

Magnetic: Activating the Power of Influence

Question Everything

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Notes

Questions for Personal Reflection and Group Discussion

1. Read Colossians 4:5-6.

What do these verses say about how we are to interact with those who don't share our faith? How are we to talk with them?

Read these two verses in two or three different translations. The Bible App and biblegateway.com are both easy to use resources for comparing translations. Compare how the NIV, NASB, and the NLT translate these verses. From your comparison, what do you think it means to have a 'right response'?

2. Read 1 Peter 3:15-16.

Does the way you live your life speak clearly to others of the hope that you have in Christ?

If so, how have you been able to demonstrate your hope to others? If there's room for you to grow in this area, what change do you think you need to make?

When people who don't know Jesus look at your life, would they want what you have in Christ? Why or why not?

3. Read Matthew 10:16 and 2 Corinthians 5:11 and 20.

What do you think 'shrewd as snakes and innocent as doves' means? How would you balance those two characteristics effectively?

What strategies for effective sharing of the gospel do you find in these verses?

What is the role of an ambassador? How might you employ curious friendliness as a way to build relationship and sow seeds in someone's life?