

## **HOW TO GET TO KNOW CHRIST**

The first step is to invite Christ into your heart. This is usually done through a prayer of commitment like the following:

*"Lord Jesus, I admit that I have done things that have offended You and I ask for Your forgiveness and cleansing. Please come into my life and make me the kind of person You want me to be. I confess that 'Jesus is Lord' and I believe that He rose from the dead. I give You my life and ask that You fill me with the Holy Spirit. In Jesus Name. Amen."*

### **AFTER THAT FIRST STEP**

There are various ways to get to know Christ including:

1. Read what the Bible says about Him (Isaiah 7, 9, 11, 40, 42, 50-53; Psalm 2, 23, 110; Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Acts, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, Revelation).
2. Talk to people who claim to know Him.
3. Read what people have written about Him in books. (See list below).
4. Talk with Jesus for yourself (via prayer).

REMEMBER: He can see you and hear you even though you can't see Him.

### **HOW TO HELP OTHERS KNOW CHRIST**

We should not be ashamed of Jesus (Romans 1:16 & Matthew 10:32-33).

Tell others about Jesus. (Mark 16:15)

Those who believe our message, we are to disciple (Matthew 28: 19-20).

Here are a few simple suggestions on helping others find Christ.

1. Be friendly and helpful (Jesus said we should serve others).
2. Share your beliefs with others who are willing to listen.
3. Pray for people you talk to about Jesus.
4. Treat all people with honor and dignity.
5. Have pamphlets available like "The Four Spiritual Laws".
6. Pray that God will find you with the Holy Spirit (Luke 11:13).
7. Ask God to use you in winning others to Christ.

### **RECOMMENDED BOOKS**

"The Master Plan of Evangelism"	Robert E. Coleman
"Hells Best Kept Secret"	Ray Comfort
"From the Point to the Cross"	Den Slattery
"Essential Truths"	Den Slattery
"Evidence that Demands a Verdict"	Josh McDowell
"The Case for Christ"	Lee Strobel
"One Thing you can't do in Heaven"	Mark Cahil
"Just Walk Across the Room"	Bill Hybels