**Balanced Evangelism**

**The Ministry of Reaping**

1. **Three Key Questions**
   1. Do you ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to receive Christ as your Savior?
   2. If you would receive Christ as your Savior, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ God forgive your sins and give you eternal life?
   3. Would you like me to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you receive Christ, Who is the gift of eternal life, today?
2. **Discerning One’s Response to the Questions**
   1. How does an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ understand the gospel? 1 Cor. 2:14; Jn 3:1-4; Acts 8:29-32a; Acts 16:14; 2 Cor 3:16; 4:1-4)
   2. How does an unbeliever become \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of their need to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ? Acts 2:36-38, 41; John 16:8
   3. How does the unbeliever come to a place where they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ?
      1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of believer Romans 10:17
      2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God 2 Timothy 2:24-25
      3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of God 1 Peter 1:23
3. **Responses Can Be Viewed as Traffic Signals**
   1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ : Stop; reestablish friendship
   2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ : Discern their…
      1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the gospel
      2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of need for the gospel
      3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for the gospel
   3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ : Proceed through the reaping outline
4. **Steps to Believing**
   1. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ must be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to receive the seed of the gospel. Matthew 13:23
   2. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ must \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the gospel. Romans 10:14
   3. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ must give \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . John 16:8
   4. God \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ repentance. 2 Timothy 2:25b
   5. The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ choice – to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ . John 5:24
5. **Handling Questionable Responses**

When an unbeliever realizes his or her need of Christ but is reluctant to make a decision, communication with the person is the best way to discern how to progress with the reaping.

When led by the Spirit, probe further by continuing communication with this person.

Examples:

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      2. Can you think of a reason why you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ receive Christ as your Savior?

1. **The Step of Placing Faith in Christ**

Example: Dear God, I confess that I am a sinner and need your forgiveness. I believe that Jesus Christ died for my sins and rose again, conquering sin and death for me. I now trust only in Christ for the forgiveness of my sins. Lord Jesus, come into my life to by my personal Lord and Savior. Thank you for saving me. Amen.

1. **The Church**
   1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ more missionaries. Mark 16:15
   2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for missionaries needs
   3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ another church.

**Assignment for Reaping**

* Continue to practice asking the cultivating and sowing questions
* Practice sharing the Gospel
* Practice asking the reaping questions
* Practice handling questionable responses.
* Pray for one of your churches missionaries this week.
* Invite someone to church next Sunday.
* Hand out at least 2 tracts this week.