



Group Discussion Guide  
Reaching Muslims for Christ  
Five-Session Version

Dear Discussion Leader,

Thank you for your decision to lead a group through the Reaching Muslims for Christ Video Series. During this series you will be equipping Christians to share their lives and the Gospel with Muslim people.

As Discussion Leader you will be facilitating your group meetings using the outlines provided on the pages that follow. You will open each meeting with prayer, show the video(s) for that session, and facilitate a discussion following the specific instructions pertaining to that session.

Participants will need a Bible, a copy of this discussion guide, and a means of taking notes. You will also need some way to show online video to the group. If you meet online using meeting software, you will need to be comfortable sharing online video with audio to your meeting participants. If your group is larger than 8 people you will also need to be able to assign your participants to meeting rooms and to reconvene them smoothly.

To show the videos, sign into [www.tampamuslimoutreach.com/learn](http://www.tampamuslimoutreach.com/learn) and click on the session video. Following the video an online quiz will appear. Lead your group in answering the quiz questions. Your answers must be 100 percent correct before you can access the next video, so be careful!

If your group includes 8 people or less, I suggest you do every session as one group. If your group is larger than 8 people, divide into groups of three or four when so instructed. Give everyone the suggested amount of time to complete their discussion questions in their individual groups, and then rejoin everyone in the larger group for prayer.

These sessions are “obedience-based”: That is, they assume that participants will eagerly obey God as they hear His voice. I pray that all of us would obey God’s voice, both for our own sakes, and for the sake of those who wait to hear our message.

Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt Walter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "M" and a long, sweeping underline.

Matt Walter  
Executive Director

## Session 1

1. Open with a prayer.
2. Watch Video 1: Introduction.
3. Go through Quiz 1 together.
4. Watch Video 2: Obstacles in our Hearts.
5. Go through Quiz 2 together.
6. Discuss: What obstacle mentioned in the video do you most closely identify with: Fear, resentment, or doubt? Why?
7. Watch the video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UTzYCwsPTNo>.
8. Divide into groups of 3-4 people. Groups should appoint their own discussion leaders. (20-30 mins.)
  - a. Read Luke 10:25-37.
  - b. Have each person share: What jumps out at you about this passage?
  - c. Read the passage again. Have each person share:
    - i. What do we learn about God in this passage?
    - ii. What do we learn about people in this passage?
    - iii. Who was a neighbor to the formerly Muslim woman in the video?
    - iv. How were they a neighbor?
  - d. Read the passage again. Spend one minute together in silent prayer. Have each person share:
    - i. How is God asking you personally to obey this passage?
    - ii. When will you personally obey this passage?
9. Reconvene. Take prayer requests.
10. Have a volunteer close with a prayer.

## Session 2

1. Open with prayer.
2. Have a few people share: How did it go obeying the passage we read from last week?
3. Watch Video 3: Islam Part 1
4. Go through Quiz 3 together.
5. Watch Video 4: Islam Part 2
6. Go through Quiz 4 together.
7. Discuss:
  - a. What in today's video was new information for you?
  - b. What do you think makes Islam so persuasive to Muslims today?
8. Divide into groups of 3-4 people. Groups should appoint their own discussion leaders. (20-30 mins.)
  - a. Read Romans 3:21-26. Have each person share: What jumps out at you about this passage?
  - b. Read the passage again. Have each person share:
    - i. What do we learn about God from this passage?
    - ii. What do we learn about people from this passage?
  - c. Discuss: What Good News does this passage contain for Muslim people?
  - d. Read the passage again. Spend one minute together in silent prayer. Have each person share:
    - i. With whom will you share the truths of this passage this week?
    - ii. What lost person will you pray for this week?
9. Reconvene. Take prayer requests.
10. Have a volunteer close with a prayer.

### Session 3

1. Open with prayer.
2. Have a few people share: How did it go sharing the truths of Romans 3:21-26 with someone last week?
3. Have a few people share: How did it go praying for a lost person last week? Do you see God at work in that person's life?
4. Watch Video 5: Tripwires Part 1
5. Go through Quiz 5 together.
6. Watch Video 6: Tripwires Part 2
7. Go through Quiz 6 together.
8. Discuss: Muslims assert that the Bible has been corrupted. How might a Christian effectively respond to this challenge?
9. Discuss:
  - a. Why might it be important for a Christian to understand a non-Christian's core values?
  - b. Given the fear that Muslims have of being ostracized or worse if they leave Islam, what can churches do to care for new believers from a Muslim background?
10. Divide into groups of 3-4 people. Groups should appoint their own discussion leaders. (20-30 mins.)
  - a. Read 1 Corinthians 9:19-23. Have each person share: What jumps out at you about this passage?
  - b. Read the passage again. Have each person share:
    - i. What do we learn about God from this passage?
    - ii. What do we learn about people from this passage?
  - c. Read the passage again. Spend one minute together in silent prayer. Have each person share:
    - i. How is God asking you personally to obey this passage?
    - ii. When will you personally obey this passage?
11. Reconvene. Take prayer requests.
12. Have a volunteer close in prayer.

## Session 4

1. Open with prayer.
2. Have a few people share: How did it go obeying the passage from last week?
3. Watch Video 7: Strategy Part 1
4. Go through Quiz 7 together.
5. Watch Video 8: Strategy Part 2
6. Go through Quiz 8 together.
7. Discuss:
  - a. Which of the steps in Muslim evangelism seems most important to you?
  - b. Relate a time that someone showed hospitality to you.
  - c. Relate a time that you saw prayer make a difference in your life.
8. Divide into groups of 3-4 people. Groups should appoint their own discussion leaders. (20-30 mins.)
  - a. Read Luke 18:1-8. Have each person share: What jumps out at you about this passage?
  - b. Read the passage again. Have each person share:
    - i. What do we learn about God from this passage?
    - ii. What do we learn about people from this passage?
  - c. Read the passage again. Spend one minute together in silent prayer. Have each person share:
    - i. How is God asking you personally to obey this passage?
    - ii. When will you obey this passage?
  - d. Have each person share: What is something in your life you would like to see God change?
  - e. Pray for each other.
9. Reconvene. Have a volunteer close in prayer, remembering the Muslims of the Tampa Bay area.

## Session 5

1. Open with prayer.
2. Have each person share: How did it go obeying the passage from last week?
3. Watch Video 9: Sharing the Gospel.
4. Go through Quiz 9 together.
5. Divide into groups of three and practice sharing the Gospel until committed to memory using the outline provided at the end of this file. (15 mins.)
6. Reconvene. Have volunteers share the Gospel presentation with the whole group from memory.
7. Have volunteers role-play a conversation in which the Gospel Presentation is shared more conversationally, with questions and challenges along the way.
8. Discuss: Imagine that God tasked our group with reaching the Muslims of the Tampa Bay area with the Gospel. How would we go about doing that?
9. Watch Video 10: Next Steps.
10. Have each person write down, and a few people share: What next steps is God calling me to take in reaching Muslims for Christ?
11. Discuss as a group: What action, if any, is God calling us as a group to take in reaching Muslims for Christ? When? How will we keep ourselves accountable in this?
12. Close in prayer as a group, dedicating yourselves to God.

### Gospel Presentation Outline

Part One JESUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Jesus was perfect and did miracles.</li><li>• One time He told His followers, "I have to die and rise again." Do you know why He said that?</li></ul>
Part Two PROPHETS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Adam and Eve sinned and were thrown out of the Garden.</li><li>• God killed an animal to make Adam and Eve clothes and to cover the shame of sin.</li><li>• From then on, all the prophets killed animals as sacrifices to pay for sin.</li></ul>
Part Three JESUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• John the Baptist said about Jesus, "This is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world."</li><li>• That is why Jesus said He had to die and rise again. By dying on a cross, Jesus became the perfect sacrifice for sin.</li><li>• God raised Jesus from the dead to show that the sacrifice had been accepted.</li></ul>
Part Four LORD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Bible says that if you accept Jesus as Lord, and trust that He died and rose again for your sins, you will be saved.</li></ul>