Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil; Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth; Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all

## things, endureth all things. 1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7 4. Good communication requires good Counsel in the heart of man is like deep water; but a man of understanding will draw it out. PROVERBS 20:5 A. Good listening involves letting the other person speak without He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him. PROVERBS 18:13 B. Good listening involves giving the other attention person your \_\_\_\_\_ Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath: JAMES 1:19 C. Good listening involves making sure you really what the other person is saying or thinking Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath: JAMES 1:19 Conclusion:





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## Lesson: GOOD COMMUNICATION

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Introduction:		

Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh. GENESIS 2:24

## 1. Good communication requires openness and honesty

Wherefore putting away lying, speak every man truth with his neighbour: for we are members one of another. EPHESIANS 4:25

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin. If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us. 1 JOHN 1:7-10

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For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God. 1 CORINTHIANS 2:11 For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he: Eat and drink, saith he to thee; but his heart is not with thee. PROVERBS 23:7 Be ye angry, and sin not: let not the sun go down upon your wrath: Neither give place to the devil. EPHESIANS 4:26-27 Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers, EPHESIANS 4:29 A. Is it really \_\_\_\_\_? He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him. PROVERBS 18:13 B. Is what I would like to say \_\_\_\_\_ There is gold, and a multitude of rubies: but the lips of knowledge are a precious jewel. PROVERBS 20:15 C. Is this the time for me to say it? A man hath joy by the answer of his mouth: and a word spoken in due season, how good is it! PROVERBS 15:23 D. Is my right? But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ: EPHESIANS 4:15 E. Are the words that I will use the possible way of saying it? Heaviness in the heart of man maketh it stoop: but a good word maketh it glad. PROVERBS 12:25 F. Have I about this matter? Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer. **PSALM 19:14** 

## 2. Good communication requires

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	There is that speaketh like the piercings of a sword: but the tongue of the wise is health. PROVERBS 12:18
	An ungodly man diggeth up evil: and in his lips there is as a burning fire. PROVERBS 16:27
	Even so the tongue is a little member, and boasteth great things. Behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth! And the tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity: so is the tongue among our members, that it defileth the whole body, and setteth on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire of hell. For every kind of beasts, and of birds, and of serpents, and of things in the sea, is tamed, and hath been tamed of mankind: But the tongue can no man tame; it is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison. JAMES 3:5-8
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C.	spirit
	Nevertheless let every one of you in particular so love his wife even as himself; and the wife see that she reverence her husband. EPHESIANS 5:33
	That they may teach the young women to be sober, to love their husbands, to love their children, TITUS 2:4
	Out of the same mouth proceedeth blessing and cursing. My brethren, these things ought not so to be. JAMES 3:10
D.	
	Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. HEBREWS 13:5

With all lowliness and meekness, with longsuffering, for bearing one another in love;  ${\sf EPHESIANS~4:2}$ 

3.

And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you. EPHESIANS 4:32