TRAINING FOR THOSE MINISTERING TO PROSTITUTES

Topics & issues:

The part of the Prostitutes Program in ECM's total program

Ideally a sponsorship program should work in the same area hand-in-hand with prostitute program, so that girls won't go to prostitution just so we will offer them help.

Vocational training program is an essential part of it

May work hand-in-hand with a street ministry in your area

Protecting yourself & dealing with temptation

Treating prostitutes with dignity

The personal needs of the prostitute & how the Gospel meets those needs

Love

Value & personal worth

Daily needs being met

Forgiveness, cleansing

Ideas for approaching prostitutes

Direct confrontation on the street

Offering a way of escape at a place of business

Distributing cards, posting posters with hotline information

Gift baskets

Turn-offs. Negative practices to avoid.

Turn-ons. What attracts prostitutes to the Gospel

Genuine conversion

What it is

A free choice

An informed choice

An imperfect choice (don't understand everything)

How to recognize it

Some fruits or changes

May not meet your standards

Hunger to learn more

Creating a PDN-Personal Development Plan (Assessing total needs of a girl & planning how to meet them)

Based on her expressions of need

Based on your observations

Physical needs

Personal health & hygiene

Sexually transmitted diseases

Other communicable diseases

Nutrition

Sexual needs

Spiritual needs

Conversion

Means of growth

Christian fellowship & acceptance in the body of Christ

Forgiveness, cleansing

Deliverance from demonic oppression

Closing the doors-denying demons entrance & welcome

Actual deliverance

Psychological needs

Mental needs

Emotional needs

Social & cultural needs

How to face those who know what she was

Preparing for future marriage

Counseling-dealing with personal problems

Vocational issues

Choosing a vocation

Training options

Micro credit

Training in business & financial principles

Effects of trauma

God's principles for sex, marriage & family

Parenting

Value of children

Daily care of children

Discipline

Instilling values

Teaching spiritual truths

Record keeping

- Always record name of interviewer or source of info
- Basic personal information & identifying picture
- Her story—Life before prostitution, her fall (how she got into it), her experience with it (how it has affected her), your approach to her, her conversion, her life since, her future goals.
- Your contacts with her, including teaching & aid given
- Her PDN—Personal Development Plan
- Challenges & setbacks

Pictures

ID pictures

Publicity pictures

Permissions & Confidentiality issues

Permission to use her picture

Permission to use her story