

Lifehouse Church

Maximize Christ Potential in You





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PLAY ON WORDS



Play on Words Recap

Part 1 - wise words unlock God's will.

Part 2- our words can build or break.

Part 3 - our words must be wrapped with consideration





Application

How did you wrap
your words?

Play on Words Recap

Part 4 and 5

Words of Worship – How God receives our words

Our words of worship:

1. delight God
2. declare His worth,
3. direct our lives,
4. deliver breakthrough.



Play on Words Part 6

How we receive words



Play on Words Part 6

- (1) filter your feed
- (2) flip the script
- (3) and fuel your future



Reflection Questions

- What's the most common thing you say to yourself when you make a mistake?
- Have you been repeating someone else's voice in your head for years?
- If your thoughts were a playlist, what's been on repeat
 - hope or fear - truth or lies?"



Play on Words Part 6

Point 1 – Filter the Feed



Proverbs 4:23 (NLT)

“Guard your heart above all else,
for it determines the course of your life.”



Hebrew word translated “heart” is "LEV"

1. More than emotions. (Control Center)
2. Mind and intellect. (Thoughts are formed)
3. Will and choices. (the seat of decision-making)



Proverbs 27:19

“As a face is reflected in water,
so the heart reflects the real person.”



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for it determines the course of your life.”



The Hebrew word for “guard” is “natsar”

- it means to post a SENTINEL, a watchman, someone who stands ready and vigilant.



Philippians 4:8 (NLT)

“**Fix** your thoughts on what is true,
and honorable, and right, and pure,
and lovely, and admirable.

Think about things that are excellent
and worthy of praise.”



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BIG IDEA

Sin is born at the point of reception,
not just the point of action.



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Marcus Aurelius (Roman Emperor)

“You have power over your mind...
...not outside events...
Realize this, and you will find strength.”





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Point 2 – Flip the Script



Romans 12:2 (NLT)

“Don’t copy
the behavior and customs
of this world,
but let God transform you into a new person
by changing the way you think.”



Psalm 42:5

Why am I discouraged?
Why is my heart so sad?
I will put my hope in God!
I will praise Him again
my Savior and my God!”





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BIG IDEA

You don't have to repeat what the enemy says ...
you can rewrite it with what God says.



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Point 3 – Fuel Your Future



James 3:4 (NLT)

...And a small rudder makes a huge ship turn wherever the pilot chooses to go, even though the winds are strong.

5 In the same way, the tongue is a small thing that makes grand speeches.



the Hebrew word for a spoken “word” is:
“dabar”

- “Dabar” it doesn’t just mean sound
 - it means event.
- Words don’t just describe reality — they create it.





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Matthew 9:21 (NLT)

...For she **thought to herself**,
'If I can just touch his robe,
I will be healed.'





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APPLICATION QUESTION

Where is your “rudder” – your self-talk taking you?



BIG IDEA

Your future follows your focus
— and your focus follows your words.



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Romans 12:2

Let God transform you into a new person by
changing the way you think.



Joshua 1:8

Meditate on the Word day and night... then
you will prosper and succeed.



2 Corinthians 10:5

We take captive every thought and make it obedient to Christ.





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Neuroplasticity



Proverbs 23:7

As a man thinks in his heart, so is he'





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APPLICATION QUESTION

- What are you receiving?
- What script do you need to flip?
- And what future are you fueling with your words right now?





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