

ACTIVATE School of Healing & Evangelism

Session 4: Words of Knowledge: *The WOW Factor!*—Scott & Lisa Hurst

I. Word of Knowledge

Supernatural revelation by the Holy Spirit about a person's life. The information is not solely discerned, but includes specific facts that will help bring someone's heart closer to the mind of God (Shawn Bolz, Translating God)

II. Common ways you receive Words of Knowledge

1. Visions
2. Impressions/Downloaded thoughts
3. Dreams
4. Trances
5. Direct Voice from God
6. Other ways

III. Relationship

1. God is relational
 - a) He is always present whether we feel him or not
2. His gifts for us are relational
 - a) They are not to illuminate our skill set
 - b) The goal of these gifts is to show the Love of the Father
3. Grow in godly character
 - a) **Galatians 5:22-23** - *But what happens when we live God's way? He brings gifts into our lives, much the same way that fruit appears in an orchard—things like affection for others, exuberance about life, serenity. We develop a willingness to stick with things, a sense of compassion in the heart, and a conviction that a basic holiness permeates things and people. We find ourselves involved in loyal commitments, not needing to force our way in life, able to marshal and direct our energies wisely. (The Message)*

IV. Identity

1. Personal Words
2. When we experience God's love it will change our life and perspective
3. Son of God /Son of Man
4. The love of the Father and a healthy identity in Him will enable us to share the truth that Father has for us.

V. Responsibility

1. In Receiving
 - Process all words given with God
2. In Giving
 - Inner Dialogue
 - Killers of Inner Dialogue are pride and legalism

VI. Risk

"Risk is never fun until it's fun" – Shawn Bolz

VII. Practical Steps

VIII. ACTIVATION