

# Your Words Have Worth

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Think about it... if God spoke all that you see around you into existence, than I'm pretty sure that He's trying to tell us that our words are powerful and have worth.

Words can get you into trouble or out of trouble. Words can hurt and words can heal.

What you say should matter to the person you are talking to. When we are talking with someone, we desire a response – we look for that person to communicate back with us and I'm sure all of us have been there when we are talking to someone and they pick up their phone to scroll through it or text someone while you are talking. I've done it. I'm not proud of it – but I've done it.

If God created us to use words to communicate and build relationships than as Christian, as children of God, and followers of Jesus – we need to practice listening and practice healthy talk. We need to be practicing our words that have power and asking the Lord to fill us with His vocabulary. My friend (Gina Cobb, heehee) says it takes 21 days to form a habit. There are 21 verses below. You can print it out or write them down or just remember to read one per day – but I challenge all of us to read one verse a day for the next 21 days which would put us at I believe September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016. One verse a day is all I'm asking for you to read a scripture on the value of our words and together we will be that much more seasoned to using the Word of God in our conversations with others and building one another up and speaking life, and worth to those around us.

**1 – Tuesday, August 23, 2016 - Proverbs 10:8 - The one who is truly wise accepts commands, but the one who talks foolishly will be thrown down headfirst.**

**2 – Wednesday, August 24, 2016 - Proverbs 10:10 - Whoever winks with his eye causes heartache. The one who talks foolishly will be thrown down headfirst.**

**3 – Thursday, August 25, 2016 - Proverbs 10:11 - The mouth of a righteous person is a fountain of life, but the mouths of wicked people conceal violence.**

**4 – Friday, August 26, 2016 - Proverbs 10:12 - Hate starts quarrels, but love covers every wrong.**

**5 – Saturday, August 27, 2016 – Proverbs 10:13 - Wisdom is found on the lips of a person who has understanding, but a rod is for the back of one without sense.**

**6 – Sunday, August 28, 2016 – Proverbs 10:14 - Those who are wise store up knowledge, but the mouth of a stubborn fool invites ruin.**

**7 – Monday, August 29, 2016 – Proverbs 10:18 - Whoever conceals hatred has lying lips. Whoever spreads slander is a fool.**

**8 – Tuesday, August 30, 2016 – Proverbs 10:19 - Sin is unavoidable when there is much talk, but whoever seals his lips is wise.**

**9 – Wednesday, August 31, 2016 – Proverbs 10:20 - The tongue of a righteous person is pure silver. The hearts of wicked people are worthless.**

**10 - Thursday, September 1, 2016 – Proverbs 10:21 - The lips of a righteous person feed many, but stubborn fools die because they have no sense.**

**11 - Friday, September 2, 2016 – Proverbs 10:31 - The mouth of a righteous person increases wisdom, but a devious tongue will be cut off.**

**12 – Saturday, September 3, 2016 – Proverbs 10:32 - The lips of a righteous person announce good will, but the mouths of wicked people are devious.**

**13 – Sunday, September 4, 2016 – Proverbs 16:13 - The king is pleased with words from righteous lips; he loves those who speak honestly.**

**14 – Monday, September 5, 2016 – Proverbs 16:20 - Those who listen to instruction will prosper; those who trust the LORD will be joyful.**

**15 – Tuesday, September 6, 2016 – Proverbs 16:21 - The wise are known for their understanding, and pleasant words are persuasive.**

**16 - Wednesday, September 7, 2016 – Proverbs 16:24 - Kind words are like honey—sweet to the soul and healthy for the body.**

**17 - Thursday, September 8, 2016 – Psalm 19:4 - May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.**

**18 - Friday, September 9, 2016 – Psalm 119:160 - The very essence of your words is truth; all your just regulations will stand forever.**

**19 - Saturday, September 10, 2016 – Matthew 15:11 - It's not what goes into your mouth that defiles you; you are defiled by the words that come out of your mouth.**

**20 - Sunday, September 11, 2016 – Romans 8:26 - And the Holy Spirit helps us in our weakness. For example, we don't know what God wants us to pray for. But the Holy Spirit prays for us with groanings that cannot be expressed in words.**

**21 - Monday, September 12, 2016- Matthew 24:35 - Heaven and earth will disappear, but my words will never disappear.**

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