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Open eyes and open mouths start with having open \_\_\_\_\_!

We have to be in constant \_\_\_\_\_ with Jesus.

In the midst of our everyday normal routines, God can do \_\_\_\_\_ things if we are in tune with Him!

The more time we spend with Jesus, the more we should \_\_\_\_\_ people as He does. **(Matthew 9:36)**

*If we are serious about connecting people to Jesus, then we will be...*

1. \_\_\_\_\_!

We need to look for ways to share Jesus on \_\_\_\_\_!

To be intentional requires you to be \_\_\_\_\_!

The more you study the Bible, the more you will see God's heart for the lost and the more you will see what He has done for you and the more you will want to \_\_\_\_\_ it!

Also, the more you are passionate about prayer and the more you are praying for the lost, the more \_\_\_\_\_ you will be to the lost around you!

**You can be intentional in preparing to share your faith by:**

1. Spending time with God in His Word and through prayer!
2. Learning how to share your faith.
3. Having the gospel interwoven into your personal testimony!
4. Having tracts or booklets to give to others.
5. Reading books on evangelism.
6. Having someone hold you accountable to it!
7. Keep a journal of people you want to see get connected to Jesus.
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We must be open to God \_\_\_\_\_ our schedules!

We must be intentional in forming \_\_\_\_\_ with the lost.

**Here are some practical ways to do this:**

Form relationships with those in your sphere of influence (family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, classmates).

Look for ways to connect with them – find things you have in \_\_\_\_\_!

Build bridges to \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus, not just for bridge building's sake!

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**3. \_\_\_\_\_!**

Think about all the various ways you can connect with people and tell them about Jesus. \_\_\_\_\_ with others!

Be constantly thinking of creative ways to share Jesus:

1. Apparel: t-shirts, jewelry, WWJD bracelets, kid's salvation bracelets, etc.
2. Look for ways to serve your community – servant evangelism!
3. Prayer walk your neighborhoods! Ask God to open doors!
4. When you go out to eat, ask the waitress/waiter -Can I pray for you?
5. Invite others to church and then schedule a time to meet with them afterwards to discuss their experience, the sermon, share your testimony, etc.

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