

Tom,

I can't explain how much this class on The Way Of The Master training has changed my life and helped me through Christ to change others this is why I tell people about SBC and invite them to come there. In this way they can see that SBC is not like other the churches they truly care about the lost souls out there and the baby Christians that need classes like this to help strengthen their walk. My mother is an evangelist so I grew up sharing my faith to others it just wasn't as effective for me as using this method and I've never had anyone that I just met thank me for sharing my faith with them and some of them are people of other faiths and now they understand what Christianity really is. I think that if this class was not at SBC it would be a sad unspeakable shame to the body of Christ and the church. This class is used to show people how to share their faith and lose the fear of "going in to all the world" to spread his word; come to think of it I don't think I know of any other class that helps people learn to share their faith and then go to places like Tempe (Mill ave) on a Saturday night (with about everyone out there needing Christ) handing out tracks that people don't think is just boring, talking one on one with people, and open air preaching! That's just Awesome! In conclusion I pray that this part of the body of Christ is not cut off from the rest of the body of Christ, thank you for letting

Tom teach this there.

Sincerely

QT

p.s. here is just one of my testimonies... this came from a new pastor in San Francisco C.A.

Hi Q,

For some reason this did not go through with the rest of the addresses. I sent this out to approx. 60 people. Let me know your thoughts. Matt.

This week I flew out of town on business and since my job was near my family I spent Memorial Day weekend with them. I missed my flight, so I called and rescheduled a later flight. This left me with about a half hour of leisure. I used the time to visit my grandmother. She opened the door with great surprise; she had no idea I was stopping by. Our conversation was short yet precious. We quickly caught up and then prayed. She asked me my thoughts on The Da Vinci Code, and I explained that it was a great opportunity to witness. What Satan meant for destruction God would use for good, but we must be prepared to answer questions. I spent almost an hour at her house, thus making me late once again to my flight. I barely made it to the gate in time for boarding. When I boarded the plain, I took one of the only seats available.

The first thing I noticed was that the gentleman sitting across the aisle from me was reading The Da Vinci Code. It immediately hit me that this might be an opportunity to witness, but I wasn't sure how to bring it up. I was thinking this when a man sitting next to the Da Vinci Code reader asked the man if he had seen the movie. The gentleman responded by saying that he wanted to read the book first. The man sitting next to him, we will call him Q, said he wanted to before he heard that it was inaccurate and even gave an example. They exchanged a few words in regards to the book and its accuracy while the plane taxied the runway. The conversation ended when the plane was airborne. I thought to myself, is this man (make sure you're clear about which man) is a Christian? That question was quickly answered when I witnessed Q pulling a black Bible from his

carryon. Man, you should have seen the Da Vinci Code reader do a double take. I believe he was as shocked as I was.

The flight was short and we landed a little over an hour after take off. When we were on the ground the conversation between the two resumed. Q eloquently, and without causing defenses (a little unclear, do you mean without making the man defensive?), witnessed to the man, using the book as a means to do so. The conversation between them ended with Q getting the man's number so that he could call him to invite him to church.

My spirit was up from what I witnessed and I was greatly encouraged. After exiting the plane and heading toward baggage claim, I engaged in a conversation with Q. I explained that I witnessed the entire event and was greatly encouraged. He gave credit to God and even admitted his own apprehension towards speaking out. In other words, he was humble. He explained that he learned how to witness from Kirk Cameroon and Ray Comfort's ministry and even gave me this web site to visit: <http://wayofthemaster.com/>. Please look it over if you are interested in a sound approach to witnessing.

Here are the amazing, God ordained events: I missed my first flight, I was late for the second flight, I sat down next to a man reading The Da Vinci Code, there was a Christian there ready to witness, a questioning man was given an opportunity to hear the truth, and my answer to my grandmother was affirmed. Many of us question what this movie is about. It is about having the opportunity to witness, or better yet, being prepared to witness. So I leave all of you with these questions: What would you have done if you were in Q's shoes? Would you have been prepared to witness? Do you know how to show the falsehoods of The Da Vinci Code and reveal the truths of the Bible? If you

don't, as I am admitting I don't, you must learn. And if you won't learn, don't gripe about the movie, for it is a great opportunity!