

What is Considered a Spiritual Conversation?

A **spiritual conversation** is a wonderful way to engage with a non-believer on **spiritual matters** with the hopes that he/she will **grow in his/her understanding of God** and **make a decision to receive Jesus Christ** as his/her personal Lord and Saviour.

A **spiritual conversation** contains one or all of the following:

- **Seeks to understand** what God may be doing or teaching us in our life situations and circumstances.
- Gives a **clear presentation of biblical truth or teachings** found in Scripture.
- **Points to the triune God in the Bible**, which can lead to a presentation of the gospel of Jesus Christ's finished work on the cross to bring salvation for all humanity.



A spiritual conversation does not have to be centered on the person you are conversing with. You could turn the conversation into a spiritual conversation by **using Bible stories** as illustrations to relate to the topic of your discussion, **sharing your personal testimony** (or what God has been doing in your life lately), or **talking about any scriptural passages** that has been impressed in your heart.

A spiritual conversation is **NEVER** forced. It is a **genuine, natural, and honest sharing** of things that are important to you. The spiritual conversation may not be a direct gospel presentation, but **it always points to the essence of the gospel.**

The **ULTIMATE GOAL** of a spiritual conversation is threefold:

- 1) To **DEEPEN** the person's understanding of who God is.
- 2) To **ENCOURAGE** the person that he/she can place his/her trust in an unchanging, all-powerful, sovereign, and eternal God.
- 3) To **LEAD** the person into a thriving relationship with God.

