



Share Boldly
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4 simple ways to sabotage the invitation!

1. Be a judgmental and condemning person.

What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church? Are you not to judge those inside? 1 Corinthians 5:12 (NIV)

“Our culture has accepted two huge lies. The first is that if you disagree with someone’s lifestyle, you must fear or hate them. The second is that to love someone means you agree with everything they believe or do. Both are nonsense. You don’t have to compromise convictions to be compassionate.” - Rick Warren

2. Be a verbally combative person.

Don’t have anything to do with foolish and stupid arguments, because you know they produce quarrels. And the Lord’s servant must not be quarrelsome but must be kind to everyone, able to teach, not resentful. 2 Tim 2:23-24 (NIV)

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect. 1 Peter 3:15 (NIV)

“You can exchange views without exchanging blows.” - Derwin Gray

- To love our enemies, not humiliate them.
- To walk an extra mile with them, not slam the door in their face.
- To turn the other cheek, not slap them verbally.

3. Be a me first and my agenda kind of person.

Desire without knowledge is not good— how much more will hasty feet miss the way! Proverbs 19:2 (NIV)

If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. 1 Corinthians 13:2-3 (NIV)

No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draws them. John 6:44 (NIV)

Challenge and Application

Invite others to your home for a meal

“We are not to impose our faith, but to expose our faith.” - Chuck Swindoll

Invite dialogue:

1. What do you mean by that?
2. How did you come to that conclusion?
3. Isn't it possible...?