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Compelled By Love, Part VI

2 Peter 3:9

I. Serious – Matthew 13:47-52

II. Milieu – Membership

1. Jesus

- Synagogue (spoke Bible)
- Public (spoke Parables)
- Nicodemus (spoke Doctrine)
- Samaritan Woman (spoke Kindness)

2. Paul

- Synagogue (spoke Covenant)
- Athens (spoke Philosophy)
- Pagan authorities (spoke Testimony)
- Elders (spoke Respect)

Can I speak Biker, Intellectual, Mommy, Executive, Blue Collar?

III. How do we learn to speak “other languages” without coming across as a hypocrite?

1. Embrace “your” world
2. Listen!
3. Be genuine – Don’t pretend to be someone you’re not
4. Don’t be a “know it all”
5. Earn the right to be heard
 - Trust
 - Relationship
6. Your testimony – Acts 5:20

