



- Most people **mistakenly** believe that Christians should be **seen and not** _____.

*Through thick and thin, keep your hearts at attention, in adoration before Christ, your Master. **Be ready to speak up** and tell anyone who asks why you're living the way you are, and always with the utmost courtesy. I Peter 3:15 The Message*

Keys to talking naturally about your faith:

1. Be spiritually _____.

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. I Peter 3:15a NIV

2. Look and pray for _____ doors.

*Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you
I Peter 3:15b*

- **Introduce your faith into your** _____.
- **Invite people to** _____.

- **Ask** _____:
 - How can I _____ you?
 - How can I _____ for you?
- **Give** _____.

3. Share your faith _____.

... to give the reason for the hope that you have. I Peter 3:15c

- Keep it _____ and _____.

4. Communicate how much you _____ instead of how much you _____.

But do this with gentleness and respect . . . I Peter 3:15d

- Know when _____ speak louder than words.

Next Steps – Pray daily this week using the following guide:

- ☐ Day 1 (9/11) – Pray for the thousands of unreached kids who live less than a mile from our church.
- ☐ DAY 2 – Pray that September 18 will be the beginning of an exciting new chapter of ministry.
- ☐ DAY 3 – Pray for more volunteers like Donald Ward & Darrel Story who will champion reaching kids.
- ☐ DAY 4 – Pray that we will find ways to effectively share Christ in English and Spanish to reach all of our city.
- ☐ DAY 5 – Pray for families in our city & church who are in conflict and need the peace of Jesus.
- ☐ DAY 6 – Pray for the other churches in our city as we work together to connect people to Christ.
- ☐ DAY 7 (9/17) – Pray for our kids at Oak View will be bright lights for Jesus wherever they go.