

Stop Gossiping
Proverbs 18:8

The Right Words at the Right Time Week 4

“Rumors are dainty morsels that sink deep into one’s heart.” - Proverbs 18:8 NLT

WHO DOES GOSSIP HURT?

- GOSSIP HURTS THE _____ IT’S _____ ABOUT.

“A troublemaker plants seeds of strife; gossip separates the best of friends.” - Proverbs 16:28 NLT

- GOSSIP HURTS THE _____.

“Wrongdoers eagerly listen to gossip; liars pay close attention to slander.” - Proverbs 17:4 NLT

- GOSSIP HURTS THE _____.

HOW TO CONTROL GOSSIP:

- GUARD YOUR _____
- CLOSE YOUR _____

“Watch your tongue and keep your mouth shut, and you will stay out of trouble.” - Proverbs 21:23 NLT

Digging Deeper & Life Application:

- Why do you think you gossip? What are you looking to get out of it?
- What are some of the ways gossip harms relationships?
- It is said, “Gossip claims, ‘I’m strong because they’re weak.’ The Gospel admits ‘I am weak but He is strong.’” What step do you need to take to fight gossip with the Gospel?