

Reformed Evangelism - #9

The 3rd Distinctive of Reformed Evangelism:

Our Message is Jesus Christ and Him Crucified – 1 Corinthians 2:2... 1 Timothy 1:12-17... John 3:14-18... 6:28-51.

But we need HELP! – John 3:3-8... 6:63-66...

★ Application:

1st – PRAY for the Lord to use...

*Make me a servant; Humble and meek
Lord let me lift up those who are weak
And may the prayers of my heart always be
Make me a servant, Make me a servant; Make me a servant today*

2nd – GET CLOSER TO JESUS – Philippians 3:8-10

4th – The Motive For Evangelism – a Spirit-wrought love for God and a genuine love and compassion for people

(1st) LOVE FOR OUR SAVIOR AND HIS GLORY – Matthew 22:37-40

(2nd) WE LOVE SINNERS – Proverbs 24:11-12... Matthew 9:36-38... Jude 22-23...
2 Corinthians 5:14-15, 20 <v.10

C. H. Spurgeon – *‘A Christian man should so shine in his life, that a person could not live with him a week without knowing the gospel. His conversation should be such that all who are about him should clearly perceive whose he is, and whom he serves; and should see the image of Jesus reflected in his daily actions. A Christian ought to be a comforter, with kind words on his lips, and sympathy in his heart; he should carry sunshine wherever he goes, and diffuse happiness around him.’*

Richard Baxter – *‘Oh, if you have the hearts of Christians... let them yearn towards your poor ignorant, ungodly neighbors. Alas, there is but a step betwixt them and death and hell; many hundred diseases are waiting to seize them and if they die unregenerate, they are lost forever. Have you hearts of rock that cannot pity men in such a case as this?... If their houses were on fire, thou wouldst run and help them; and wilt thou not help them when their souls are almost at the fire of hell?’*