

## CID Orientation

### Reaching Muslims with love

- 1- Use your *real smile* to express your love.
- 2- When anyone rejects the bible remember this: they have rejected Jesus before and ***you are not better than them***. There was a time when you were separated from the love of Christ also (Eph. 2:12).
- 3- ***Don't be afraid*** of the looks on their faces, and don't be concerned about the first impression they give you (Jer1:17).
- 4- ***Try to build friendships*** and personal relationships that make people welcome you in the next time.
- 5- ***Try to put some finances away*** (just a few dollars). You may need it to drink coffee with one your new Muslim friends.
- 6- ***Regularly visit*** the Wake Up America Facebook page, and post your testimonies and questions.

How we can reach ACP (Arab Cultured Persons)?

Looking at what Jesus Did in Jn 3 and Jn 4, we can conclude:

- ***Pray against the Antichrist spirit*** and use your spiritual authority to bind them in the name of Jesus (Mt 18:18). This is a big responsibility like the authority of a policeman to bind criminals otherwise these unclean spirits will bother you through the entire discussion.
- ***Show the love of Christ*** through your beautiful smile, without anger. Try to give a gift. Forgive any initial refusal or enmity with the love of Christ, and don't be bothered by rejection the first time, as he might speak with you the next time. Here are some openings to begin the dialogue:

"I'm here from the forum of Islamic Christian dialogue, and want to understand some things about Islam."

“I am here to give you a gift. I read that when your prophet was offered a gift by a (Jewish) man, he accepted. Would you like to accept my gift?”

***Ask them about their lives (married, children, work, etc.).***

They won't care about what you know, until they know that you care!

***The Holy Spirit is always our guide*** on how to proceed, but here is an example discussion, and some things to avoid.

Christian (C): “I read some verses in the Quran and I need to ask you about the issue of eternal life. When I read about this in the Quran I didn't find that there is a certainty in Islam regarding eternal life. I find it illogical to read a book which doesn't show a clear way, do you agree.”

Muslim (M): “No, this is wrong, if you believe in Islam and worship Allah, you will go to Genna (heaven in Islam), Insha'Allah (God willing).”

C: “I find this contradicting with what I had read in the Hadith (stories of Mohamed in Islam) that Mohamed said that no one can enter the Genna by his works ,but by the mercy of God. ‘Then his followers asked him, “Even you as messenger of God?” Mohamed replied, “NO NO unless God give me mercy.”’ (Reference?)

“So my deep question is if Mohamed said that there is only a possibility of going to Genna , and he is considered the ‘driver’ of the whole Islamic nation ,I find this illogical to follow a driver who doesn't know the road. Is this logic?

M: “No, he is sure he will go to Genna. He said this as a humble man.”

C: “When I compare him with Jesus who said in Jn 10:27 and Jn 1:12”

M: “I have three main problems with the Christian faith.”

C: "Please, can we stay focused on my question? I asked you about your destiny. You didn't give me documented Quranic verses in this answer."

Note: There are 4 Quranic rules to answer infidels (Christians and Jews). They are commanded not to give a direct answer to your question but they jump from topic to topic. Stop them and redirect the speech- they talk a lot and don't give you any time to talk. Please, firmly with love and a smile, interrupt and redirect the conversation. Insist that they reply to your question, and not with another question of their own. ACP's are aggressive in their speech and will not allow the conversation to go back and forth. They will try to interrupt you, to get off of the topic that is sensitive. Try not to allow this to happen. (***This is a spiritual battle, so use your authority to bind the spirit of Anti-Christ***).

M: "I have 3 main problems with the Christian faith..."

C: "Sorry for interruption. Please mention them one by one."

M: "I find this illogical to say that God has a son, this is infidelity. You say that Jesus is his son. How can he have a son? Who is his mother? How can God go to the restroom? When he died on the cross, who controlled the universe? When he was praying, did he pray for himself as God? How was God beaten? We honor him more than you and we believe that he was a great prophet "

Note: don't stop Muslims at this point. We can discuss with them later when they receive the grace of God, but primarily we agree with them to build a bridge as Jesus did in Jn4:19-21 and Jn3:2.

C: "Ok, the word "son" means belonging to other one or affiliated to other one. So there is a verse in the Quran ( Surah al Omran 3:45 ) it mentioned that Jesus is a word from God. So if we ask Jesus : you are affiliated to who? Of course, God. In the same manner we are affiliated to USA, as we are sons of the states so the meaning here isn't physical as you

understood my friend, so when you feel in my speech that I am polytheistic, stop me please.”

How can I address the spirit of rejection, when I get rejected?

- **Jer1:17 “don’t dismay at their faces** “rejection come from faces and eyes, so when you evangelize don’t be concerned about expressions, but look spiritually to the Lord.
- **Jer 1:18,19 “I have made you today as a fortified city** and as a pillar of iron and as wall of bronze against the whole land and..... they will fight against you but they will not overcome you, for I am with you to deliver you.”
- **Mat. 10:16-33: “They will bring you in front of governors....You shall be hated of ALL men.”**

If you want to be a follower of Jesus, don’t stumble when you encounter these trials. They were encountered by Jesus before you.

**TRUST the Lord, Halleluiah!**