As You Go… Share Your Story

1 Kings 5:1-18

Naaman's experience is an encouragement to believers to share how God brought us to faith. It traces seven links in the conversion process: spiritual poverty, strategic placement, seed planting, sovereign provision, surrendered pride, saving profession, and sharing your story.

This passage shows us that God uses personal needs, relationships, and circumstances to draw people to Himself—and can use your testimony to encourage others.

Prepare a **2–3-minute testimony** using the Testimony Worksheet below. Practice with other believers, then share with someone who does not know Christ.

Testimony Worksheet

Use these questions to prepare a 2–3-minute account of how you came to trust Jesus Christ. Tell your own story honestly; you do not need a dramatic experience or an exact conversion date.

1. Your life before Christ

What was your life like before you trusted Christ? What needs, struggles, or questions helped you recognize your spiritual poverty? How did you try to meet those needs?

My notes:

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2. How you came to trust Christ

Who helped point you toward Christ? What did you come to understand about your sin, Jesus' death for you, and salvation as God's free gift? What obstacles or pride did you need to surrender? Describe how you responded in faith.

My notes:

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3. Your life after trusting Christ

What difference has Christ made in your life? Describe specific changes in your attitudes, relationships, priorities, or response to difficulties. Be honest about ongoing struggles and how you now depend on Him.

My notes:

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Put your story together

Choose the most important details from each part. Connect them into a short, natural story that emphasizes what Christ has done rather than only what you have experienced.

My opening sentence: _____

The main difference Christ has made: _____

Practice and share

- Read your story aloud and time it. Aim for 2–3 minutes.
- Use everyday language and explain unfamiliar church terms.
- Practice with a believer. Ask: Is my story clear? Is the gospel clear? What could I shorten?
- Pray for someone with whom you can share. Listen to their story and look for a natural opportunity to tell yours.

Someone I will pray for: _____

Someone I will practice with: _____