## WHEN WE SPEAK

James 3:1-12:

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- 1. Expect a
- 2. Teachers are

## Whenever We Speak

- 1. Know that our words have
  - a) The power to
  - b) The power to
- 2. Know that we cannot
  - a) Our words are
  - b) New words
- 3. Know that we must
  - a) We can learn to
  - b) We can learn to
  - c) We can learn that

## **APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

James: The Truth We Need to Know When We Speak

b. The tone of your words

c. The timing of your words

These questions are designed to help you understand how God's Word applies to your life personally.

1.	What are your current thoughts and prayers regarding how to BLESS your neighbors (at home, work, or play)? Have you placed a stone in our BLESS wall to encourage others? What are you thoughts about participating in the New Movers Basket ministry?
2.	Read James 3:1-12
3.	What from the teaching encouraged and/or challenged you?
4.	What are some of the words that others have spoken to you that have stuck with you over the years? Why do you think they have stuck?
5.	What makes words so powerful for either good or bad?
6	Do you value a written word or a spoken word more? Why?
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7.	What are words that bless God? Do you think our words TO Him matter to Him?
8.	Who are you most likely to burn with your words? Why? What would you need to do to stop burning them with words?
9.	How can you get better in each of these areas:  a. The content of your words