ADULT PREPARATION FOR MISSIONS

Leader’s Guide: PD5-3

Lecture time: 68 min.
Discussion time: approx. 45 min.

 2nd Discussion time: approx. 15 min.

Leader’s Oral Opening Comments

* Helping others always brings personal blessings. In preparation a teacher learns more than his student. By sending people out, the local church grows. The wonderful contradiction is that sending people away (into missions) brings in more people locally. Hallelujah for God’s plan.

Leader’s Oral Closing Comments

* Well, anyone here that doesn’t want to go? Going is beautiful. Look at your beautiful feet a moment and thank God for where they have already gone to, then trust Jesus to keep them going out.

Discussion instructions

* Let the brothers discuss their personal involvement and vision from the questionnaire.
* Add a Large Group Discussion with a focus on the benefits for the local church to develop such a vision for missions as portrayed in the Outline.

Prayer instructions

* Make notes from your Large Group Discussion and use them as prayer directives — Pray about stimulating the local church into an active mission vision.
* Pray about going? Pray about someone else that the Spirit lays on their heart? Pray about their own children’s future service?

Pass-out material instructions

* Pass out the Discussion Questions to each person prior to the Large Group discussion.
* For the 2nd 15 minute discussion time pass out the lecture Outline first at that time discussion.

Practical assignments

* Get a date from your men as to when they want to do share this. Write down their names with the date and follow-up by phone.

Special adaptations for unique groups

Has anyone approached you about mission work?

Perhaps you can take an evening and share this with him.