

He Listens.... Because He Cares

When you pray, God listens. When you listen, God talks. When you believe, God works.

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"I will answer them before they even call to me. While they are still talking about their needs, I will go ahead and answer their prayers!"

Isaiah 65:24 NLT

I really feel God speaking to me lately, He's telling me to come sit awhile with Him. He wants to filter out the "truth" of this world and fill me with His Truth...

"Call to Me and I will answer you, and tell you [and even show you] great and mighty things, [things which have been confined and hidden], which you do not know and understand and cannot distinguish."

Jeremiah 33:3 AMP

He's telling me He is listening to me and He is encouraging me to just keep talking to Him...

"Because he bends down to listen, I will pray as long as I have breath!"

Psalms 116:2 NLT

He's reminding me that He hears my every thought and knows my every fear...

"God can see what is in people's hearts. And he knows what is in the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit speaks to God for his people in the way God wants."

Romans 8:27 NCV

He's telling me not to shut down and keep my thoughts and anxieties to myself but to hand them over to Him...

"So here's what I've learned through it all: Leave all your cares and anxieties at the feet of the Lord, and measureless grace will strengthen you."

Psalms 55:22 TPT

He's telling me that when I keep it all inside that the devil gets in and uses those thoughts for himself to promote only more anxiety and fear...

"Pour out all your worries and stress upon him and leave them there, for he always tenderly cares for you. Be well balanced and always alert, because your enemy, the devil, roams around incessantly, like a roaring lion looking for its prey to devour."

1 Peter 5:7-8 TPT

He's telling me I'm not alone and that He is with me and for me, every step of every day...

"What shall we say about such wonderful things as these? If God is for us, who can ever be against us?"

Romans 8:31 NLT

He's telling me to slow down in quiet and listen to His soothing voice. That only He can calm all my fears...

“Whenever my busy thoughts were out of control, the soothing comfort of your presence calmed me down and overwhelmed me with delight.”

Psalms 94:19 TPT

He’s telling me that when the world is too much I need to curl up under His mighty wing for much needed Love and Rest...

Jesus calling us:

““Are you weary, carrying a heavy burden? Then come to me. I will refresh your life, for I am your oasis. Simply join your life with mine. Learn my ways and you’ll discover that I’m gentle, humble, easy to please. You will find refreshment and rest in me.”

Matthew 11:28-29 TPT

My prayer for us today is that we are talking to God continually and telling Him all our fears. May we be listening to what He has to say to us and may we be taking comfort in His Truth...

“Don’t fret or worry. Instead of worrying, pray. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God’s wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It’s wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the center of your life.”

Philippians 4:6-7 MSG

Amen