

SPY LABS:

- Antoinette Anderson– Head of SPY Labs - LUCY
- Andrea – sarcastic Research Assistant - CIENNA
- Andie – Igoresque Assistant - CHARLOTTE
- Android ChristBot - Robo-christian - AVA

Android stands center-stage, in shut off mode. There is a computer station next to Android with wires connected to Android.

Antoinette enters, as if addressing a crowd.

Antoinette: Good Morning. I'm Dr. Antoinette Anderson, head of research and development here at SPY Labs. Today we are about to perform our greatest experiment, our goal is to make the perfect Christian. To help us out, I brought my lab assistant, Andrea.

Andrea comes in wearing a labcoat and a clipboard, looking very official. She walks over to a computer station that is next to Android.

Andrea: And I brought my assistant Andie.

Andie enters wearing a shirt with a giant ampersand on it.

Antoinette: Andrea will help me program all the key elements that we believe will make the perfect Christian.

Andrea: and Andie will help us like them all together.

Antoinette: After years of research and highly developed algorithms we have discovered the most essential characteristics that will make the perfect Christian. Our research shows us that it is extremely important to be in a worshipping community with other believers, so the perfect Christian will attend church weekly.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Weekly, or semi-weekly, at least once a month.

Andie: AND?

At first, every time Andie says "And" she gets more excited.

Antoinette: Next we discovered that they must be in God's word regularly, someone who reads their Bible, daily.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Daily, or once a week, at least have the Bible app on their phone.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: Prayer is essential, so they should pray without ceasing.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: One way to do that is to never say Amen!

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: Tithing is of vital importance. They must cheerfully give 10% to the church.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: How else can we afford to keep SPY Labs.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: Jesus said we should "Go into all the world," so mission trips are of the utmost important.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Maybe Africa or Asia, or New Orleans 2020!, (to the congregation) don't forget to register.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: We need someone who is not ashamed of the gospel and invites their neighbor to church.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Maybe they can wear their SPPC t-shirt to work.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: If cleanliness is next to Godliness, then they need to be presentable, and dress for success.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Once again, they can wear their SPPC t-shirts to work.

Now Every time Andie says "and" more and more confused as the list progresses.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: Wisdom and knowledge are valuable, so they should know the 10 Commandments, 4 Spiritual Laws, Romans Road, and the Book of Order.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Very smart and knows how to Google.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: And most importantly they must be Presbyterian, and serve on a church committee or two.

Andrea begins typing on the computer.

Andrea: Maybe they can help Harvey on the building and grounds committee.

Antoinette: Now that we have inputted this critical information, we can reveal the World's!... Greatest!... Christian!

Andie begins a slow clap, and everyone just glares at her.

Andrea begins typing on the computer. Android begins to come to life.

Android: I am Android ChristBot 2000. I am fluent in Greek, Hebrew, Christianeeze, and Liturgical Dance.

Andie: AND?

At first, every time Andie says "And" she gets more excited.

Android: and I know all the books of the bible and the recipe for church punch.

Andie: AND?

Android: and I am waterproof so I can baptize by sprinkling and immersion.

Andie: AND?

Now Every time Andie says "and" more and more confused as the list progresses.

Android: and I run on the Body and Blood of Christ (also known as bread and grape juice),

Andie: AND?

Android: and I can build a Habitat house in 123.45 minutes

Andie: AND?

Android: and I know all the moves to every energizer ever creates. Boom Shackalaka – Shimmy – Wavin Flag (*Does moves along with words*)

Andie: AND?

Android: and I am guaranteed to convert your heathen relatives or your money back.

Antoinette: We did it! We created the greatest Christian ever. Now we can sit back and relax, knowing God's work is done.

Andrea: We could use Android ChristBot 2000 to teach children's church.

Android: Jonah was swallowed by a big fish

Andie: AND?

Every time Andie says "and" she is uncertain that Android is the right idea.

Andrea: Be a confirmation sponsor.

Android: The Trinity is One god, one essence, three persons, in relationship.

Andie: AND?

Andrea: Be the Fellowship Deacon

Android: Would you like a Breakfast taco?

Andie: AND?

Andrea: Boost our Facebook Ads.

Android: You've got 20,234 like. *(does a thumbs up motion)*

Andie: AND?

Andrea: Officiate Weddings

Android: You may kiss the bride.

Andrea: collect the offering .

Android: Show me the money!

Andie: AND?

Andrea: Play the Organ while preaching, and welcoming visitors simultaneously.

Android: *(Shudders, slightly overwhelmed)* Welcome... Listen to the prelude. Insert joke... Hear now the word of the lord... Be thou my vision... Thanks be to God.

Android goes into sleep mode, with occasional twitches.

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: And that's it. Android ChristBot 2000 will take care of everything, the great commission and the greatest commandments, we are finally free.

Andie: AND?

Andrea: and now I can finally catch up on my Netflix!

Andie: AND?

Antoinette: Oh, Andie, that's all. We've got Android ChristBot 2000 taking care of everything, so we can take care of ourselves. What more is there to do.

Andie: What about doing what God commanded us to do, believes in Jesus AND Loves others. Its about knowing, AND growing, AND showing the love of Christ. It's not something we have an android do for us, each of us, as individuals and as a community need to believes in Jesus AND Loves others. That is what God wants of us. And that is what we all need to be doing.

Android: Would you like some pound cake and grape juice?

Andie walks off stage one direction. The others exit the other way.