



TALK IT OVER

Crossing Over

BOTTOM LINE

You can't carry out the Great Commission if you are trying to live life on the other side of Christ's promises.

CONVERSATION STARTER

Who has been a memorable neighbor to you? What made them that way?

THINGS TO CONSIDER

What did you hear?

What do you think?

What will you do?

RESOURCES

- The Daily: [newpointeorg/daily](https://newpointeorg.com/daily)
- [9 Ways to Be a Good Neighbor](#)

KEY VERSES AND QUOTES

"You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead, they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:14-16 NIV

"So which of these three do you think was neighbor to him who fell among the thieves?" And he said, "He who showed mercy on him." Then Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." Luke 10:36-38 NKJV

"For too long the church was mostly known for what it was AGAINST, but we want to be known for what we are FOR." – Andy Stanley

"We are called to position ourselves in the place that most effectively shines the light." – Jonathan Wood

A better question than "Who am I?" is "Where am I?" – Jonathan Wood

"If you're okay with putting your hope, identity, and desires in the things this world offers, you are putting yourself in danger of living on the other side of the abundant life Christ has promised." – Jonathan Wood

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As God calls us to be light in our world, we are FOR anyone and everyone in need. How does God use your time, treasure, and testimony FOR the world around us? As you look at life, how do you see God has positioned you/New Pointe to shine the light most effectively? Where are you? What unique opportunity is where you are placed? What is the connection between knowing your identity and living on the right side of God's promises? What are the fears that keep us from moving forward to walk where Jesus walks? Nothing can substitute for a life that is being lived as God promised. How have you seen that truth? Where and how is God pushing you out of your comfort zone?

ACTION STEPS (This or one of your own)

I will evaluate where I am and how God has placed me to shine the light. I will push through my fear of _____ to walk as Jesus would walk in my world.

My Action Step: _____