



Gospel for Life

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Indian pastors enthusiastically receive five days of training in disciple-making

GFL's vision to train indigenous pastors continues to move forward. Several pastors from India stayed an extra week after the Shepherds Conference in order to take a 15 hour course in Discipleship from Jay. The course is based on the Discipleship Workbook, one of GFL's most popular resources. **It was gratifying to hear the pastors state how this material will impact their region of India.** They intend to translate the course into their *Telugu* dialect in order to train their church leaders. The Master's College has offered to help us make this course a yearly event.



Indian Pastors attend the GFL course in Disciple-making

Our five days of intense equipping in disciple-making had a profound effect upon the pastors. In a series of poignant testimonials they shared how it has reshaped their ministry philosophy. ***“How we need to grow our own shepherds! As a result of this course I am going to invest in discipling my elders and deacons and identify potential shepherds in my church and grow them into men who can practice soul care.”*** Pastor Joshua Jude Gandi

“I now believe that Christ's last command, the Great Commission, needs to become the first concern in the church.” Pastor Vijaya Kumar Dola



Pastor Nunna explains the challenges of reaching primitive groups in India with the gospel

“I would say that this discipleship course is the need of the day and that it is the most significant contemporary issue in the life of the church and that this course ought to be mandatory for serious Christian leaders.”

“I intend to use what I have learned here by generating two-day seminars and orientation seminars for more focused training of Christian men.” Pastor Mallem Johnson

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Jay receives traditional Indian honors after the week of training



Dave Kim, Bible teacher at 'Church Everyday', Granada Hills

Meet Dave Kim, discipler

One of the most rewarding experiences for us at Gospel for Life is to hear reports of third and fourth generation ministry taking place. Dave Kim (*left, in the black shirt*) was discipled by Eddie Ochoa, who was discipled by Jay Wegter. Dave is using the GFL resource, *How to Share the Gospel in a Post Christian Culture*. It's so exciting to see these high school students studying this resource under Dave's mentoring in order to share their faith more effectively.

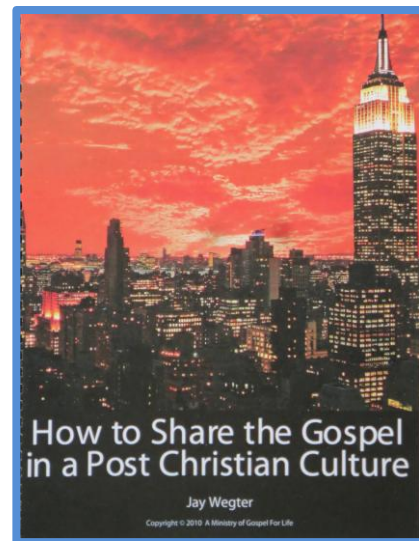
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Worldview Evangelism Workbook from GFL

As our culture moves further into relativism it is becoming increasingly necessary to lay the groundwork for the gospel. The Apostle Paul models this perfectly in his Mars Hill address in Acts 17. In this workbook you will learn to set forth the biblical framework for the gospel. **The Evangelism Workbook offers advanced training in evangelism and apologetics.** It is a comprehensive training tool especially relevant for Bible teachers, campus pastors and their core groups.

Orders: \$20.00 plus \$4.00 shipping.

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Prayer Requests and Needs

- Please pray that our collective vision to plant a Bible training center in Andhra Pradesh, India would become a reality. The need for equipping in the exposition of Scripture is great.
- Please pray for Michele's health; she is facing some serious challenges.
- Please pray for our Indian pastor friends as they seek to 'grow a church culture of disciple-making'.

Our mission at GFL is to help equip individuals and churches to more fully embrace The Great Commission.

The training we offer in evangelism and discipleship is 'hands-on' equipping through disciple-making. Those being mentored learn how to immediately put to use what they are learning.

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Thank you so much for your prayers and support! Jay, Michele and the GFL Team