

## How to Begin to Communicate with God

**John NKJV 10:** <sup>25</sup> Jesus answered them, “I told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in My Father’s name, they bear witness of Me. <sup>26</sup> But you do not believe, because you are not of My sheep, [e]as I said to you. <sup>27</sup> My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.

**Romans NKJV 8:** <sup>14</sup> For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God. <sup>15</sup> For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, “Abba,[e] Father.” <sup>16</sup> The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

### 1. You have a right to hear from God,

John NKJV 1: <sup>10</sup> He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, and the world did not know Him. <sup>11</sup> He came to His [c]own, and His [d]own did not receive Him. <sup>12</sup> But as many as received Him, to them He gave the [e]right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name: <sup>13</sup> who were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God.

1 Timothy NKJV 2: <sup>4</sup> who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. <sup>5</sup> For *there is* one God and one Mediator between God and men, *the* Man Christ Jesus,

- We enter God’s family and begin to have fellowship first through Jesus,

Romans NKJV 10: <sup>9</sup> that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. <sup>10</sup> For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. <sup>3</sup> For “whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

### 2. The Number one-way God communicates to us is through His Word,

Matthew 24: <sup>35</sup> Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away. (Jesus is speaking about the end times)

Psalms NKJV 138: For You have magnified Your word above all Your name.

Hebrews NKJV 1: <sup>3</sup> Who being the brightness of his glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things by the word of his power,

Hebrews NKJV 4: <sup>12</sup> For the word of God *is* living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

**3. The second most common way God communicates to you is by the witness of His Spirit,**

Proverbs NKJV 20: <sup>27</sup> The spirit of a man *is* the lamp of the Lord, Searching all the <sup>[e]</sup>inner depths of his heart.

Romans NKJV 8: <sup>16</sup> The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,