



## Street Preaching

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### **STREET MINISTRY TRAINING:**

#### OUTREACH PREPARATION—PREPARING OUR TROOPS

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This seems to be the most difficult of our witnessing methods. The reason is probably because most of us think of the sermons we have heard in church. We don't have that much time with a crowd. Just think of it as "bank fishing". Share until someone is interested and then stop and talk with that person and let the next person preach.

#### **"How do we do this?"**

- Detail the daily plans for the group; Tell them where how long, and what equipment will be used in their preaching.
- Assure them that it's easy. They can't fail.
- Give them examples of:
  - . Sharing one's testimony
  - . Preaching the Four Spiritual Laws
  - . Scripture reading
  - . Reading the Big Question tract
- State the expectations for the assistant leader and group members. Tell them you'll start with each man only preaching 30 seconds each. Communicate the goals for how many times each man should take a turn in preaching.
- Give them time to prepare.
- Pray for God's anointing on each man, as he is about to preach.

#### **"Show me how."**

- Lead them in preaching, go first and keep it simple.
- Model NGL's values and vision for group; help them see how God uses this in both the lives of each man and in the world.
- Release some leadership to assistant leader; as he does well, use him as an example to the group and give him charge of the group at times. Have him take charge of the PA or other equipment being used during the preaching session.

#### **"How are we doing?"**

- Observe and evaluate group members; is each man taking his turn? Does he know what to say? Is any one discouraged?
- Were the expectations of each member clear?
- Look for key values in the men and assistant leader. Have they bought the idea that preaching is important to this process?
- Observe and evaluate assistant leader's ministry; has he learned this well enough to train others in doing it? Can he demonstrate it and relay its value to others?



### **“Attaboy!”**

- Monitor each group member.
- Verbally encourage honest attempts in ministry methods.
- Offer assistance to struggling group members; give him an idea on what to speak on, what to read, etc.
- If there are any problems, give leadership of group to assistant leader temporarily and then deal with any problems personally and privately.
- Take unresolved problems to Squad Leader.