

WIC Adult Education

Tell The Truth: The Whole Gospel to the Whole Person by Whole People

Study 1: The Gospel Reduced

Read: Chapter 3, Appendix B

Questions

1. Contrast a secular definition of God and sin with a biblical definition (pp. 53-55, 62-67).
2. What three characteristics of God are important for the non-Christian to know, and why (pp. 54-58)?
3. Retell Paul's sermon on Mars Hill (Acts 17:22-34) as if you're talking to a non-Christian (pp.56-57).
4. Why is reminding people of God's law an important part of evangelism (pp.58-62)?
5. From Romans 7:7-13 and Philippians 3:4-11, explain what made Paul despair of self-sufficiency (self-generated righteousness) (p. 66).
6. Sin separates us from God and enslaves us. Give examples from Scripture and from your own experience (pp. 66-67).
7. What is the "dilemma" of which people must have some comprehension by the end of point 3? Why do we emphasize "bad news" when the gospel is "good news" (pp. 54, 67)?

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8. What are some stories from Scripture and your life that exhibit the love of Christ (pp. 69-70)?

9. What is the significance for our salvation of Christ's keeping all of God's law (Romans 8:1-4) (pp. 72-74)?

10. Explain what Psalm 51 teaches about repentance and why it is a good indicator of whether a person might be ready to respond to Christ (p. 76).

11. What is justification by faith alone, and why is it central to evangelism and to living the Christian life (pp. 77-78)?

12. According to 1 John, what are the five marks of regeneration? The Bible also summarizes the basis for assurance of salvation by three indicators. What are these (pp. 79. 82)?