

Homework:

Mandatory Homework:

1. *At-Home Preparation:* Do a search on the Internet for the word "evangelism" or "how to be saved." Check out the sites listed and find their gospel message. Do they open up the Law the way Jesus did, and warn of future punishment (is there a reference to Judgment Day and hell)? Is there a mention of the cross, the resurrection, repentance, and faith? Is Jesus presented as the answer to life's problems or as the Savior from sin?

If you don't have Internet access, watch Christian TV shows and analyze their gospel presentation (if there is one). Don't have a condemning or judgmental attitude, but determine to make sure you always put in what they leave out.

2. *Real-World Application:* We are supposed to go out as a group to do "street fishing" this week, but given the weather, let's put this off until the Spring. But let us not forget to practice this crucial step. It is scary to go out and do evangelism, but Jesus commanded us to be "fishers of men." And I can tell you from experience that you will experience great joy as a result of your faithful obedience in this area!

In the meantime, make a deliberate attempt to initiate a conversation with a stranger this week, be friendly, and swing from the natural to the spiritual, just like Jesus did. You can do it!

**IF SOMEONE REPENTS
AND TRUSTS CHRIST**

If someone you witness to prays to receive Christ, it is essential that the person be plugged into a local church (see Hebrews 10:25). We have a booklet called *How to Live Forever Without Being Religious*, which contains the entire Gospel of John. It includes a very clear gospel message, as well as ten important principles for Christian growth - one of which is the fellowship of a local church.

This book has been designed to leave with someone who has prayed to receive Christ, or is open to the gospel. In the front of the book, write the date, your name, phone number, and email address. Make sure you get contact details from the person so that you can send information about the church closest to him (your church or one in his community). Then call the pastor of that fellowship and suggest that he contact the person to extend a personal invitation to his church.

Optional Homework:

Please complete the "For Deeper Study" section on pages 83 - 85 of the Way of the Master *Basic Training Course* "Study Guide."