

**Theme:**

Relational Evangelism

**Title:**

Relaying Your Faith Your Way

**Introduction:** God created you in his image and saved you by His sovereign will and grace. God has also gifted you with a unique personality, gifting's, skills and experiences. God desires for you to use your uniqueness to draw people to Himself. In other words, use your uniqueness to RELAY your faith in your own special way.

**Desired Outcomes:**

God loves variety! If He desired for everything He created to be the same, we would not have such diversity in the earth. In this week's lesson, participants will discover how their uniqueness can best be used to share Christ with others. **God has matched your uniqueness with the assigned purpose He has for your life.** Each of us was created to reach others through the uniqueness given unto us.

**Core Scripture:**

Psalms 139:13-16

Romans 8:32

Romans 12:6

Ephesians 1:3

Ephesians 2:10

**Welcome:**

Ice breaker: Reflective Exercise- Think of all the places you have been in your life. Recall the variety or differences in each place. Think of the people you know, perhaps your immediate family and note the unique differences of the people you know. Now look at the participants in this group setting, what unique characteristics can you identify?

If there are new members always be careful of not creating a space where new members feel exposed or uncomfortable

**Word:**

A. **God has given you a unique personality behavior to share your faith, your way.** The D.I.S.C. Personality Behavior Profile is an assessment tool that can be used to help people understand their unique God-given personality. Understanding your personality can help you understand how to better relay your faith. For more information on the DISC profile, click [HERE](#).

1. The Driven Personality. Biblical Example: Paul - Acts 9:1; Acts 13:44-52
  - a) Active, task oriented,
  - b) Bold, Assertive
  - c) Natural Leader
2. The Inspiring Personality. Biblical Example: Peter - Matt 14:28-31, Acts 2:14-41
  - a) Active, people oriented
  - b) Enthusiastic, exciting
  - c) Expressive, persuasive
  - d) Impulsive
3. The Steady Personality. Biblical Example: Barnabas - Acts 4:36, Acts 11:21-24

- e) Reserved, people oriented, inclusive
- f) Thoughtful, mediator
- g) Supportive, dependable
- h) Indecisive at times

4. The Conscientious Personality. Biblical Example: Moses - Heb 11:24, Numbers 12:3

- i) Loyal
- j) Competent creative
- k) Precise, methodical
- l) Humble

B. **Spiritual Giftedness.** God has given each of us, at least one spiritual gift to operate in. I Tim 4:14, 2 Tim 1:6

- a. Spiritual gifts are special abilities given by God, to the body of Christ (born again believers), for the building up of the body of Christ. 1 Corinthians 12:11, Romans 12
- b. Evangelism requires the entire body
- c. No aspect of the body is more important than the other.

C. **Your Life Experiences helped shape you into the person you are today.**

**The following could be relevant questions to ask:**

- Which biblical personality behavior do you most identify with? Why?
- What two personality behaviors are the most dominant?
- What is the most important life experience you can use for your personal evangelism?
- How did those life experiences shape your unique personality?
- What difference does it make to know that God made us different?

**Thoughts to consider:**

The Holy Spirit is given to believers to manifest Himself through with certain gifts and abilities. You are to put those gifts into service for the glory of God. Finish this statement: Because of my personality, giftedness and experiences, I can be used to share my faith in this way (identify which unique way) to draw others to Christ.

**Worship:**

Music of your choice.

**Works:**

Use the FIRE acronym to ask another person directive questions and be ready to share your unique experience with your iGroup next week.

Closing Prayer: Dear Heavenly Father, I want to thank You for creating me the way You did. You said in your word I am fearfully and wonderfully made. I thank You that there is not and never will be another person on the earth like me. I am your special creation and You created me to reach the world in my own unique way. Today, I surrender myself to the purpose and plan you have for my life. I will use my personality, gifts, and experiences to witness for You in my own way. May I see the fruit of my labor and may You receive all the glory and praise for it all, In Jesus' name, Amen.