



Main point - God wants to transform you with His Word so that all your words are for blessing

- 1) If you want to know how you are doing in your soul, examine your tongue
- 2) If you want to change your life, master your tongue
- 3) If you want to see your need for grace, master your tongue

#1 :

“Do you ever wonder if this is a distinctively evangelical sin? Of course, it is by no means exclusively so. But how commonplace it seems to be to hear a fellow Christian’s name mentioned in some context or other, and the first words of response demean his reputation, belittle him, and distance him from acceptance into the fellowship, although this is a brother for whom Christ died!”

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#2 :

Prov. 4:23

Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life. Put away from you crooked speech, and put devious talk far from you.

#3 :

“The unregenerate tongue roams the wilds, quick to defend itself, swift to attack others, anxious to subdue them, always marked by evil. It mimics Satan in this respect, who, having rebelled against the God of peace, can never settle. He goes to and fro throughout the earth, like a roaring lion seeking someone to devour (1 Peter 5:8). The tongue that is under his lordship always shares that tendency. It has an inbuilt need to guard its own territory, to destroy rivals to itself, to be the king of the beasts.”

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#4 :

Isaiah 6:5

And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!"

#5 :

"(Jesus) was silent because of every word that has proceeded from your lips; because of every word that provides adequate reason for God to damn you for all eternity, because you have cursed him or (men and women made in his image). The Lord Jesus came into the world to bear the judgment of God against the sin of our tongues."

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