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Answers: before Christ, how I came to Christ, since accepting Christ, what's going on with them

"Three-Minute Testimony"

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Why do we share our testimony?

Parts of our testimony:

1. What my life was like _____.

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⁶ Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. ⁷ You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived. ⁸ But now you must also rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips.

Unique to me:

2. Clearly communicate _____.

Mark 1:15

¹⁵ "The time has come," he said. "The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!"

Repent:

However we say it, we need to communicate these three things...

- a) Once I thought I was okay, and that God was unnecessary
- b) I realized that I'm NOT okay, and I desperately need God
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