How to Evangelize at Your School in 5 Minutes

Evangelism doesn't require a stage, a sermon, or an hour-long debate—it just takes intentionality. If you only have five minutes, here's how to make the most of it.

Pray Before You Start (30 Seconds)

Before you talk to anyone, ask God for wisdom and boldness. A quick prayer like this sets the tone:

"Lord, give me the opportunity, courage, and the right words to share Your truth today."

Evangelism isn't about your skills—it's about the Holy Spirit working through you.

Engage in a Quick Conversation (2 Minutes)

Find a natural way to start a conversation. If you're talking to a classmate, ask:

- "What do you think happens after we die?"
- "Do you think there's an ultimate purpose to life?"
- "Have you ever thought about who Jesus really was?"

Let them answer. Don't rush to correct them—listen well. People appreciate being heard.

Share the Gospel Simply (1 Minute)

Once they respond, keep your message clear and direct. Try something like:

"I believe Jesus is the Son of God who died for our sins and rose again. He offers forgiveness and a relationship with God to anyone who believes in Him."

If they show interest, continue the conversation. If they don't, respect their response and move on.

4. Offer an Invitation (30 Seconds)

Give them a way to keep thinking about it:

- Invite them to church or a Bible study.
- Share a book, video, or verse (John 3:16 is a great start).
- Ask if you can pray for them.

Trust God with the Outcome (1 Minute)

Evangelism isn't about getting immediate results—it's about being faithful. God works in His timing. Even if they don't respond right away, your words may plant a seed that grows later.

So take that five minutes, be bold, and start the conversation. Your school is your mission field—go make the most of it!

