BASIC PRINCIPLES OF SHARING JESUS WITHOUT FREAKING OUT

- 1. GOD CREATED YOU FOR HIS GLORY, TO ADVANCE HIS GOSPEL WITH GIFTS, TALENTS, AND OPPORTUNITIES HE GAVE YOU. (1 TIMOTHY 1:7, MATTHEW 28:19-20)
- 2. In order to share Jesus confidently and consistently with others, first share Him confidently and consistently with yourself. (1 Corinthians 15:3-4, Psalm 103:1-5)
- 3. SHIFTING FROM GIVING AN EVANGELISTIC PRESENTATION TO HAVING AN EVANGELISTIC CONVERSATION TAKES THE PRESSURE OFF THE WITNESS AND RELATES THE GOSPEL MORE CLEARLY TO AN UNBELIEVER. (Acts 17:22-24)
- 4. GOD HAS SOVEREIGNLY PLACED YOU IN THIS WORLD AT THIS TIME WITH THE ABILITIES AND GIFTS YOU HAVE TO BRING GLORY TO HIM AND SHOW THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL TO OTHERS. (1 Peter 2:9)
- 5. EFFECTIVE EVANGELISTIC CONVERSATIONS CONNECT THE UNCHANGING GOSPEL WITH THE SPECIFIC ISSUES PEOPLE FACE. (JOHN 13:34)
- 6. EXPECT PEOPLE TO BE OPEN TO THE GOSPEL, AND LEARN TO SHARE JESUS WHERE THEY LIVE. (JOHN 4:7-10)
- 7. TALK TO THE ACTUAL PERSON IN FRONT OF YOU ABOUT THE JESUS INSIDE YOU; LET THEM SEE AND HEAR THE CHANGE JESUS MAKES IN YOU. (1 PETER 3:1-4)
- 8. DEVELOP A LIFESTYLE OF SHARING JESUS CONSISTENTLY FLOWS OUT OF A PLAN TO SHARE JESUS REGULARLY. (MATTHEW 4:19)