

## Session Speaker and Goal

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### **Session Title**

Developing Student Leaders From Immaturity to Maturity

### **Session Goal**

We'll look at how to develop leadership initiatives with juniors and seniors that train them to think deeper theologically and have a heart for evangelism. Then we'll discuss how to develop a leadership strategy for adult leaders to train them to be prepared for biblical questions from your students. Finally, we'll explore how to challenge adult leaders to finish the ministry year strong.

### **Session Outline**

1. A Strategy for Maturing Your Ministry
2. A Strategy for Developing All Levels of Maturity
3. A Strategy for Developing Student Leaders
4. A Strategy for Developing Adult Leaders

## Recommended Resources

### **Web Site for blog and podcasts**

[www.leadertalk.wordpress.com](http://www.leadertalk.wordpress.com)

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### **Books**

*TruthQuest Bible*

*TruthQuest Survival Guide*

*TruthQuest Bible Student Commentaries*

Steve Keels and Lawrence Kimbrough

(Available on James, Luke, Revelation, and Romans)

*Transparenting*

Steve Keels with Dan Vorm

General Editor for the TruthQuest Line:

*You Are Not Your Own*

Jason Perry

*He'll Forgive Me Anyway*

Steve Halliday

*Beyond the Game*

Keith Cote

*Jesusology*

Gregg R. Allison

*StrikeZone*

Andy Pettitte and Bob Reccord

*Call Waiting: Hearing and Answering God's Call on Your Life*

Ronald Wilso

*Eti-K*

Sean McDowell