

For the week of August 5, 2018

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Words of Life

Seventh week in the series: *Choose Wisely*

Proverbs

Our words are incredibly powerful. They have the power to bring great blessing or deep pain. The Proverbs are full of helpful instruction on how to use our words to create life for ourselves and others.

Discussion Questions:

1. Can you think of examples, either positive or negative, where someone else's words to you have stuck with you for a long time? What effect has that had on you?
2. Proverbs identifies three guidelines to wise speech: speak less, speak gently, and speak truth. Which of these guidelines is the most challenging for you?
3. How do you decide when to speak up and when to hold your tongue?
4. Have you experienced the power of the Spirit at work in your speech habits? How has your speech changed during the time that you have been walking with the Lord?