

# 4 Steps to a Witness Talk

## 1. I first heard about stewardship when...

This recalls the background and situation of a person which leads them up to the next step of conversion.

## 2. My reaction was...

By describing a negative reaction, the listeners can relate to their own weak spots, and focus on the place where a breakthrough is needed.

## 3. What changed my mind was...

By describing the story details surrounding his or her own breakthrough, the listener can get as close as possible to feeling and being moved by the power of transformation in the speaker's life story.

## 4. It has benefited my life by...

Be describing the positive results, though mysteriously arrived at, the listener gets a glimpse of life on the other side of the breakthrough. This brings hope, as well as the thrill of a change.

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### A Witness Talk is **NOT**

- \* A plea for people to give more money.
- \* A plea for people to get more involved.

### A Witness Talk **IS**

- \* A story of real life faith by real life people!
- \* An opportunity to evangelize.