



**Hospitality and Evangelism**  
**Luke 19:1-10**

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Throughout history, the gospel has spread rapidly in hostile cultures. This is important because America is fast becoming a hostile culture.

Unbelievers today are less willing to come to our turf so we must learn to play on theirs. A key to this is practicing biblical hospitality.

In our text, Jesus showed genuine hospitality to a stranger named Zacchaeus and this led to his glorious salvation.

**The Main Thought...**

- ◆ *Christian \_\_\_\_\_ involves welcoming unbelievers into our space, in hopes of bringing Jesus into theirs.*

**In the Greek:** "hospitality" is *philozenia* from two words—*philos*, meaning "affection" and *zenos*, meaning "stranger."

**1. Hospitality goes against \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 1-4).**

Lev. 19:33-34; 23:22; Deut. 15:11; 24:17-18

**2. Hospitality is \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 5).**

- The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ abounds with hospitality.
- \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ are agents of hospitality.

Rm. 12:13; Heb. 13:1-3; 1 Pet. 4:9

**3. Hospitality can open \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 6-7).**

Mt. 5:47; 9:10-13

**4. Hospitality can lead to \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 8-10).**

Eph. 2:12-13, 19

**How can I be an agent of Christ-like hospitality?**

- \_\_\_\_\_ everyone.
- Be \_\_\_\_\_.
- Share lots of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ and see them.