

Verity Baptist Church

Soul Winning Seminar

Lesson 5:

Everyone is Condemned to Hell

1. Everyone must understand that they are personally condemned to Hell before they can be saved

A. Up to this point we have explained _____ and the _____ for sin

B. Now we will personalize it and make sure that they understand that they are _____ condemned because of their sin

2. A person must understand that it does not matter how _____ of a person they have been

A. People usually agree that they are not perfect but they like to think that they are not _____ enough to go to Hell – so we need to show them that they (along with everyone else) are bad enough to go to Hell!

B. How this conversation may go

#1. Read the passage:

Script (Set up for the verse):

In Revelation 21:8 God gives us a list of who is going to Hell. Notice What He says (Read the verse)

Revelation 21:8:

But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, (emphasize “liars”) shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

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#2. Reveal the truth:

Explanation:

That's a bad list of sins, right? "[M]urderers, whoremongers, sorcerers, idolaters" those all seem like pretty bad sins! But notice at the end of this list God adds this sin that we've all committed – and "all liars." I'm going to ask you a question, and I want you to be honest with me, okay: Have you ever told a lie before? We all have, right? The Bible says, "let God be true, but every man a liar" (Romans 3:4). The point that God is trying to make, when he adds this sin that we've all committed at the end of list of sins that will send you to Hell, is that there "is none righteous, no, not one" (Romans 3:10) and that we're "all" sinners (Romans 3:23) and our sin has condemned us to Hell! Even if the only sin you have ever committed is telling a lie – that's enough to send you to Hell!

#3. Review the concept:

Question:

Do you see how any sin (even telling a lie) is enough to send someone to Hell?

3. _____ sin is enough to condemn you to Hell

A. It doesn't matter which sins you have or haven't performed—even _____ sin will send you to hell

B. How this conversation may go:

"God forbid: yea, let God be true, but every man a liar; as it is written, That thou mightest be justified in thy sayings, and mightest overcome when thou art judged." – Romans 3:4

#1. Read the passage:

Script (Set up for the verse):

James 2:10 puts it all together. (Read the verse)

James 2:10:

For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all.

#2. Reveal the truth:

Explanation:

Here we see a hypothetical. If you were able to keep the "whole law" and only "offend in one point" break God's law one time, tell one lie, and make one mistake – the Bible says that you are guilty of all.

#3. Review concept:

Question:

Do you see how no matter how good you are, if you have sinned even once, you are not good enough to go to Heaven?

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4. Review of the bad news

- A. We pay our sin through _____
- B. Not just a _____ death but the “second death” which is being cast into the “lake of fire”
- C. According to the Bible _____ person is condemned to hell because of their sin

5. A Transitional Point in the Conversation

- A. The “Bad News” part is the _____ part of the presentation
- B. This part should take about 5-7 minutes
- C. If you do a good job and they understand they are condemned to hell – you will have their _____ for the rest of the conversation

Action Step: Mark and highlight Revelation 21:8 and James 2:10 in your Bible.

