

There is Power in Your Words

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(Proverbs 15:1-4)

A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. The tongue of the wise commends knowledge, but the mouth of the fool gushes folly. The eyes of the Lord are everywhere, keeping watch on the wicked and the good. The tongue that brings healing is a tree of life. but a deceitful tongue crushes the spirit.

SUMMARY:

Proverbs 15:28-29

Do you want God to hear your prayers? Do you want him to hear what you have to say? Then you better watch what you talk about

NOTES:

DISCUSSION POINTS:

Introductory Question: Does your speech more often edify or criticize others?

Discussion: Eph.4:29

Think of a time when you hurt others with your words.

Share a situation when gossip hurt you; how did you react?

Do you agree that gossip in a way judges others?

What are some things we can do to guard our Tongue.

If we "hear" something about someone and pass it on without knowing if it is truth, which commandment could we be breaking

APPLICATION:

Be quick to hear and slow to speak (James 3:10)

Watch what you say (Proverbs 18:8)

Look up to Heaven for answers (Proverbs 15:24)

ON YOUR OWN...

Proverbs 26:20

James 3:1-12,1;26

Romans 1:29

Peter 3:10

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Read Proverbs 15 for next week.