



I've Got a Question for You – July/August 09



Of all the teaching techniques, what do you think is the most effective? What is a good way to determine if your students are learning from you and connecting with you?

What is the least effective method of teaching? What is the most effective method of teaching?

What do questions communicate about the person asking the question? What do questions communicate to the person to whom the question was asked?

What are the purposes of questions? Can you think of examples in Scripture to illustrate at least five such purposes?

What are examples of ineffective questions? Why? What are examples of effective questions? Why?

Do you know what are the first two questions recorded in the Bible? What is their significance?

Have you considered how much Jesus relied on questions in his teaching? Do you know how many of his questions are recorded in the Bible? Why did he answer some questions with a question? With each question of his which you can cite, what was his purpose in asking the question and to what part of his calling to believers was he pointing?

Do you have any questions about questions? For example...

How long should you wait in silence for an answer to your question?

If there is no answer to your question, is it okay not to answer it?

How do you balance “stone tablets” (clear declaration of truth) with questions?

What is the most recent question God has asked you? Should you worry if you can't answer this question? Is it possible you haven't heard a question that God has asked you?

Do you know what Oswald Chambers said about questions? (It's the only question I'll answer- “The questions that matter in life are remarkably few and they are all answered by Jesus' words, ‘Come unto me.’”)

With regard to all of the above and for you-so what?

With regard to all of the above and for you-now what?

Why am I asking you these two questions?

Do your students always hear those two questions every time you teach? Do you give them time to answer them during your teaching?

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