

Small Group Curriculum

Week 5: Share Study Guide



Week 5: <mark>Share</mark>

Video Notes

THE INVITATION

Qualifying Questions

- Does this make sense to you?
- Is there anything that would keep you from trusting in Jesus right now?

Clarification of Commitment

- There is nothing magical about this prayer. It is just your heart before God.
- When you believe, you receive the Holy Spirit in your heart, and He begins to change you from the inside out.

Prayer of Commitment

"Lord Jesus, I need You." "I admit that I am a sinner and can't save myself."

"I believe you are the Son of God, and that you died on the cross for my sins and rose from the dead."

"I turn from my sin, and receive You as my Savior and Lord."

- "Take control of my life, and help me to walk in obedience the rest of my life."
- "Thank you for coming into my heart."
- "In Jesus name I pray, Amen."

IMMEDIATE FOLLOW-UP

That Day

•_____for them.

- \cdot Give them a Bible and write down their spiritual birthday in it.
- Have them write testimony.
- Share with their family.

That Week

• _____ to a local church.

That Year

•_____ them, if possible.

• Introduce them to the Discovery Bible Study Method. (See Appendix D.)



Week 5 - Group Discussion

Check in How did heart prep go this week?

PRACTICE Share your 500-word testimony and memory verse with your partner.

ACTION

How did you do with your action step?

How Do We Share?

1. Read Luke 15:10 and Romans 8:15-17. **What has happened now that the person trusts in Christ?** Angels are rejoicing, the Holy Spirit is living inside of them to help them, and they are a child of God.

- 2. If a person on your My 5 does give their life to Christ, what are some practical steps for a follow-up plan? (See Appendix D for Discovery Bible Study Method.)
- 3. Everyone we encounter is at a different stage of openness. How would you end a conversation with the following people in order to leave the door open for future conversations (by you or others)?

The Person Who:

· Reacts negatively when you get to "Religion" in the SHARE process

- · Listened to your story, but is still not real interested in Jesus
- \cdot Doesn't have time to talk (like a restaurant server)

4. Role play all the way from SHARE, through the GOSPEL, to the prayer of commitment. Include the qualifying questions and clarification of commitment. The partner will pretend to be a My 5 person and be open to the Gospel.

Week 5 - Application

Start - Day 1

PREPARE

Pray daily for your My 5 and for opportunities to show Christ's love to them.

Suggestion: use habit forming techniques such as marking your calendar, setting a daily alarm, or praying when doing regular daily activities (e.g., brushing teeth).

Pick a meal this week to fast and pray for the lost.

Continue - Days 2-4

PRACTICE

Practice sharing the Gospel all the way through the prayer of commitment with at least two believers this week.

Complete - Days 5-6

ACTION

Practice sharing the Gospel with a non-believer this week. Feel free to tell them you are in a study learning how to share your faith, and one of the homework assignments is to share what you believe (central message of the Bible). Ask for feedback: "Did that make sense?"

Watch Week 6 video, and complete the discussion questions before the next meeting.