



RESOLUTIONARY BLESS

"Commit to the LORD whatever you do, and he will establish your plans."

Proverbs 16:3

Every year people make commitments to try something new or re-engage in a favorite pastime, both of which can open doors to countless opportunities. Whether playing pickleball, frequenting a favorite restaurant, or starting at a new gym, people everywhere are waiting to hear about Jesus.

HERE IS A GUIDE TO HELP YOU ENGAGE YOUR RESOLUTION WITH GOSPEL INTENTIONALITY:

1. BE PRAYERFUL:

During the turn of the year, is there a resolution or new hobby you want to pursue? If not, consider your natural talents and interests. Are you an outdoorsman? Do you like exercise, reading, sports, cooking, cycling, it doesn't matter because all of these are opportunities to build relationships with people waiting to hear about Jesus. *Ask God to show you.*

2. BE READY:

In season and out of season, familiarize yourself with tools like the "Listen with Care" tool at the BLESS Wall. These can help you learn effective ways to discuss God with others. After reading this you will be ready to initiate a purposeful conversation using questions.

3. GET CONNECTED:

Take the step to search out and join a group with similar interests or hobbies. It might be easier to try on your own, but doing things in groups not only gives you the opportunity to build relationships with unbelievers but can also keep you accountable to your commitment or personal goals.

4. ENGAGE WITH OTHERS:

A part of reaching the lost is taking initiative toward those around you. Build relationships with those in your group, class, or team. Seek out new people.

5. BRING A FRIEND:

By seeking the lost you are engaging on a mission and two strands are stronger than one. Even if a friend or family member can't go with you, they can come alongside you in prayer for opportunities to share the good news of Christ.

Who can you bring?