

6 WAYS GOD SPEAKS

GOD WANTS TO SPEAK TO YOU..

God does speak—sometimes one way and sometimes another— even though people may not understand it. (Job 33:14, NCV)

6 WAYS GOD SPEAKS TO US:

1. God speaks to us through the Bible.

All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:16-17, NIV)

2. God speaks to us through gifted teachers.

It was he (Christ) who gave some to be apostles, some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up. (Ephesians 4:11-12, NIV)

3. God speaks through godly family and friends.

The godly give good advice to their friends; the wicked lead them astray. (Proverbs 12:26, NLT)

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4. God speaks through <u>impressions</u> or <u>ideas</u> from the <u>Holy Spirit</u>.

But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you. (John 14:26, NIV)

5. God speaks through pain.

Blows and wounds cleanse away evil, and beatings purge the inmost being. (Proverbs 20:30, NIV)

It was good for me to be afflicted so that I might learn your decrees. (Psalm 119:71, NIV)

6. God speaks through silence.

He inquired of the Lord , but the Lord did not answer him by dreams or Urim or prophets.(1 Samuel 28:6, NIV)

WHEN GOD IS SILENT:

- 1. I remember that God is still in control.
- 2.1 trust Him.

Call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you will honor me. (Psalm 50:15, NIV)

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