

4. Does MATTHEW 12:35–37 teach that a person who uses foul language will go to hell? Explain and defend your answer.

5. Explain how *foolish talk* is wasting time. Defend your answer.

6. Make a list of five verses that show the importance of thankfulness toward God.

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## PERSONAL APPLICATION

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1. Has the Lord impressed on you the need to clean up your speech?
2. Will you make a commitment to express more gratitude to God on a daily basis?

If you have never been *born again*, contact Pastor Keith or a trusted Christian friend this week to find out how.

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**Imitators of God**  
(Part 4: Thanksgiving)



Introduction: EPHESIANS 5:1-14

I. \_\_\_\_\_  
characterizes \_\_\_\_\_. PROVERBS 8:13

A. \_\_\_\_\_.

B. \_\_\_\_\_.

C. \_\_\_\_\_.

D. \_\_\_\_\_.

E. \_\_\_\_\_.

F. \_\_\_\_\_.

G. \_\_\_\_\_.

MATTHEW 15:10–11,17-19

II. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ characterizes \_\_\_\_\_.

EPHESIANS 5:1; JAMES 3:8–10; EPHESIANS 5:4–12

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## STUDY & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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1. Why do you think profanity has become more socially acceptable in recent years?

2. Find and explain three Biblical proverbs that have to do with inappropriate communication.

3. Explain the meaning of 2 TIMOTHY 2:16.

A. \_\_\_\_\_.

- \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ speech.  
EPHESIANS 5:4,11-12

B. \_\_\_\_\_.

- \_\_\_\_\_ that is \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. EPHESIANS 4:29

C. \_\_\_\_\_.

- \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ humor.
- Humor that has \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_. MATTHEW 12:34-35

III. \_\_\_\_\_ characterizes

\_\_\_\_\_.

A. \_\_\_\_\_ is the \_\_\_\_\_ God  
creates in \_\_\_\_\_.

EPHESIANS 5:20; COLOSSIANS 2:6-7

B. God commands you to \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

with \_\_\_\_\_. EPHESIANS 5:4

Conclusion: Does your \_\_\_\_\_

you are an \_\_\_\_\_

or an \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_? EPHESIANS 5:1-2,4,8-14