HOW TO LEAD A FRIEND TO HEAVEN

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"For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost." Luke 19:10

How can YOU lead lost people to heaven?

1. Pray for "divine appointments."

He had to pass through Samaria. John 4:4

* There are many people <u>ripe and ready</u> to hear about Jesus. "Do you not say, 'There are yet four months, and then comes the harvest'? Behold, I say to you, lift up your eyes, and look on the fields, that they are white for harvest." John 4:35

2. Start spiritual conversations.

- A. Jesus wants you to show a genuine interest in lost people.

 Jesus said to her, "Give Me a drink." John 4:7
- B. Jesus wants you to <u>peak the curiosity</u> of lost people. "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is who says to you, 'Give Me a drink,' you would have asked Him, and He would have given you living water." John 4:10
 - 1. Cause them to wonder.
 - 2. Cause them to want it.

"Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty again, nor come all the way here to draw." John 4:15

3. Be bold in dealing with sin.

A. True salvation involves <u>conviction of sin</u>. For the wages of sin is death. Romans 6:23

B. True salvation involves <u>repentance of sin.</u> *Unless you repent, you will all likewise perish. Luke 13:3*

4. Be clear in presenting the Savior.

A. Jesus is the only solution for sin.

And there is salvation in no one else; for there is no other name under heaven that has been given among men, by which we must be saved. Acts 4:12

B. Jesus must be personally received.

But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, even to those who believe in His name. John 1:12

Don't underestimate the power of your testimony.

Don't neglect to share what you have been given.