

IGNITING PRAYER'S PASSION & POWER IN US

HEARING THE VOICE OF GOD IN US
(IN-US-TO-US)



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- ❖ God will speak **in-us-TO-us**: As a result of committed and consecrated prayer, God will provide us guidance that is deeply personal.
- ❖ “Now unto Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to the power that works in us.” (Eph 3:20)



✦ After reading Chapter Two, list ways in which God has spoken in you TO you. (For some this is an easy exercise; for others these experiences are not apparent. Dig Deep!)



💡 Consider 1 Kings 3 and 1 Kings 9. Then, list biblical instances where God spoke to believers in special ways.



❖ Considering the passages you selected in the last section, give instances where the contemporary church can benefit or has benefited from hearing the voice of God in us. (Have you ever been involved in such an instance?)



- ❖ What are some of the difficulties that might result in individuals offering in-us-to-us experiences to the congregations at large?
- ❖ Are these problems unsolvable? Solvable?
- ❖ Are some churches more receptive than other to these kinds of experiences? If so, why?
- ❖ How might we solve possible problems in hearing and explaining the voice of God In Us?
- ❖ Why are these experiences so difficult to explain?



- ❖ Find a quiet place and reflect on your prayer relationship with God. (Lamentations 3: 22-24)
- ❖ Think about how you can make your devotional life better. (Psalm 91: 1,2)
- ❖ Consider the results of a better devotional life. (Psalm 5:11) (Psalm 16:11) (Isaiah 12:3) (Nehemiah 8:10)
- ❖ Consider hindrances in your personal life to your devotional life. (Psalm 66:18)
- ❖ Commit to make substantive, positive changes in how you view prayer and meditation. (Acts 12:5)



Exercises for Chapter Two, Section One: How God Speaks

- ❖ After consistently developing and maintaining a prayer life (use the chart in chapter one), ask God for an in-us-to-us experience.
- ❖ (Remember, though we may ask, these experiences are given by God and only on His timetable. This, however, does not keep us from asking).
- ❖ Record the results in the space provide below.



- ✦ God speaks in different ways throughout the scripture.
- ✦ Research some of these passages and list a few below.
- ✦ Discuss ways in which the speaking might be difficult to understand.
- ✦ List others where the “voice” is quite clear.
(No hints given this time; use your bibles!)



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