, our sins, and rose again for us.
- 2) Speak about "<u>Gospel Fruit</u>"
  - a. How did God forgive you from your sins?
  - b. How has God freed you to live in Him?
  - c. How is God leading you to be **forever** with Him?
- 3) Tell others what is our "Gospel Response"
  - a. Repent of our sins.
  - b. Believe the good news that Jesus died and rose again for us.
  - c. Follow Jesus.

## Version #2

#### <u>GOD</u>

Who made us?

"O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens." (Psalm 8:1)

Speak about God who made all things, and us in His image.

#### <u>HUMANS</u>

What's the problem? "For all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23)

The problem starts inside of all of us, in our hearts, with sin and brokenness.

## <u>CHRIST</u>

What is God's Solution?

"He himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness. By His wounds you have been healed. (1 Peter 2:24)

Jesus died on the cross to forgive our sins, and was raised from death to life to give us victory over the grave and the promise of eternal life.

## <u>RESPONSE</u>

How does a person receive this good news? "The time has come," Jesus said, "The Kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!" (Mark 1:15)

In order to receive this salvation, we repent of our sin and brokenness and believe in Jesus as the source of our eternal salvation.

## <u>Version #3</u> FRIENDLY INVITE

Tell others that you will be celebrating the resurrection of Jesus online, with Emmanuel, and give them the link to attend with us: <a href="https://www.erc.la/onlineworship">www.erc.la/onlineworship</a>

<u>Version #4</u> <u>REALITY LA – "Jesus Changed My Life"</u>

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