

Suggested Criteria when considering possible KYB speakers



Keep in mind the aims of KYB and that the main ministry lies in practical and relevant Bible teaching. In assessing a possible speaker please consider the following points, which are not in any special order but presuming she is truly 'Born Again' in Christ Jesus.

- Is she an able Bible Teacher?
- Is she interdenominational in outlook?
- Is she involved and accepted in her own church fellowship?
- Is she in agreement with the KYB Statement of Beliefs?
- Can she relate to women of different ages and backgrounds?
- Is she able to relate to the needs of women today?
- Is she able to bring the message of salvation in, whatever the subject, in view of the likelihood of some unsaved being present?
- Is she of neat, appropriate appearance in keeping with KYB policy of maintaining high standards?
- Is she capable of using good illustrations relevant to the message and geared to the single, married, divorced, single parent, widowed or career women?
- Is she already a proven and acceptable speaker or Bible teacher?
- Does she have a particular 'hobby-horse', doctrinal emphases or interest which can colour any subject given to speak on?

When assessing speakers suitable for Gospel or out-reach functions, also consider -

Can she present the Gospel clearly in an up to date and interesting way (without jargon or clichés). Even if a fairly young Christian giving her testimony, or specific spiritual experience, is she Biblically sound and able to present the way of salvation clearly.

On a practical note ascertain her availability for travelling outside her immediate area, which may involve one or several nights away.

Ascertain whether speaker has a set fee (ie is she self-employed?)

If possible, obtain a recording of the speaker.

This is NOT final and complete criteria, but a starter to help look for and assess possible new speakers for KYB.