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Subject: Ministry

Dear Dr. Ryrie: How can I be a minister to people in every area of my life? How do you speak to someone you have just met about Christ? --Jon G.

Dear Jon: A thoughtful and important question. You are to be commended for wanting every area of your life to glorify the Lord. The fact that you are sensitive to this is the first and perhaps the most important step, since it will make you alert to the many ways you can witness. Your life should reflect the character of God as much as possible. As to a direct witness, sometimes you need to befriend a person for a while before giving direct witness, but don't put that off too long. Ask the Lord to alert you to the right time and occasion to talk directly about Him and salvation. With some, you can witness right away. Again, ask the Lord to direct you, and He will.

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