



# Conversation Starters

## 10 Questions for Gatherings

1. What is one of the funniest things that happened to you last year?
  2. What is one of the most frightening things that happened to you last year, and how did you overcome the fear?
  3. To whom did you get closer last year? Or to whom did you want to get closer?
  4. What is one of the most important lessons you learned last year?
  5. What was one of the biggest risks you took last year?
  6. What goal would you most like to achieve this year?
  7. Where would you like to travel this year?
  8. If you could live one day over again from last year, which day would it be and why?
  9. What hobby would you like to take up this year?
  10. If you could learn from any teacher in the world, past or present, whom would you study with this year?
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## Other types of Conversation Starters

1. **Guess who?** - Pass out slips of paper. Write one word that describes you best on the slip of paper. Turn in papers, mix, and everyone guess who fits which description. Alternate question: What is something you wish you could do?
2. **Keys** - have everyone pull out their keys. What is the least important key and what is the most important key? Why?
3. **Crayons** - Place differently colored crayons in a basket. Without saying why, ask everyone to choose a color. After everyone has chosen, each will tell why they picked that color. What color would you color God and why?



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4. **Coat of Arms** - Have a blank outline of a coat of arms for each person. Fill in:
  - Three people who mean the most to you and who have been the most influential in your life
  - Something that few people know about you
  - What you like to do in your spare time
  - Something you are good at
  - Personal motto that fits your life
  - Explain your Coat of Arms.
5. **Dice** – choose six different questions that are appropriate for the group and number one through six. Roll one die and then answer the question that corresponds to the number on the die.
6. **Fact or Fiction?** – Each person tells two truths and one lie about themselves. The group tries to guess which one is fiction.