



## **Balloon Twisting / Sharing The Gospel**

Balloon twisting offers a great opportunity to share the Gospel. Often people twisting balloons for the first time try and keep down crowds by mass producing balloon animals. This does get out a large volume of balloons distributed but, an opportunity is missed to interact and share Jesus. The children also loses the option of choosing the animal/character and the color of balloon(s). You as a twister lose watching the expression of the child as you twist the balloons and hand them the finished balloon. Seeing the big smile is worth the time spent in customizing each animal/character.

Prayer is an important start in preparing to twist balloons. God can use you in ways you never imagined as you create balloon animals/characters. It is important that we are always careful in our attitudes and speech around the children/adults. A smile and warm greeting goes a long way in making a connection with the child/adult. Introduce yourself and find out the name of the child/adult whom you are about to make a wonderful balloon creation. Often asking questions as to their age, siblings, interests, and church are ways to get to know each child/adult. Let the Lord direct you into how and what to ask. If you return to the same venue people will remember you and the door will be open for you to share.

As you talk with the child let them see you twisting the balloons but, not too close to their faces or ears in the event of a popped balloon. Children/adults love watching the balloon takes shapes and love to listen as we have the opportunity to share. Balloon twisting can be much more than making a balloon creation. God can open doors for you to share the Gospel. It is easy to share when you are creating something to freely give the child/adult. Crafts, face painting, and balloon twisting offers great opportunities to meet and interact with children of all ages (2-99). As we make ourselves available God will amaze us in how easy it is to share His Love and Good News.

Balloons can be a tool that God can use for you to touch a life for eternity. A few years ago a woman asked for a balloon bracelet. In the course of making the balloon, she shared how her marriage and life were falling apart. This was a God ordained moment for the Gospel to be shared. She made a commitment to Christ and it started when she asked for a balloon. Each time I twist balloons there is always the open door to share Jesus. Balloons only last but a brief moment but the Gospel can change a life for eternity.



## Balloon Twisting Resources

### 1. Balloon-Animals.com

[www.balloon-animals.com](http://www.balloon-animals.com)

Free online Balloon Twisting lessons

### 2. YOU Tube

Michael Floyd Balloon Twister

Balloon-Animals/character Twisting Lessons

### 3. Mayflower/ All American Balloon Supply (Classes)

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### 4. Qualatex Balloon Magic (Book)

By: Marvin Hardy

### 5. Balloon Twisting for Ages 4 to 94 (Video)

Available at Mayflower Distributing in Cerritos, CA

### 6. Smart & Final

Apron for balloons

### 7. Dollar Tree

Foldable trash (laundry hamper) can and liners



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