

## REACHING OUT TO OTHERS



We must challenge every member of our Bible Study organization to participate in loving God, touching lives, and impacting eternity! In order to grow the kingdom we must be intentional in our follow-up of guests. We cannot leave follow-up to chance or hope that it gets done. We must commit ourselves to do follow-up on purpose. Your class must play a key role in the follow-up of guests. Here's what you can do to help us grow the kingdom.



Accept **responsibility** for the people who visit your class on Sunday morning. We must be sensitive to those who visit our Bible Study classes and Worship services and seize the opportunity to make them feel welcome. Encourage your class members to greet guests to your class.



**Enlist** an Outreach Leader for your department/class. The Outreach Leader should be a person capable of sharing the gospel with others or willing to receive training in evangelism. The Outreach Leader is responsible for organizing and overseeing the follow-up efforts of your class.



The Outreach Leader should **ask** class members to assist with follow-up of guests. Follow-up is the responsibility of every member. We can multiply our effectiveness by sharing the follow-up load. Encourage an "Each One Reach One" attitude among class members.



The Outreach Leader should make follow-up assignments and use a variety of avenues to **contact** people. Utilize phone calls, post-cards, and personal visits to follow-up on guests. Encourage a "Constant Contact Consciousness" among members of the class.



Ask God to give you a **heart** for others. In our busy and impersonal world, people need to feel the warmth of human relationships. In an interview before her death, Princess Diana of Wales said she knew she was capable of giving love to others. We too, must give love to others — God's love.

### ■ SUNDAY MORNING

- *The Outreach Leader should serve as a class greeter and recruit additional greeters to insure that guests are properly greeted when they visit your class on Sunday morning.*
- *The Outreach Leader should make certain that each guest has completed a Guest Registration Form and that this information is submitted to the Church Office for follow-up.*

