

# POWER PRINCIPLES

## Tips for Sharing Your Faith:

1. **Make Christ and His Cross the center of the Gospel.** — “If we do not make Christ the great subject of our preaching, we have forgotten our errand and shall do no good. Satan trembles at nothing but the cross.” (C.H. Spurgeon)
2. **Be passionate—and compassionate in your approach.** — “To turn stones into bread was a temptation of our Master, but how many of his servants yield readily to the far worse temptation to turn bread [the Gospel] into stone [a dry, lifeless and uninspiring invitation]!” (C.H. Spurgeon)
3. **Make it plain, Brother! Use a clear and consistent approach.** — “The shifting systems of false religion are continually changing their places; but the gospel of Christ is the same forever. While other false lights are extinguished, this true light ever shines.” (Theodore L. Cuyler)
4. **Changing the Gospel to make the message more appealing makes it lose its appeal.** — “There is nothing attractive about the gospel to the natural man; the only man who finds the gospel attractive is the man who is convicted of sin.” (Oswald Chambers)
5. **What you preach, your life must practice.** — “We are all missionaries... Wherever we go, we either bring people nearer to Christ, or we repel them from Christ.” (Eric Liddell)
6. **Remember you’re a sinner, too!** — “...We are all lost without God...” (E. Stanley Jones) “It has been well for me to remember, when speaking to others, that I am a dying man speaking to dying souls.” (T.J. Bach)
7. **If it’s not important to you, it won’t be important to them.** — “Our entire work could be revolutionized ... if we were to major, individually, and collectively ... in witnessing...” (Kenneth Strachan)
8. **The Gospel itself is the power unto salvation.** — “Nobody can force a single soul ... to [trust in] Christ. All that [we] ... can do, is to lift up Christ before the world...” (Elizabeth “Betty” Stam) “...It is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth.” (Apostle Paul)
9. **Don’t wait until you’re ‘better equipped’ to win people; use what God gave you, and use it NOW.** — “Good spiritual logistics demand that we use *every* means available to us today to reach a lost world that desperately needs Christ.” (Clarence W. Jones)
10. **Time is running out!** — “We have all eternity to tell of victories won for Christ, but we have only a few hours before sunset to win them.”