

- There is one major roadblock that keeps us from telling others about Jesus Christ — !
- How do we overcome our fears and talk to other people about Jesus Christ?
- There are three action steps that we can take in order to effectively talk to others about Christ.

First, you must _____ yourself to speak for Christ.

- If we don't prepare ourselves to speak for Christ, we will never do it.
- Paul didn't immediately begin witnessing to others about Christ. Paul received _____ and instruction. vs. 19
- After this training, what did Paul do? He began to speak out for Christ. vs. 20, 22
- "Let your speech be alway with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man."
 Colossians 4:6
- "But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear."
 1 Peter 3:15

Second, you must _____ and seize opportunities to speak for Christ. You can't expect a lost person to freely talk about Jesus Christ and topics. You must find ways to turn the conversation toward Christ and open the discussion. "So, as much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also. For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." Romans 1:15-16 Third, you must pray to God for _____ to speak for Christ. Boldness does not come naturally to most people. The Holy Spirit supernaturally imparts unto us boldness in our witness, and He does this in answer to _ "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints; And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel, For which I am an ambassador in bonds: that therein I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak." Ephesians 6:18-20