

WE BELIEVE SERIES
DOES GOD SPEAK?

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1. HOW DOES GOD SPEAK?

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A. GENERAL revelation

- i. CREATION points us to a CREATOR.
Romans 1:20
- ii. CONSCIENCE points us to a MORAL
LAW GIVER.
Romans 2:14-15

B. SPECIAL revelation

- i. The BIBLE
2 Timothy 3:16
- ii. The life and words of Jesus
Hebrews 1:1-2
- iii. SUPERNATURAL occurrences
Acts 27:23-25



2. HOW DO WE KNOW IT'S GOD SPEAKING?

A. CONFIRMATION vs. COMPROMISE

- Does it BALANCE with the BIBLE?
- What do other GODLY and WISE people THINK?
Proverbs 19:20
- Look at your CIRCUMSTANCES.

B. CONVICTION vs. CONDEMNATION

Romans 8:1-2

- CONVICTION: focuses on your ACTIONS/ATTITUDES
- CONDEMNATION: focuses on you as a PERSON

C. CALMNESS vs. CHAOS

Philippians 4:7

3. TAKING IT HOME

- 1) Spend time reading the Bible and being quiet just listening for God.
- 2) Ask God to help you hear Him speak to you in everyday events and circumstances.
- 3) When you feel God is speaking to you, review the "How Do We Know" section for reassurance.

Can You Believe?

The Bible is the most shoplifted book in the world!