How to Raise an Evangelist



Raising an evangelist requires intentionality.

It will not happen accidentally.**

I Samuel I: 26 and she said to him (Eli), "Pardon me, my lord. As surely as you live, I am the woman who stood here beside you praying to the Lord. 27 I prayed for this child, and the Lord has granted me what I asked of him. 28 So now I give him to the Lord. For his whole life he will be given over to the Lord." And he worshiped the Lord there.



Luke 8: 40 Now when Jesus returned, a crowd welcomed him, for they were all expecting him.

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It's about his love for the people and the type of words he used.



Luke 8: 41 Then a man named Jairus, a synagogue leader, came and fell at Jesus' feet, pleading with him to come to his house 42 because his only daughter, a girl of about twelve, was dying. As Jesus was on his way, the crowds almost crushed him. 43 And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years, but no one could heal her.

Luke 8: 44 She came up behind him and touched the edge of his cloak, and immediately her bleeding stopped.

45 "Who touched me?" Jesus asked. When they all denied it, Peter said, "Master, the people are crowding and pressing against you."
46 But Jesus said, "Someone touched me; I know that power has gone out from me."

Luke 8: 47 Then the woman, seeing that she could not go unnoticed, came trembling and fell at his feet. In the presence of all the people, she told why she had touched him and how she had been instantly healed.

Luke 8: 48 Then he said to her, "Daughter

(1) Teach them to use KIND words.



Luke 8: 48 Then he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace."

(2) Teach them to use words of RECONCILIATION.



Luke 8: 49 While Jesus was still speaking, someone came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. "Your daughter is dead," he said. "Don't bother the teacher anymore." 50 Hearing this, Jesus said to Jairus, "Don't be afraid; just believe, and she will be healed." 51 When he arrived at the house of Jairus, he did not let anyone go in with him except Peter, John and James, and the child's father and mother.

Luke 8: 52 Meanwhile, all the people were wailing and mourning for her. "Stop wailing," Jesus said. "She is not dead but asleep."

(3) Teach them to use ETERNAL words.

Colossians 3: 16 Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.

Give your child(ren) the language of prayer.



Luke 8: 53 They laughed at him, knowing that she was dead. 54 But he took her by the hand and said, "My child, get up!"

(4) Teach them to use SLOW words.

James I: 19 Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry...

Proverbs 17: 28 Even fools are thought wise if they keep silent, and discerning if they hold their tongues.

Proverbs 10: 19 Sin is not ended by multiplying words, but the prudent hold their tongues.



Luke 8: 55 Her spirit returned, and at once she stood up. Then Jesus told them to give her something to eat.

(5) Teach them to use HOSPITABLE words.



5 Things God Loves as a Father