

# Communications

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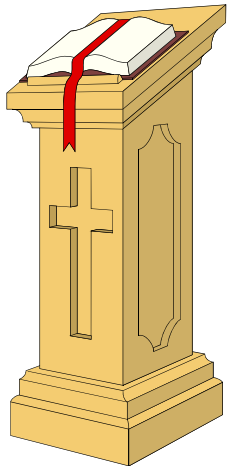
*“...a word spoken in due season, how good it is!”*

## *Proverbs 15:23*

*Women need encouragement and motivation from their sisters in the Lord. Maybe they need to hear a funny story or a hug!*

*Communication comes in various forms:*

- WRITTEN WORD,
- SPOKEN WORD,
- BODY LANGUAGE,
- MEDIA USAGE.



*The other day I heard Joyce Meyer quote, “every believer has a pulpit.” WOW, can you believe you and I have our own individual pulpit!! So, if my life is a pulpit, I better polish my communication skills.*



- WHEN I SAY I WILL PRAY FOR SOMEONE, I NEED TO DO IT!!
- WHEN I TALK WITH WOMEN, LISTEN TO THEM. THE CONVERSATION IS ABOUT THEM, NOT ME.
- TAKE TIME TO INVITE A WOMAN TO COFFEE, TEA OR LUNCH AT A QUIET CORNER CAFÉ OR YOUR HOME.
  - TELL A WOMAN HOW SHE IS SUCH A BLESSING.
- VISIT A WOMAN WHO IS HOMEBOUND; THE VISIT IS ALL ABOUT HER.



*When I open Facebook, I always look forward to reading what a high school classmate has to say about her day. She is always positive, full of energy, ready to greet the day. Sometimes she even shares the scripture she read that morning. For me, that is her pulpit!! Little does she realize what a blessing she is to me each day!*

*So, what is your pulpit like?*

- ARE YOU GENTLE WITH YOUR WORDS WHEN SPOKEN, YET FIRM WHEN NEEDED?
- ARE YOU CAREFUL HOW YOU WRITE E-MAILS AND ON FACEBOOK? THEY CAN NEVER BE RETRIEVED.
- HAVE YOU ROLLED YOUR EYES IN DISGUST TOO MANY TIMES? PEOPLE DO SEE THIS.
- YOU ARE DEFINED BY WHAT YOU WATCH AND READ.

