

Love Your Neighbor Teaching Sessions

Session 1 – Why Love Your Neighbor?

Reasons this seminar is needed; Biblical foundational attitudes for sharing Jesus as Good News.

Session 2 – The Importance of Compassion

How we learn spiritual lessons from our culture; how some of that information is broken and leads to confusion; why Christians should have compassion on our neighbors.

Session 3 – Crucial Skill #1 – Initiating Spiritual Conversations

The first of three crucial skills for sharing Christ with Hindu friends; a three-part outline for spiritual conversations.

Session 4 – Crucial Skill #2 – Unlearning Christian Jargon

Learning to express biblical truths and your personal experiences with Lord Jesus in common words that don't confuse or anger your non-Christian friends.

Session 5 – Crucial Skill #3 – Overcoming Obstacles

Learning to avoid the obstacle called Cultural Separatism; responding to the most common "tolerance conversation-stopper."

Session 6 – Crucial Skill #3 – Getting Extreme

Addressing more of the obstacles to the gospel that we find among our neighbors.

Session 7 – Principles of Going

What does it mean to "go" to our other religion neighbors? Introducing the concept of contextualization.

Session 8 – Crucial Skill #4 – The Power of Storytelling

Presenting Christ through sharing Bible stories and your personal experiences with Jesus; three themes that attract our neighbors to Christ.

Session 9 – Crucial Skill #4 – Storytelling for Individuals and Groups

Learning to share Bible stories in conversations with friends; learning to lead Story Groups.

Session 10 – Walking Alongside Seekers and New Believers

Salvation as a process; using culturally-relevant materials and resources.

Session 11 – The Challenges of Discipling New Believers

How to help a new believer in individual discipleship, especially in the face of opposition; introducing new believers to the church.

Session 12 – Wrap Up: Next Steps

Accountability partners, prayer ministry, local opportunities, and Commissioning.