

# Right to Remain Silent

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### 1. The Schemes of the Enemy

Matt 15:11

#### A. The Frailty of Others

Matt 15:11 "Mouth" = EDGE OF A SWORD

#### B. Permanent Damage to Others Pro 15:4 "CRUSHES" = TO SHATTER

Almost no hope for repair

#### C. Permanent Damage to Your Testimony

Matt 15:11

Your words are your identity! (Fruit) unified with Christ or world

Out of the abundance of the heart

Judged according to every idle word. Matt 12:36-37

### 2. The Power of the Tongue

Pro 18:21 "the hand of the tongue"

Matt 15:1-2 - started with the conversation about clean hands

Jesus was more concerned about the cleanliness of the hand of the tongue!

James 3:8 "deadly poison"

### 3. Until You Employ Your Security Guard

Pro 21:23 (the mouth is the tongue's watchman)

### 4. Learn to Speak Life!

Pro 12:18 (brings healing)

Eph 4:29 (beneficial)