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# How to Care about Others Part 1



Ask Some Key Questions... Share the Roman Road

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## Introduction

**Dear Friend:** If you \*know Jesus (Jn. 17:3) and \*desire to live for Him (Lk. 9:23), you have God's forgiveness!

Great for you! But we each know someone who may not yet be a member of God's kingdom. We certainly care but sometimes we are uncertain about what to say. This brochure will guide us through a way to prove our love and concern.

## Seven Overall Steps

- 1. Ask thought-provoking questions!
- 2. Establish the source of truth!
- 3. Clarify our problem!
- 4. Show our helplessness!
- 5. Explain God's love!
- 6. Call for repentance!
- 7. Live for Christ!

## **Ask Thought-Provoking Questions**

<u>Get permission</u>: Can I ask you a few important questions?



- Do you think people continue to exist after they die? Y N
- Do you believe in the existence of heaven and hell? Y N – If not, see this brochure: <u>BAD News</u>, <u>GOOD News</u>
- 3. Are you afraid of dying? Y N
- 4. Where are you headed?
- 5. How do you know?
- 6. Can I share God's saving truth?

<u>Note</u>: Even if someone has the right answers, *keep* sharing for practice.

## **Establish the Source of Truth**

## We all tend to believe what makes sense:

- Francis Bacon "Man prefers to believe what he prefers to be true."
- Proverbs 14:12 "There is a way [to heaven] which seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death."

The Bible is God's written word to ▶show us the truth and ▶give us eternal life:

- John 17:17 "Your word is truth."
- John 20:31 "...these [signs (miracles) performed by Jesus] have been written so that you may

believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name."



Not sure? See this

brochure: The Bible Is True

#### The Roman Road

Roman roads were of several kinds, ranging from small local roads to broad, long-distance highways built to connect cities, major towns, and military bases.



The Roman Road in this brochure has the purpose of moving people **from** <u>deception</u> **to** <u>truth</u>, **to** <u>repentance</u>, **to** <u>forgiveness</u>, and **to** <u>living for Jesus!</u>

The rest of this brochure focuses on key passages from the book of Romans, a.k.a., the Roman Road. Let's keep <u>reading</u>, <u>thinking about</u>, <u>understanding</u>, <u>believing</u>, and <u>applying</u> God's reliable word!

Let Us Pray: Dear LORD, TYSM for \*Your word, \*Your Son, and \*Your work in our lives to make us Your holy children! Please \*grow us in Your truth and \*grow our spiritual concern for others.

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