

“Hearing from?”
Stop Look and Listen...Dan Britton
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Job 42:1-6 (NIV) Then Job replied to the Lord: "I know that you can do all things; no plan of yours can be thwarted. You asked, 'Who is this that obscures my counsel without knowledge?' Surely I spoke of things I did not understand, things too wonderful for me to know." You said, 'Listen now, and I will speak; I will question you, and you shall answer me. My ears had heard of you but now my eyes have seen you. Therefore I despise myself and repent in dust and ashes."

We _____ when we have a relationship with God.

1. Stop (verse 1-2, 6)

2. Look to God (Verse 5)

Psalms 50:15 (NIV) and call on me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you will honor me."

Psalms 53:4-5 (NIV) Do all these evildoers know nothing? They devour my people as though eating bread; they never call on God. But there they are, overwhelmed with dread, where there was nothing to dread. God scattered the bones of those who attacked you; you put them to shame, for God despised them.

James 1:5 (NIV) 5 If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.

3. Listen for His voice (verse 4)

Jeremiah 29:13 (NIV) 13 You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

John 10:1-6 (NIV) "Very truly I tell you Pharisees, anyone who does not enter the sheep pen by the gate, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber.

2 The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. 3 The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. 4 When he has brought out all his own, he goes on ahead of them, and his sheep follow him because they know his voice. 5 But they will never follow a stranger; in fact, they will run away from him because they do not recognize a stranger's voice."

Psalms 66:18-19 (NIV) 18 If I had cherished sin in my heart, the Lord would not have listened; 19 but God has surely listened and has heard my prayer.

John 8:47 (NIV) 47 Whoever belongs to God hears what God says. The reason you do not hear is that you do not belong to God."

Romans 10:13 (NIV) 13 for, “Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

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