

Application Questions
Insiders Made New Conversation
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Colossians 4:6
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All of us have had awkward moments in conversation that are actually pretty funny later. What is one of yours? Mine: Asking a young mom who I had not seen for a few years (and had last seen at the hospital where she was a nurse) "Are you still nursing?" I of course meant occupationally, but she interpreted it as "Are you still breast feeding?" Really awkward moment as she looked at me with a "Why in the world would you ask me that question!" look on her face!!!!

1. What was encouraging or challenging to you from this week's teaching?
2. In application of Insiders Made New, how are you thinking differently, praying differently, or relating differently with "outsiders"?
3. If you had a conversation with the Lord about your conversations with "outsiders", what do you think He would say to you? What would you say to Him?
4. Why do you think gracious conversation that is more than Gospel explanation is so important as you talk with "outsiders"?
5. What have you learned about "seasoning" your conversation with "outsiders"?
6. What are some of the questions you are afraid you will be asked by "outsiders"? Afraid, meaning you would not know how to respond. If you would send those questions to Matt Russell, our Pastor of Equipping, it would help him know how he could better equip the body. His email is mattr@cfcjax.com
7. What online resources have you found helpful when you have questions? Check out gotquestions.org as a start.

