

# WHAT COMES NEXT

Intro.

Hello my name is \_\_\_\_\_. Paint up **SOLVE THIS RIDDLE** then tell the audience you have six statements involving various numbers and letters that require you to figure out **WHAT COMES NEXT** (finish the partial lettering in the question mark) it will start out easy and get harder.

First line: 1,2, paint up **3** and ask what comes next (4)  
Second line: 8,4, paint up **2** and ask what comes next (1)  
Third line: 1,1,2, paint up **3, 5** and ask what comes next (8 Fibonacci's sequence)  
Fourth line: S,M, paint up **T** and ask what comes next (W for Wednesday)  
Fifth line: Fr., paint up **So.** - ask what comes next (Jr. for Junior)  
Sixth line: Life, paint up **Death** and ask what comes next or does this end the sequence. Does something happen after death or do we cease to exist?

Death results in our body returning to the dirt it was made from but is this all that a human being is made from?

Give the crowd a moment to see if they have any responses to your questions.

This message can be preached in various ways which results in the Gospel being clearly proclaimed.

## Option #1

Genesis 1 and 2 is one clear path to go down describing that after the first man's body was formed, the Creator God breathed into his nostrils the breath of life and man became a living being. We were created in the image of God so that we could know Him, love Him, and obey Him. God made us relational beings because this is the nature of God. He is in relationship with Jesus and the Holy Spirit. God gave us life that would be everlasting however something happened. Describe how sin came into the world through Adam's disobedience and death through sin so that death now comes to us all because we all have sinned. (Romans 5:12). This death is everlasting separation from God in hell. I am here today because God has provided a remedy for our sin and I received this remedy (you can briefly share your testimony)

Preach the Gospel clearly here by describing the perfect life of Jesus Christ who left heaven and came into the world to save sinners (I Timothy 1:15). He was tempted to sin in every way you can think of yet he remained faithful and obedient to His Father (Hebrews 4:15), (II Corinthians 5:21). Jesus humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross (Philippians 2:8). Christ died for our sins was buried and rose again (I Corinthians 15:3,4).

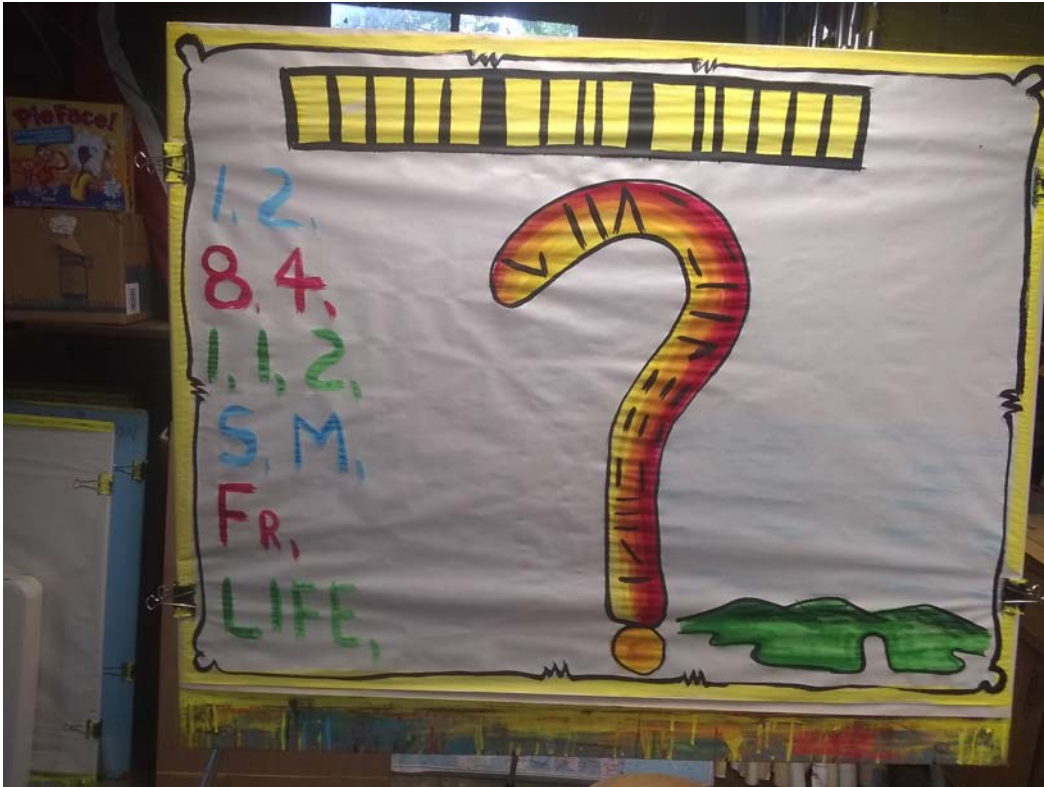
Make clear the need to repent, agreeing with God that you are guilty, and believing that the death and resurrection of Christ alone results in everlasting life in heaven with God. **(paint up the cross with the blood and the resurrection as you preach the gospel) Do not paint up other words or pictures at this point as this painting, when left on the board, will attract the attention of others. Theses onlookers are very approachable so that you or your team members can go through the gospel with them individually.**

## Option #2

We are not an accident or a mistake. The God who made us and says he loves us has said clearly what happens next, "Judgment" (Hebrews 9:27). This should seem like good news to us because so much evil and wickedness goes unpunished in our society. Don't worry because God does not miss a beat. All things are naked and open to His eyes but we must ALL give an account (Hebrews 4:13). God's standard is love otherwise known as the Ten Commandments. These laws are not suggestions and on judgment day we will all be found guilty. Will God show mercy to sinners? Yes, he will but not on judgment day. It must be received today (II Corinthians 6:2) because today is the day of salvation because no one is guaranteed tomorrow

Preach the Gospel as in option #1

BEFORE:



AFTER:

