

"Practical transitional statements to use in everyday conversation"

"Are you good enough to get into Heaven"

Here are a few examples of TS* (transitional statements) to use - what to say:

1) We are all going to die – "When You Die ..."

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You say: "What do you think happens after someone dies?
Do you think there is an afterlife?"

You say: "If you die today – God says, "Why should I let you into heaven?"

Most people will answer: **Good enough**

They normally: "I have tried to be a Good Person" or "I hope I've been good enough."

You say: "The greatest discovery I have ever made was -
"I am not good enough nor will I ever be good enough to get into heaven."

Then you say: "Have you read the story of 'Mr. Nice Guy'? (I was like him.)
"He thought he was so good he should get to the head of the Line."

" then he had to take the test that God uses to see how good you are."

" I know (feel) you would you would like to read his brief story."

Give the tract - "Are You a Good Person?"

<http://store.livingwaters.com/are-you-a-good-person-comic.html>

Or YouTube video- Mr. Nice Guy tries to get to Heaven.

Are you good enough? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S3JdZySphF4>

2) When it is said Everyone is going to Heaven

You say: "If only Jesus of Nazareth had known that (or know what you know)!"

You say: "Then He would not have had to ..." (Cover the Crucifixion) –
God became man, then suffering the judgment of man and the cross.
Go into as much detail as you can

- Come (God) to this earth
- Suffered the cross
- Die that agonizing death

You say: "If only Jesus of Nazareth had known ... (PAUSE) he wouldn't had to die"

Give the tract: "4 things You need to know about GOD" by Living Waters.com

<http://store.epm.org/product/evangelistic-pack>

3) Medical condition – Doctor or Asst. or anyone Bad medical news

At some point of the conversation share the good news

You say "As for me - I know all my physical problems are only temporary."

"In fact, I know 'all' my problems are only temporary. I've enjoyed my life here!"

You say "The Good news for me "I'm glad, I know where I am going, after my body dies"
I'll be in Heaven, with my new body where I'll live for eternity with my Lord Jesus Christ.

"How about you?" "Do you know for sure where you will go when you die?"

Give the tract: "How Can We know We'll Go to Heaven?" by Randy Alcorn

4) The big "if" (used as a last resort to help them reconsider their firmly held view)

You say: "If you are right – I (we) have nothing to worry about."

"If I am (we) right – then you (PAUSE) ... then you are in big trouble."

"We both cannot be right!"

(The conversation at this point may lead back to point 1, 2 or 3.)