



I. What Is Evangelism?

- Euangelion—“gospel”—good news, describes the message of Christ
- euangelistes—“evangelist”—to describe the person who is telling the gospel (Acts 21:8; Eph. 4:11)
- euangelizo— “to proclaim the gospel”—to describe the activity of telling the gospel (Rom. 10:15).
- “Evangelism is the act of telling people the gospel” (Erik Raymond)
- “Evangelism is teaching the gospel with the aim to persuade” (J. Mac Stiles)
- “The essence of evangelism is the message that Jesus Christ is Lord. Evangelism is our human effort of proclaiming this message and trusting and praying that God, in his sovereign will, will supernaturally use our human and natural means to effect his divine purposes” (Sam Chan)
- Matthew 28:19-20
- Romans 10:13-15

II. What Evangelism Is Not

III. Where Are We At With Evangelism?

IV. Three Starting Points

A. Pray For Opportunities (Ephesians 6:18-20)

B. Take Opportunities (Acts 16:25-34)

C. Make Opportunities (Acts 17:16-17)