



Recruiting New Members

(Sermon by Ray Reynolds on 10/4/09 - PM)

Text: Acts 17:16- 34

Introduction: Many of you have asked me to deliver lessons on how to do personal evangelism. We need to reach the lost in our community. We need to be looking for ways to bring people into the church. How can we get them to join God's team? What would Jesus do? What would Paul do? Let's notice twelve tips from Paul.

Discussion :

TIP #1 = Be Touched By The Lost (v.16)

TIP #2 = Seek Listeners Everywhere (v.17)

TIP #3 = Know Their Philosophy & Be Ready To Respond To It (v.18)

TIP #4 = Present The Gospel (v.18)

TIP #5 = Use Common Sense (vs.18-21)

TIP #6 = Find Common Ground (v.22)

TIP #7 = Hold Their Attention (vs.18-23)

TIP #8 = Talk About The Nature of God (vs.24-27)

TIP #9 = Respect Their Culture (v.28)

TIP #10 = Challenge Them To Change (vs.29-30)

TIP #11 = Lead Them To Conform To The Lord's Will (v.31)

TIP #12 = Be Kind & Courteous (vs.32-34)

Conclusion: Our work will be a blessing to this community. As we bear fruit our zeal will be contagious. We need to trust that God will provide us with opportunities and blessings. Are you recruiting new team members?

WORD OF THE DAY = "MEMBERS"