

Preparing Your Personal Testimony



Before I Trusted Christ

Paint a picture of what your life was like before you came to Christ.

- Do not glory in past sin.
- Do not be critical of others.

Answer these questions:

What was my life like that will relate most to the non-Christian?

What were my attitudes, needs and problems?

What did my life revolve around the most?

What did I get my security or happiness from?

(The non-Christian is relying on something external to give him happiness)

How did those areas begin to let me down?

How I Came To Know Christ

Give only the details that are important to communicate why and how you became a Christian.

- Be clear about the Gospel.

Answer these questions:

What brought you to the place of being willing to listen?

Who influenced you?

How and when did you decide to follow Jesus?

How did you feel, what truths did you hear, what did you think about them, how did you feel after you made the decision?

What were the final struggles that went through my mind just before I trusted Christ?

Why did I go ahead and become a follower of Christ?

My Life After Following Christ

Share some of the changes that Christ has made in your life.

► Emphasize the changes in your character, attitude, and perspective. Be realistic and honest.

Answer these questions:

What are some specific changes and illustrations about the changes Christ has made?

Why am I motivated differently?

How am I imperfect, yet growing?

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