

ULTIMATE QUESTIONS AND THEIR BIBLICAL ANSWERS

Home Bible Study Evangelism by Gregory Edward Reynolds

Purpose: To use natural contacts in a supernatural way; for evangelism as a means of fulfilling the Great Commission to disciple the nations for the Risen Lord Jesus Christ.

Goal: To teach a three week Bible study once a week in the homes of church members who are willing to invite family, friends and neighbors who are interested in hearing about the Bible's answers to life's ultimate questions.

Text: *Ultimate Questions* by John Blanchard (Evangelical Press, UK). With Bibles open this little booklet will be used to guide the study through the four ultimate questions.

1. **Who is God?** (pp. 3-11)
 - Does God exist?
 - Has God spoken?
 - What is God like?
2. **Who am I?** (pp. 12-19)
 - Who made me?
 - Why did He make me?
 - What went wrong?
 - How serious is sin ?
 - What is my future?
3. **Who is Jesus Christ?** (pp. 20-30)
 - Where did He come from?
 - Why did He come?
 - What is the cross?
 - How can I be saved?
 - How should I then live?

Plan:

1. Enlist church members (a couple or an individual) to host the study in their homes 8 weeks before the first study.
 - Schedule 3 consecutive week nights for one hour of study each week. Start and finish promptly!
 - Have couple or individual invite 6-24 people 3-4 weeks in advance of the first study.
 - Hand out invitations if appropriate. (Usually 3-12 will come)
 - Plan to serve light refreshments the evenings of the study.
 - Have couple or individual hand out the *Ultimate Questions* booklet personally 1 week before the first study. Ask them to read the first chapter.
2. Enlist members to pray daily for the study 1 month prior to the first meeting, and then meet for prayer elsewhere during each study. Prayer meeting groups may be best for this. Then hold the study during prayer meeting.
3. Train the host(s) or other interested members (women to host a woman's study) by having them present at the studies (usually host(s) are most appropriate for this). They would in turn be able to host future studies. Church members are NOT to attend the studies otherwise.
4. Those who come to know the Lord or show interest in learning more should be encouraged to attend church and/or public profession classes. Leader should offer to meet privately with anyone who wishes.