

one2one

Finding a Person with Whom to Do One-2-One Bible Reading

So, you've heard about One-2-One, you've learned about it, and maybe even gone to a training. Now what? Well, of course, you need to find someone with whom to read! Here are some suggestions!

1. Pray! Pray for God to:
 - a. Show you the person and give you wisdom (James 1:5-6)
 - b. Give you clarity of speech (Colossians 4:4)
 - c. Give them (and you) a heart to know God (Jeremiah 24:7)
 - d. Give you boldness (Ephesians 6:19)
 - e. Give you endurance (Hebrews 10:36)
2. Some categories of people to consider – we call it “**FR**Angelism”:
 - a. **Friends**
 - i. In your local church congregation
 - ii. At your activities – sports, clubs, and other groups
 - iii. Distant friends (Skype is an amazing tool!)
 - iv. Shut-ins, the sick, and the elderly or infirmed
 - v. The person in Sunday School you've been wanting to get to know better
 - b. **Relatives**
 - i. Your spouse, kids, parents, or grandparents/grandkids
 - ii. That relative you've grown apart from and want to reconnect with
 - iii. That favorite aunt, uncle, cousin, nephew, or niece
 - iv. The “black sheep” who has been isolated
 - c. **Associates**
 - i. Co-workers
 - ii. Classmates
 - iii. The person you see every day at the coffee shop or lunch room
 - d. **Neighbors**
 - i. The new family on the block
 - ii. The widow or widower next door
 - iii. The neighbor you talk to across the fence
 - iv. The neighbor that gets left out
 - v. The single parent (bonus – arrange childcare during your meetings!)
3. If you're still having problems finding a person, talk to your pastors, elders, Sunday school teacher, or that faithful prayer warrior! Let us help pray with you and find that person!