



# **REMOVING THE MYSTERY** **SHARING YOUR STORY**

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But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you;  
and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria,  
and to the ends of the earth.

**Acts 1:8**

**You are a witness, not a prosecutor.**

**You are a witness, not the whole defense team**

we declare to you what we have seen and heard so that you also may have fellowship with us; and truly our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

**1 John 1:3**

**Keep it personal**

**Don't hide your light**

He answered, “I do not know whether he is a sinner. One thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I see.”

**John 9:25**

**“I don’t know about all that”**

**Keep it simple**

**Don’t let a tough question pull you off your story**

“Come and see a man who told me everything I have ever done! He cannot be the Messiah, can he?”

**John 4:29**



**Invite their curiosity**

**Don't dump the 12-volume set of every theology question and answer ever given with complete certainty, and then keep talking long past any humanly possible attention span...blah, blah, blah**

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