

Bible Study: Session Five: Believing God's Word is Alive and Active in You.

SESSION 6

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“The Word that God speaks is **ALIVE** and **FULL OF POWER** [making it active, **OPERATIVE**, **ENERGIZING**, and **EFFECTIVE**]” (Heb. 4:12, AMP).

Take to heart the first and foremost equipping for success in the promised land: the **WORD** in our mouths.

How to Become **ARMED** and **DANGEROUS**

1. In first person: I **BELIEVE**, and therefore I **SPEAK**. Without exception the most powerful built-in instrument God has given us is our **MOUTH**.
Proverbs 18:21 Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruits. We are created in the image of God; therefore, His words are **OMNIPOTENT** (**ALL POWERFUL**), and our words are **POTENT**.
Numbers 13:31-32 this is after the spies came back after seeing the promise land brought the report.
Using our mouth/tongues **INAPPROPRIATELY** is an effective way to hinder or **DENY us** from reaching our promised lands **OUR DESTINY....**
3. Often our words and what we speak are a direct correlation to the level of our **FAITH**. ***Matthew 17:19-20 Then the disciples came to Jesus privately and said, “Why could we not cast it out?”²⁰ He said to them, “Because of your little faith. For truly I tell you, if you have faith the size of a^[e] mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it will move, and nothing will be impossible for you.”^[f]***
4. By far, the most explosively effective thing we can believe and therefore speak is **SCRIPTURE**. “It is **WRITTEN**: ‘I believed; therefore I have spoken.’ With that same **SPIRIT** of faith we also believe and therefore speak” (2 Cor. 4:13). *Pneuma* means *spirit*, but it also means **BREATH**. Cast our **BURDEN** upon God and His Word.
5. Perhaps more than anything else, Satan wants to hinder us from ever learning how to use our **MOUTHS**.
6. In the Old Testament oil can symbolize the **HOLY SPIRIT** (see Isa. 61:1). Jeremiah 23:29 says, “‘Is not my **WORD** like **FIRE**’ declares the Lord.”