

Know God's Voice

LISTEN: DEVELOPING EARS TO HEAR

TRUTH: _____ CANNOT BE FORCED.

Luke 4:16 *He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. And he stood up to read.*

Luke 4:30 *But he walked right through the crowd and went on his way.*

TRUTH: GOD DOESN'T _____.

Genesis 3:9-10 *Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God as he was walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the garden. 9 But the LORD God called to the man, "Where are you?"*

Luke 19:10 *For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost."*

1 Samuel 2:27 *"This is what the LORD says: 'Did I not clearly reveal myself to your father's house when they were in Egypt under Pharaoh?*

Psalms 98:2 *The LORD has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations.*

Deuteronomy 4:29 *But if from there you seek the LORD your God, you will find him if you look for him with all your heart and with all your soul.*

Proverbs 8:17 *I love those who love me, and those who seek me find me.*

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

Revelation 3:20 *Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me.*

GOD'S WARNING

John 10:1-4 *"I tell you the truth, the man who does not enter the sheep pen by the gate, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber. (that's Satan) 2 The man who enters by the gate is the shepherd of his sheep. 3 The watchman 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.*

John 10:27 *My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.*

GOD'S APPROACH

The Shepherd _____, he does not drive.

Psalm 23:1-3 The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want. 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, 3 he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

The Shepherd's approach is _____.

John 10:3He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

John 1:45-48 (MSG) Philip went and found Nathanael and told him, "We've found the One Moses wrote of in the Law, the One preached by the prophets. It's Jesus, Joseph's son, the one from Nazareth!" 46 Nathanael said, "Nazareth? You've got to be kidding." But Philip said, "Come, see for yourself." 47 When Jesus saw him coming he said, "There's a real Israelite, not a false bone in his body." 48 Nathanael said, "Where did you get that idea? You don't know me." Jesus answered, "One day, long before Philip called you here, I saw you under the fig tree."

GOD'S RELEVANCE

Know God's voice by His relevance to _____.

Matthew 6:34 (MSG) "Give your entire attention to what God is doing right now, and don't get worked up about what may or may not happen tomorrow. God will help you deal with whatever hard things come up when the time comes."

TRUTH: He is the God of "The _____"

Know God's voice by his relevance to _____.

The supply from God's perspective is always there _____ the need is created.

TRUTH: The God who guides, _____.

Know God's voice by his relevance to _____.

TRUTH: The Lord speaks to you in the midst of your _____.

Know God's Voice by his relevance to your _____.

TRUTH: God speaks plainly - _____ is not from Him.