

APPENDIX G

CONVERSATION STARTERS

If you are looking for some good questions to spark a spiritual dialogue with someone who is not yet a believer, the following questions provide a great place to start.

- Where are you on your spiritual journey?
- Has your spiritual journey led you to answers for your life's deepest questions?
- Have you found meaning and purpose in your life?
- If there was a God, how would that make you feel? Would you like it or wouldn't you?
- How would you respond if you found out Jesus was God?
- What Are the things in life that give you value and meaning?
- What do you feel is your purpose in life?
- Do you think there is ultimate meaning in reality?
- If you thought it was possible to know God in a personal way, would you want to know him?
- How do you experience God?
- Do you believe in life after death?
- What do you think happens when you die?
- What do you think God is like?
- Who do you believe Jesus is?
- What does Jesus have to do with your life?
- Do you think much about spiritual matters?
- Would you share with me your spiritual story?
- What is your understanding of God?
- What is your religious background?
- What do you believe is the purpose of our lives?
- Why are we here?
- What do you think is the main problem with the world?
- Why do you think things are the way they are in the world?
- Do you believe in absolute truth?

Add your own favorite questions to the list:

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Help

These connections are doorways to provide people the help they need through a relationship with Jesus Christ.

If you have connected well, they will probably be interested in how that happened in your and other people's lives.

Would you be interested in hearing how you can *Know God Personally*?

Use the *Knowing God Personally* booklet or some other gospel presentation. Better yet, memorize a gospel presentation so you can share it verbally. (You can also go to the App store and download *God Tools*, which contains the *Knowing God Personally* presentation.)

In Summary

- Pray: Colossians 4:2-6
- Be filled with the Spirit: Ephesians 5:18
- Ask good questions.
- Listen well.
- Make Connections.
- Share your story.
- Help Introduce God's story (the gospel) at the appropriate time.
