

# Witnessing for wimps

or, Stretched into Service.

<sup>19</sup> Though I am free of obligation to anyone, I make myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible.

<sup>20</sup> To the Jews, I became like a Jew, to win the Jews. To those under the Law, I became like one under the Law (though I myself am not under the Law), to win those under the Law.

<sup>21</sup> To those without the Law, I became like one without the Law (though I am not outside the Law of God, but am under the Law of Christ), to win those without the Law.

<sup>22</sup> To the weak, I became weak, to win the weak. I have become all things, to all people, so that by all possible means, I might save some.

<sup>23</sup> I do all this for the sake of the Gospel, so that I may share in its blessings.

1 Corinthians 9:19-23

Matthew 28:19-20

**I witness . . . . . my temperament**

**I witness . . . . . your temperament**

Love begins with . . . . .

eg. Choleric. Acts 6:26-38

God has an answer to . . . . .

eg. Phleg. Act.17:2-3,11,17, 18:4,19

God is . . . . . The Bible is . . . . .

eg. Melancholic. Acts 16:25-30

God really . . . . . you and . . . . .

eg. Sanguine. Acts 10:1-48

God gives me the . . . . . life.

**I witness . . . . . God's temperament**

1 Corinthians 2:1-5

1 Peter 3:15

## My prayer priorities for the week beginning Sunday 18 October 2020

Today – Manny, Sam, Asher & ?

Mon – Agnes, Mary P.

Tue – Tony & Diane

Wed – Elsie & Bert. Zoom Bible Study

Thu – Colin & Rhonda

Fri – Phil & Louise

Sat – Mark, Lisa & Thomas

Sun – Ray & Helen. Missions

### Thought starters for personal reflection or for group study.

1. When, and how, did you first hear the Gospel?
2. Read Matthew 28:19-20. Why do you think Jesus made this instruction a command?
3. Create two columns. In the first column, list some reasons why many Christians find witnessing difficult to do.
4. In the other column, suggest solutions to each difficulty.
5. Read Acts 8:26-38. What do you think are some of the important elements in Philip sharing with the Ethiopian?
6. Read Acts 16:25-30. What do you think are some of the important elements in the conversion of the Philippian jailer?
7. What were some of the key elements in your own conversion?

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