



## 1. Practice Devotions

- Develop a “pray first” habit
- Spend meaningful times in Scripture to feed yourself
- Use devotional book & diary
- Pray for openings to witness in everyday life
- Become accountable
- Find websites where you can download sermons, resources & study aids

[www.insight.org](http://www.insight.org)

[www.oneplace.com](http://www.oneplace.com)

## 2. Read books & Key papers

### Articles on GO Website

“Why did Paul make tents?”

“New Millennium Missions”

### Books on Tentmaking

Today’s Tentmakers – *Christy J. Wilson*

Tentmakers Speak – *Don Hamilton*

Tentmaking Business As Mission – *Patrick Lai*

[www.globalopps.org/101](http://www.globalopps.org/101)

## 3. Form a prayer team

- Pray – to find them!
- Share your vision
- Communicate regularly
- Share information
- Prayer breakfast

“Don’t leave without one!”

## 4. Bring your faith to work

- Read “Fishing Evangelism” & books on evangelism
- Attend evangelism seminars
- Place yourself in situations where your faith will be stretched
- Interruptions could be openings
- Pray for co-workers situations

Book Recommendation: *Coffee House Gospel*

## 5. Connect with pastor & missions rep

- Be submissive to their leadership
- Let them know of your vision
- Ask them to pray for you
- Keep them updated
- Inform them of the challenge
- Give them relevant articles

## 6. Join or Start a small group

- Alpha in the Workplace Course  
[www.alphacourse.org/workplace](http://www.alphacourse.org/workplace)
- Check out Navigators Training  
[www.navigators.org](http://www.navigators.org)   [www.navigators.ca](http://www.navigators.ca)
- JOIN - *if you need more experience*
- START - *if you feel confident*
- Take the Perspectives Course  
[www.perspectives.org](http://www.perspectives.org)

## 7. Cultural Preparation

- Get to know your target people  
History, culture, heroes, politics, jokes etc.
- Learn the basics of their religion
- Visit a mosque or temple
- Reach out to a people group before leaving

## 8. Research the International Job Market

- Dedicate time to researching
- Know the opportunities
- Learn how to make current CV
- Submit resume

“finding a job is the easy part”

## 10. Enhance your skills

- Working your way to the Nations
- NOW Available as an Online Course
- Download for free at GO Website
- Self study or group study
- Study articles from GO Website
- Read books on missions

[workingyourwayonline.com](http://workingyourwayonline.com)



## 10. Enhance your skills

Take a TESL certificate course  
Improve time management skills  
Helps in your preparation  
Further training is never wasted  
Short courses to multi semester  
Consider basic language lessons

“You probably will teach English”

## BE ENCOURAGED!

- All tentmakers have done this
- A process one must endure
- Time of preparation - *God's gift*
- 8-12 months average
- God's time

*There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven*    ECC 3:1

**Daniel 3:17-18**



*If we are thrown into the blazing furnace, the God we serve is able to save us from it, and he will rescue us from your hand, O king.*

***But even if He does not...***

*But you will not leave in haste or go in flight; for the LORD will go before you, the God of Israel will be your rear guard.*  
Isaiah 52:12

*He who goes out weeping,  
carrying seed to sow,  
will return with songs of joy,  
carrying sheaves with him*  
Psalm 126:6



**Look for these books to  
be published soon!**