

# Giving Away Food & the Gospel

## The 7- Step Process (bathe each step in prayer & be filled with the Holy Spirit)

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2. Giving a tangible expression of God's love (e.g., grocery gift card)
3. Initiate a spiritual conversation
4. Share Gospel (when possible)
5. Share contact information
6. Set date/time to begin follow-up Bible study
7. Report back to Cru stories of spiritual transformation

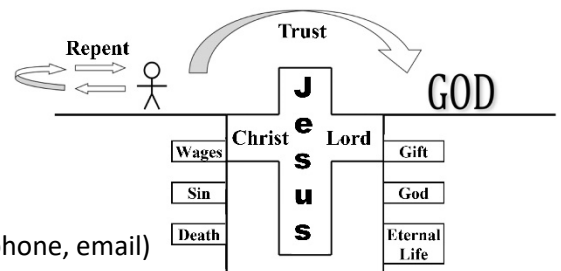
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1. Identifying the audience
    - a. Extended family or friends
    - b. City block(s) (meet people as you prayer walk a neighborhood)
    - c. Names/contacts your church has accumulated from previous outreaches
    - d. Names given to you from an agency (e.g., school, social workers,...)
  2. Giving a tangible expression of God's love (e.g., grocery gift card)
    - a. Set a time to visit people from your list generated above.
  3. Initiate a spiritual conversation
    - a. Begin with polite conversation, then transition to some questions to bridge to a spiritual conversation.
      - i. Use one or two questions
        1. **What do you believe God sees when He looks at you?**
        2. **Do you have any spiritual beliefs that give you hope?**
        3. **What do you think it takes to be close to God?**

4. Share Gospel (when possible)
  - a. **Have You Heard of the Four Spiritual Laws?**
  - b. **Your personal salvation testimony** (allow 3-4 minutes)
  - c. **Bridge Diagram** using Romans 6:23 <sup>23</sup> For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

5. Share contact information
  - a. Initiate by sharing your contact information first (name, phone, email)
  - b. Ask for the other person's contact information so you can stay in touch
6. Set date/time to begin follow-up Bible study
  - a. Ask if the person would like to know more about Jesus and how to grow in spiritual maturity. If yes, set a date, time & place to meet.
  - b. Material that can be used
    - i. 4 Study Guides to grow in your relationship with Jesus
    - ii. Rock Solid Believer – Building Your Relationship with Jesus
7. Report back to Cru stories of spiritual transformation
  - a. Share stories & pictures of your outreach experience with Cru Inner City  
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### The Bridge Diagram

Romans 6:23 (ESV) – For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.



## **Cru guidelines to receive resources for the Giving Away Food & the Gospel**

1. Our biblical goal is to make disciples, not just to make converts. Cru will provide the resources for up to 5 families for each person who attended our training either in the Zoom meeting or viewing the content from YouTube.
2. Go to [bakersfield.cru.org/innercity](http://bakersfield.cru.org/innercity) to download PDF files, PowerPoint & to obtain link to YouTube of this Zoom call meeting. FYI: The YouTube of this Zoom call meeting will be available till noon, Wednesday, December 9.
3. By Wednesday, 5:00 PM, December 9, 2020, text Ken Frech at 661-301-3693 and give your name, church affiliation, your phone number and how many resources you want (up to limit of 5/trained person) indicate which follow-up you wanted (English or Spanish, Building Your Relationship with Jesus Rock Solid Believer or 4 Follow-up Guides).
4. Pick up your resources on Saturday, December 12 from 9:30 AM till 11:30 AM at our office, 1830 Truxtun Ave., Suite 102, Bakersfield, CA 93301 (Truxtun Ave. & F St.)