

Week 2. Encouraging Prophetic Giftings among God's people.

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Prophecy - Definition

- Hearing God
- Speaking out what we hear

Can anyone hear God?

Yes! John 10 - Jesus is the good shepherd. His sheep hear his voice and they follow him. All of us heard his voice and decided to follow him when we became Christians. If we are his sheep, we can hear his voice.

What do we do when we hear him speak to us?

We need to ask who and what it is for:

- For ourselves - do what He says! Be obedient, like Mary. Be encouraged
- For someone else - is it for prayer or prophecy?
- For the church - is it for prayer or prophecy?
- For the nation - is it for prayer or prophecy?

Always ask "is this for prayer or for prophecy?"

Different Ways God Speaks

- Through God's word
- Through an inner voice
- Through an audible voice
- Through others
- Through angels
- Through dreams
- Through visions

Prophets & Seers

- Nabi flow
- Seer prophets

How do we grow in the prophetic?

- Give what you get - and do it quickly
- Take risks - that's how we grow in faith
- Rom 12 says we should prophecy "according to our faith". Faith is the key to the prophetic
- Read the Bible - it's God's word. Learn the way that He speaks
- Find a prophetic mentor
- Track the accuracy of your words - get feedback

How to judge prophetic words

- mustn't go against Scripture
- we should have a witness of the Holy Spirit inside us
- should leave us feeling loved by God
- good if it confirms something God has already said

Love is our motive

Always remember that love is our motive

"The only thing that counts is faith expressing itself through love" Gal 5:6

My Story

- How I grew in the prophetic
- Journey of a Seer