

Choose Your Words

Cautiously – James 3:1-18

We need to choose our words *intentionally* in order to build up not tear down. We need to choose our words *slowly* by being quick to hear, slow to speak and slow to anger. Today, we learn that we must choose our words *cautiously* because our tongues are untamable. Is that even possible? Let's discover together . . .

The Problem: My Untamable Tongue - (3:1-12)

So Powerful (v. 2-5a)

So Deadly (v. 5b-8)

So Inconsistent (v. 9-12)

The Solution: God's Pure Wisdom - (3:13-18)

For Discussion and Action

Which metaphor about the tongue is the most challenging? Discuss why.

As we continue to pursue the wisdom from above, how can we grow in choosing our words cautiously? (James 3:17-18)