



TOOLS FOR TEACHERS

Teach for Transformation

- _____ is never enough. Skill and passion will not effectively get the message across.
- Be Real! Be sensitive. _____ helps people relate.
- You must cause _____ to take place. Deut 4:1/Deut. 5:1

Train Yourself for Preparation

- Ask the Lord for/look for teachable moments. You cannot teach what you have not _____!
- The Sovereign Lord has given me an instructed tongue to know the word to speak that will sustain the weary. He wakens me morning by morning wakens my ear to listen like one being _____. Isaiah 50:4
- So be sure to _____ to what you hear (how you listen). To those who are open to my teaching, more understanding will be given. But for those who are not listening even what they think they understand will be taken away. Luke 8:18

Tie to an Illustration

- Encourage participation, not observation whenever possible.
- When people _____ and remember, they _____ and recount.
- Memorable messages have meaning: Use personal illustration, kids story, current event, life experience, mistake, memory, a story _____

Close with Application

- It's not enough to know what the Bible says...What does it say _____ mean TO ME?
- Successful messages open the mind, stir the emotions, fires the heart, ignites the will, straightens out emotions, refreshes the spirit, checks the motives, causes action.
- So what? So what does this mean to me, so what do I need to do or change, so what next?
- Let the words of Christ in all their richness live in your hearts and make you wise. Use His words, to teach and counsel. Whatever you do or say let it be as a good representative of the Lord Jesus. Colossians 3:16-17

Tools and Techniques

- Visuals – Don't just say it, show it. Turn "ought to into how to". Engage all the senses.
- Questions - Cause people to think and engage
- Choices - Present a choice to them, they need to make a decision
- Humor - When you are losing the class use appropriate humor
- Energy – Be excited, passion motivates. Bore no More!

Debbie's Personal Mission Statement/Prayer: Use me to deliver a message that would change a life.

Teacher Assignment: Look up and record, study and pray every scripture that refers to speaking

The Lord gives the Word; the women who announce the news are a great host. Psalm 68:11

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