

# Each One, Win One

(Matthew 28:19-20)

- Introduction:
1. Ills. of Telemachus.
  2. As we begin the new year, we want to begin it with new, or at least, renewed challenges.
  3. One of the challenges that I want to keep before you this year is to bring someone to Jesus.
  4. I'm not talking about "saving the world," I'm talking about each one of us winning just one.
    - a. Ills. Doctor at Hiroshima.
  5. How can each one win one? What's our strategy?

## I. Look Past the Behavior of the Lost

- A. Don't allow one's behavior determine whether you reach out to them or not.
- B. Drowning people are usually wet, and lost people are usually sinful.
- C. (Mark 5:1-20).
  1. Ills. reading in the devotional book.
- D. (Psalm 25:7).

## II. Make Plans - Brainstorm

- A. God didn't want us to perish (2 Peter 2:9), so he planned for our redemption.
  1. Before there was a sinner, there was a Savior (Revelation 13:8).
  2. Before there was guilt, there was grace (2 Timothy 1:9).
  3. Before we loved him, he loved us (1 John 4:19).
- B. (Luke 16:1-8).

## III. Follow Through

- A. It's not enough to just plan, we must implement what we plan.
- B. A football game is not won in the huddle, but in the execution of the huddle.
- C. (James 2:15-26).
- D. Faith without works is dead.

- Conclusion:
1. Lest's not lose sight of our mission.
  2. We have been commissioned to teach the gospel.
  3. How do you plan to do that this year, and with whom do you plan to do it?
  4. Be the one who makes an eternal difference in the life of another.