

I'LL BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

ONE-ON-ONE SHARING

1) PERSONAL TESTIMONY GUIDELINES

In 5 minutes, share what Christmas means to you and how Jesus came into your life. Align your personal testimony with the concept of your watch party. Let the questions below guide you in writing your testimony:

A. HOW LIFE WAS LIKE BEFORE YOU BECAME A CHRISTIAN

- What awakened a need for God within you?

B. HOW YOU BECAME A CHRISTIAN

- Who introduced Jesus to you?
- What had you heard about who God is and what did He do to show you that He loves you?
- How was it presented to you?
- What caused you to make a decision to believe in God?
- What did you do to invite Jesus into your life?

C. HOW LIFE WAS LIKE AFTER YOU BECAME A CHRISTIAN

- What was your life like immediately after you gave your life to Jesus?
- How long have you been a Christian?
- How did God help you to solve the problems or struggles you had before you became a Christian?
- What are 3 things you are thankful to God for since you became a Christian?

2) JOHN 3:16 PRESENTATION

POSSIBLE RESPONSES

During the sharing time, the following are the possible responses of your guests and what you are to do for each response:

A. IF THE GUEST SAYS "YES" TO SALVATION, CONFIRM THE DECISION USING SCRIPTURE

- Open your Bible to John 1:12
- Let the guest read the Scripture
- Ask the guest: "*When you receive Jesus Christ into your life, who have you become?*"
- Answer: "*A child of God*"
- Congratulate the guest for the decision made

Following this sharing, ask your guest if there is a need you can pray over. Pray a prayer of blessing for your guest, and as the Lord leads, release the Holy Spirit's fullness before you end the meeting with him/her.

Pray: *"Lord, I thank You for the salvation of guest's name. I pray that You will fill him/her with the fullness of the Holy Spirit, and that he/she will experience Your love daily. I ask for the full blessings of the Cross to be upon him/her. Lead him/her in Your ways. Surround him/her with Your protection. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen."*

- Invite the guest to join your cell activities and our services.

B. IF THE GUEST IS NOT READY TO RECEIVE CHRIST BUT OPEN TO KNOW MORE ABOUT GOD

Say: *"I understand that you are not ready at this point to make this decision to invite Jesus into your life. But, like what I have shared, God is real and hears our prayers. May I pray for you that God will reveal Himself to you and help you to experience His love in your life? If this is what you want, please repeat this prayer after me and mean the words in your heart."*

Pray the Seeker's Prayer: *"Dear Jesus, I do not know You, but my friend tells me that You are real. I would like to know You more and I pray that You will reveal Yourself to me in the way You have shown Yourself to other Christians. Please help me to know Your love. Thank You for hearing me. I pray this in Jesus' name, Amen."*

C. IF THE GUEST SAYS "NO" TO SALVATION, PROBE TO UNDERSTAND HIS/HER CONCERNS AND OFFER TO PRAY A BLESSING OVER HIM/HER

Pray: *"Lord, I thank You for this chance to share Your love with guest's name. I ask that You will continue to keep him/her in good health and in joyful spirit, and that one day, guest's name will come into the wonderful experience of knowing and walking with You. Seal this truth in his/her mind. Thank You in the name of Jesus, Amen."*

- Invite the guest to join your cell activities and our services.