

## SHARE YOUR FAITH WITH THE REVEAL CARDS IN 3 STEPS



You can invite two types of people to participate in Reveal: Friends and Strangers.

- Your friends: Invite your friends to meet with you one-on-one or in a group to look at the art and Bible quote together.
  - O Brainstorm: Who will you help to encounter Jesus? Who has God put in your life?

    Pray and ask God now: "We need your help to be your faithful witnesses. Who do you want us to share our faith with? Jesus, who do you want to start a relationship with?

    Would you reveal to us their names and faces?"

    Listen silently for 15 seconds. Write down the names of people you saw while praying.
  - o <u>Pray for them</u> (evangelism.intervarsity.org/resource/12-intercessional-prayers).
  - o <u>Text</u> your friends a photo of the art. <u>Invite</u> them to discuss it with you. Sample invitation: "I saw this art piece that's inspired by a Bible quote. I'd love to hear your thoughts about it. Are you interested?"
- **Strangers:** Invite people on campus to discuss the *Reveal* art on a card or poster. Use the opener:
  - "Hi, I'm George. I'm with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship. We're showing people some art that reveals the beauty & pain of our world. Which one do you like the most?" . . . "Interesting! I'd love to hear your thoughts about this piece. Can I ask you a few questions?"
- Use the conversation questions on the card to discuss one image and Bible quote. Then follow the prompt to the gospel summary.
  - Use this transition to move the conversation from art to Scripture:
    "This art is connected to this Bible quote on the back. Can you tell me your thoughts about it?"
  - TIPS FOR A GREAT EVANGELISTIC CONVERSATION
    - Tell your story. Be prepared to share honestly about your own struggles, failures, hopes—and how Jesus is shaping you. Please reflect on each question beforehand so that you're ready to share.
    - o **Be prayerful.** Ask Jesus to meet your friends. Be open to the Holy Spirit's leading in the moment.
    - Listen well and show that you care. Nod, smile, thank them for sharing, and appreciate
      their insights. Be a fellow learner! (More tips on listening:

       evangelism.intervarsity.org/resource/become-good-listener

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- o **Encourage deeper conversation.** You can say, "Tell me more about that."
- You don't have to know it all. You can say, "I don't know, let's look into that together." You also don't have to agree with every comment. It's a dialogue, not a debate. (Tips on responding to tough questions: <a href="mailto:evangelism.intervarsity.org/resource/answering-tough-questions">evangelism.intervarsity.org/resource/answering-tough-questions</a>)

## 3 Give an invitation to follow Jesus.

- The final Bible discussion question on each card leads to the gospel summary card and the invitation to faith. Ask: "Would you be curious to know how Christians view the world?"
- Read the gospel summary in order (circles 1, 2, 3, 4) and ask the orange questions on the card:
  - o "Would you like to start following Jesus today? Or, would you like to take a different step towards faith?"
  - o "If you're already following Jesus, would you like to invite others into God's healing? Are you part of a community that can live out Jesus' ways together?"
- If participants aren't ready to follow Jesus, flip the card over to discuss the **5 Thresholds Quiz**, and invite them to take a next step.
  - o Hand the card to them and say: "Here are five steps on a spiritual journey. You can read each step out loud. Which best describes where you are?"
  - Let them pick where they are on a spiritual journey, and ask follow-up questions: "Why did you pick that?" or "Tell me more about that."
  - o Discuss the question underneath their chosen step.
  - o Invite them to a next step. Options are on the card, and there are more at: exploringfaith.life and evangelism.intervarsity.org/five-thresholds

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