

How to Hear from God

Look to His Word

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'DO NOT MERELY LISTEN TO THE WORD, AND SO DECEIVE YOURSELVES. DO WHAT IT SAYS.— James 1:22

God _____ you to hear His voice even more than you _____ to hear it.

God is _____ speaking into your life.

Too often we let the _____ of the world deafen the voice of _____.

We also let the volume of the noise in _____ lives cause us to become _____ to God's Word.

Is the voice of _____ the loudest voice in your life?

3 reasons that God's word is the clearest way to hear God's voice:

1. Every part of scripture is _____-breathed (2 Tim. 3:16).
 - God breathed = God's voice to you.
 - Greek: Theopneustos = 'theo' = God & 'pneustos' = breath.
 - God's _____ never contradicts God's _____.
2. God's Word is _____ and our source for _____.
 - God's word is useful in:
 - o _____ (us truth)
 - o _____ (us when we stray)

- o _____ (mistakes that aren't in line with truth)
 - o _____ (us to live as God calls us)
 - We need to let God's word _____ truth for us.
 - Our natural intuition _____ aligns with God's intention.
 - God's word isn't some _____ book.
3. It _____ us and _____ us for our future.
 - God's Word won't tell you _____ step, but it will give you your _____ step.

Five (5) steps to engage in God's Word so you can hear God's voice:

1. Choose a Bible translation you can understand.
2. Choose a consistent time and place to read.
3. Use a Bible reading plan
4. Read slowly and seek to understand.
5. Pray and ask God to show you one thing to apply.

We _____ to learn to hear from God in a noisy _____.

Reflect on these questions this week:

- What distractions are keeping you from hearing God's voice?
 - Is God's voice the loudest in your life? If not, what voice is?
- How can you make God's voice the loudest?
- What do you need to get into a routine of reading God's Word everyday?