Building Bridges

Acts 2:37-41

The greatest bridge ever built is the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

It is designed by God to span the distance between man and God that was created by sin.

We will consider how Peter used the events and circumstances of the day of Pentecost to lead people across the bridge of the Gospel and as we do I want you to see how you can do the same.

I. See the Opportunities

We need to identify opportunities to introduce the Gospel.

Four general categories:

- 1. A celebration
- 2. A common interest
- 3. An intentional invitation
- 4. A Crisis

Pray for opportunities

II. Hear their questions and concerns

- 1. Learn to listen for the questions being asked
- 2. Be creative & intentional by asking the right questions

III. Answer by directing them to Christ

- 1. Redirect the conversation by addressing spiritual needs
- 2. Be curious about what they know to make them curious about what you know.

IV. Initiate a response

- 1. Direct the dialogue to demand a response
- 2. Use your personal testimony to encourage a response

V. Explain the decision that needs to be made

A genuine response requires three things:

- 1. Conviction
- 2. Repentance
- 3. Commitment

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