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April 22, 2018 – 1 Peter 3:13-17 – "Sent to Share Our Hope"

QUESTIONS

(potential discussion/conversation questions to use in your GGs this week)

- 1. Why is evangelism ultimately a heart issue? What are the proper heart motivations for sharing Jesus?
- 2. Tony mentioned that our context is one of "hardness to the gospel and happy without the gospel." Where have you seen hardness to the gospel in our culture? What are some examples of people being "happy without the gospel"?
- 3. How can we initiate fruitful gospel conversations with people who are hardened to the gospel or happy without the gospel?
- 4. (1 Peter 3:13-14a) How can you practice practical goodness in a world that might be against you? How does this kind of life enable evangelism?
- 5. (1 Peter 3:14b-15a) How does fear of man often cripple our evangelism? Can you share of a time when fear of man led you to avoid sharing Christ?
- 6. How can we cultivate a proper reverence for the Lord? What are some barriers to fearing the Lord properly?
- 7. (1 Peter 3:15b-17) What are some things you daily prepare for? What is your routine to get ready for the day?
- 8. How can we practice daily readiness to share the hope of the gospel?
- 9. What role does tone play in our evangelism? What are some ways we can misfire with our tone in evangelism? What tone(s) do we see from Jesus in his ministry?