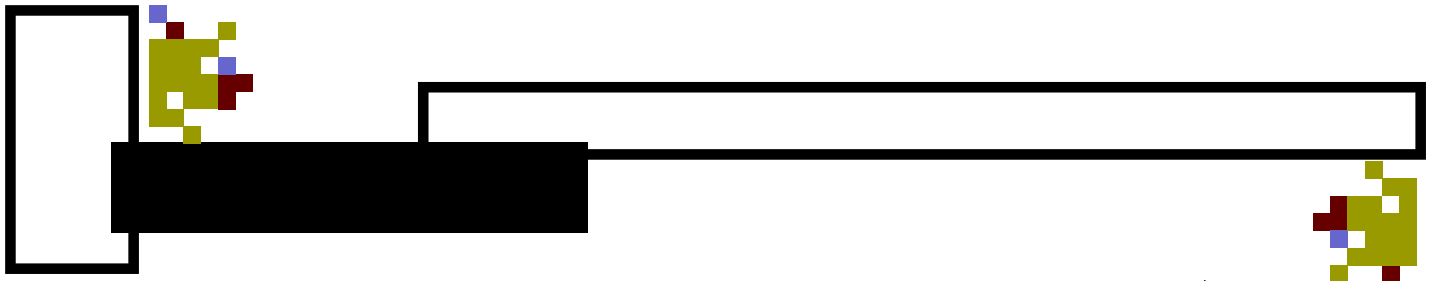


OPERATION ANDREW TEACHING GUIDE

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Operation Andrew. It has been used in its crusades for many years with great effectiveness.
It is based on soul cultivation of the unsaved with the explicit purpose to have them attend an evangelistic service.



What is Operation Andrew?

The Concept:

The concept of *Operation Andrew* is drawn from John 1:40-42.

John 1:42

"And he (Andrew) brought him (Simon Peter) to Jesus." (NKJV)

The Facts:

Andrew knew that his brother needed Jesus.

Andrew met Jesus and immediately brought his brother to meet Jesus.

The Questions:

Do we know people who need Jesus?

Do we model Andrew's example?

How can we be an "Andrew"?

"*Operation Andrew* is composed of simple steps to help Christians identify those who need Christ, pray for them daily, build bridges of friendship, share the gospel, and help them grow in their new relationship with Christ." (Billy Graham Evangelistic Association)

Biblically speaking we are all called to be an "Andrew."

We are to be burdened about the lost and strive to bring them to Christ.

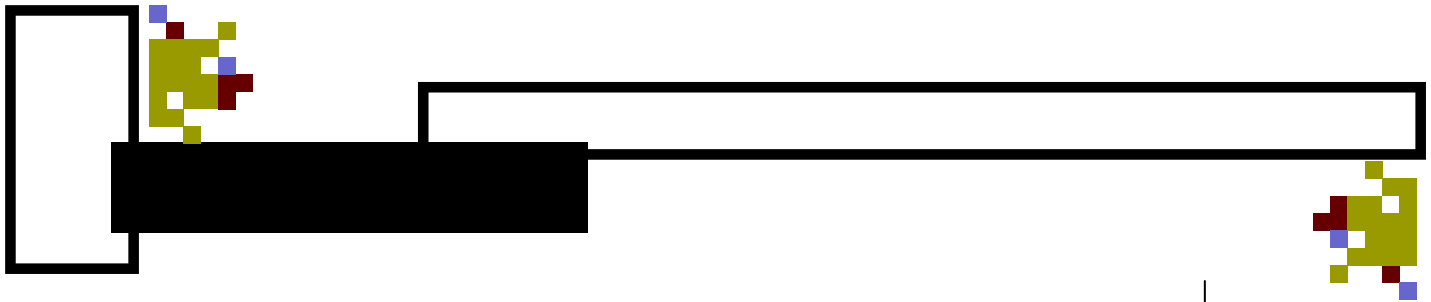
Are you willing to be a Biblical Andrew?

Review the *Operation Andrew* steps to assist you in reaching others for Christ.

John 1:40-42 (NKJV)

... One of the two who heard John *speak*, and followed Him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother.

He first found his own brother Simon, and said to him, "We have found the Messiah" (which is translated, the Christ). And he brought him to Jesus . . .



Steps to being a Biblical Andrew:

➔ Look Around

Your mission field is right where you live, work, or go to school.

List the names of 10 people you know who need Jesus Christ.

Commit to pray for them regularly.

➔ Look Up

God changes people through prayer.

Pray each day for those on your list.

Pray that God will give you opportunities to share His love with them.

➔ Look Out

Seek for ways to cultivate friendships with each person on your list.

Spend time with them. Invite them to dinner, a sporting event or other activity.

Build relationships - opening the way to talk about Christ.

➔ Look Forward

Talk to each person on your list about attending an evangelistic event with you.

Choose a specific date; pray, and invite them.

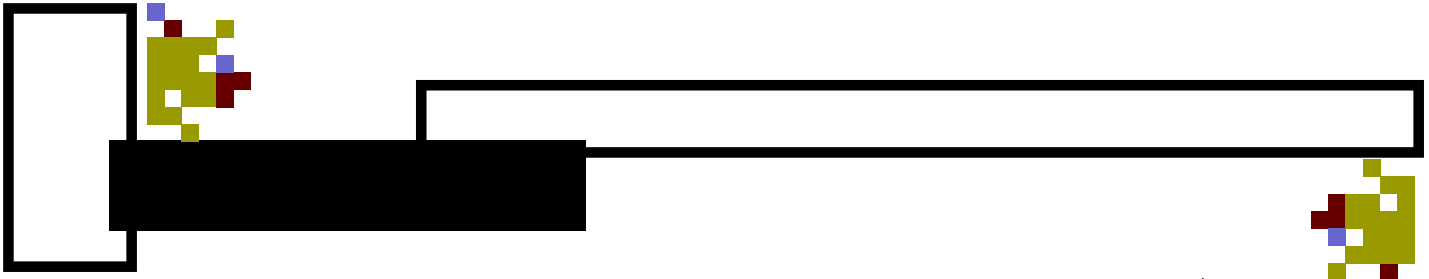
➔ Look After

Encourage those who respond to Christ or even begin to show interest in the gospel.

Continue to love and pray for those who do not respond.

John 1:42

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MY OPERATION ANDREW LIST:

I commit to pray regularly for the following people:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

Yes, I will be a Biblical Andrew:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

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