

## **When We Respond**

I had a message ready to roll today. Yet, when I began to work on the website, I faintly heard His still small voice whisper- go another way. So guess what? I responded...

Today's devotion is all about saturating ourselves in His Word. It's letting the powerful word of God accomplish what God desires within us. For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

The Word of the Lord is upright, and all His work is done in faithfulness. There is faithfulness in His Word to you today. There is great power in speaking His Word of God.

God's Word is life. When we respond to His Word, it pleases Him. Today is about yielding to God and His word. It's about becoming an instrument of His word, and in the process watch how it changes us...and our view of others.

We must remember every scripture is breathed out by God and is profitable. That's why speaking it out loud matters. The Word has purpose when we speak it. The Word is always profitable. The Word teaches, the Word reproofs, the Word brings correction, and the Word trains us in the ways of righteousness.

### **Take a few moments to read what is written below out-loud and let His Word saturate you:**

I am a child of God. I have royal blood flowing through my veins. I agree with God's Word that there is a plan and a purpose for my life. I agree with God's Word that I am equipped for whatever my day brings. I agree with God's Word that my God will never fail me, and He has supplied whatever I need to succeed in life.

His Word will light my path. His Word is my guide. I willingly believe that God's word is true, therefore I believe no weapon formed against me will prosper.

Therefore, I will trust the Author and Finisher of my faith because He is faithful and true. He is always trustworthy.

I will not walk by what I see, but I willingly walk in the truth of His Word for me. I will cast down any imagination within me or any thing that tries to rise against the truth of His Word for me.

I willingly ask God's Word to guard my mind for I know a guard on my mind, will guard my heart. I want my heart guarded for I know the issues of life flow from it.

I will keep my eyes on the One who orders my steps. I will not be moved from His ways.  
For His word is alive and well within me producing a harvest of righteousness in my life.

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