

NewSpring Church Groups Guide

Home for Christmas — Week 1 — Wonderful Counselor

Throughout scripture we learn that we are able to be confident in the fact that God will speak to us. God speaks to us in a variety of ways: At times we may actually hear His voice, at times we hear His voice through the words of scripture, and at times He speaks through those around us. We all too often desire to hear from God but are not in tune enough with Him to know how or when He is speaking.

How does God speak to you?

Have you identified people in your life that God frequently uses to speak to you?

Why do some people refuse to acknowledge that God is speaking to them?

In Psalm 46 we are told “be still and know that I am God” Why is it so important to be still?

To hear God we have to be seeking his voice. How do we do this? (Jeremiah 29:13)

What keeps us from doing what God has called us to do?

So the real question is not whether God will speak but rather what will be our response to Him once He has spoken. Will you turn a deaf ear? Will you acknowledge his voice but not allow it to change or affect your life in any way? Will you allow His words to pierce your heart and guide your life? He is speaking but are we listening?