



## Evangelism Update 05-13-07

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### Note From Jim:

Our next Way of the Master Evangelism Training is coming up June 2nd. See the [Calendar](#) for details.

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### Scripture of the Week:

Not to us, O LORD, not to us,  
But to Your name give glory  
Because of Your lovingkindness, because of Your truth.  
(Psalm 115:1, NASB)

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### Quote of the Week:

"A gospel which merely says, 'Come to Jesus,' and offers Him as a friend, and offers a marvelous new life, without convincing of sin, is not New Testament evangelism. (The essence of evangelism is to start by preaching the Law; and it is because the Law has not been preached that we have had so much superficial evangelism.) True evangelism... must always start by preaching the law." (Dr. Martin Loyd-Jones)

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### Check It Out!

Check out this article by Todd Friel (host of Way of the Master Radio).

[The Church Has Become A Circus... Literally](#)

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### Southern Oregon eXtreme Evangelism '07:



eXtreme Evangelism (XE) is like nothing you've seen before. Forget about dry lectures or workshops on witnessing. XE is a hands-on experience. This is your chance to face your fears and get on the frontlines for Jesus Christ. We'll put legs to The Way of the Master teaching. Prepare to be stretched, and learn how to share your faith both biblically and effectively. Come sharpen your sword and join us in the battle for souls!

[Click here](#) to go to the webpage for more details

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One message you never want to receive from God is, 'I told you so'!

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#### **Recommended Resource:**

You can now watch the debate between The Way of the Master and The Blasphemy Challenge folks online at the link below.

[ABC Nightline Face-Off: Does God Exist?](#)

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#### **Questions & Objections:**

*This O&A comes from [The Evidence Bible](#).*

**O.** God told Joshua to kill every man, woman, and child, and He killed masses of people in Revelation. If that's your "God of love," I want nothing to do with Him!

**A.** God didn't confine His wrath to the Canaanites, or to those mentioned in Revelation. He proclaimed the death sentence upon the whole of humanity. We will all die because we have broken God's Law. Every one of us is waiting on death row. Instead of standing in moral judgment over Almighty God, we need to judge ourselves according to the Law of God. We will find that we have a multitude of sins and therefore are deserving of punishment. Yet God, out of love, paid the penalty for our sin so we would not have to.

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#### **Weekly "Fishing" Report:**

On Saturday Darrin, David and I hit the Native American Pow Wow that was being held Riverside Park to do some "fishing".



There was a good number of people there, browsing the merchant booths and watching the various exhibitions that were going on. The three of us split up and did a sweep through the crowd. In the end we passed out at least 400 gospel tracts.



Most of the people were distracted by watching the dances and such. A couple of times I tried striking up a one-2-one only to find out the person didn't speak english. However, I did have a rather nice witnessing encounter with a young woman named Corie. She apparently frequents these things. She wore a feather in her hair and other native american items that she told me she'd got at other pow wows. I asked her a few questions that showed she believed in angels and some kind of higher power, though she thought our spirits just lingered on earth after we die. She was baptized in a Christian church when she was nine, but her family didn't really attend church now. She was trying to piece things together, so I walked her through a typical one-2-one in a way she

said made sense. We covered sin, righteousness, judgment and God's grace in the cross. I pray God will continue to work on her from there.

Here's the MP3 audio of the one2-one with Corie: [http://www.fool4given.com/audio/riverside/corie-powwow\\_05-12-07-jim.mp3](http://www.fool4given.com/audio/riverside/corie-powwow_05-12-07-jim.mp3)



As we headed back to the car, I picked up a one-2-two with a couple of younger girls named Rachel (12) and Hannah (11). It was interesting. When I asked what they thought happened after we die Hannah said she thought our soul goes to Heaven but our body would just rot in the ground. Since they mentioned Heaven, I asked if they also thought there was a Hell. Rachel said her friend had told her that if you lie or steal you would go to Hell, but she couldn't figure that out because everyone lies ... so that would mean we are all going to Hell. It was an open door to share the gospel with with them. These girls asked a lot of good questions, but it was also sad to see how the world was seeking to confuse them at such a young age. We touched on ghosts, witchcraft and even neanderthal man. I pray that this conversation opens the door for the Holy Spirit to bring them into the truth and light.

Pray for the seed that was sown. May Jesus receive the honor He is due.

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### One-Day Way of the Master Training:



We would be glad to host a Way of the Master evangelism training for your church or small group. This one-day seminar is a proven, effective way to help people overcome their fear of witnessing and show them how to reach out to the lost. We will quickly equip those who attend to simply and effectively share their faith with family, friends, and strangers. What makes our training unique is when the classroom training is over, you have the option to hit the streets and immediately start to use the new tools you have just learned. The seminar consists of the following activities:

- Three powerful interactive messages that will equip the attendees in how to share the gospel effectively and biblically with anyone, anytime, anywhere.
- Quick Tips on how to have fun sharing your faith while overcoming your fears.
- Quick Tips on how to effectively witness one-2-one using the Way of the Master.
- Hands-on, in-the-trenches training with proven leaders.

The One-Day Way of the Master Training is **FREE** for the host and to all who attend.

\*\* The Way of the Master has been commended by Franklin Graham, Dr. D. James Kennedy, David Wilkerson, Bill Gothard, John MacArthur, Ravi Zacharias, David Jeremiah, Joni Eareckson Tada, Josh McDowell, and many other Christian leaders.

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#### Prayer Points:

- Pray for Way of the Master Radio.
  - "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Therefore beseech the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest." (Matthew 9:37-38, NASB)
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#### Calendar:

- **Downtown Fishing Hole** (Recurring)  
*Saturdays*  
Street witnessing (3pm to 6pm) downtown along 6th Street. Meet in the Budget Internet parking lot (4th St & F St).
- **DMV O/A** (Recurring)  
*Wednesdays*  
Open Air preaching at 8:45am to the people waiting for the DMV doors to open.
- **Way of the Master Evangelism Training**  
*May 5th, 4pm to 8:30pm*  
Sam's Valley Community Church in Central Point. See the [flyer](#) for details.
- **Southern Oregon eXtreme Evangelism '07**  
*July 27-29*  
See the [webpage](#) for details.

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