

When God Prompts Us

God's promptings always agree with the Written Word of God

God's promptings may contradict your feelings

God's promptings can be easily rejected

God's promptings have His character of Love

God's promptings produce good fruit

God's promptings are for Friendship – Relationship

Tasks for the Week:

Task 1

A. Spend time each day listening to the Lord.

B. Ask God to bring an impression to you about a blessing that He has to bring into the life of someone in your life-place.

C. Pray that blessing silently for them.

Task 2

A. (5 times) as you travel in the car and come to a stoplight or stop sign... ask God how to pray for a person around you (one outside your car) and pray those matters for that individual. Write down your what the Lord had you to pray for that person.



Week 3



The Fellowship
Resources for the Body of Christ

The Word of God & The Witness of the Holy Spirit

Man is Spirit with a body and a soul
 God speaks to our spirit from His Spirit
 2 Corinthians 13:14, 4:16;
 Led by the Internal Move of God
 Luke 1:3; Acts 15:25
 Seemed good to the Holy Spirit and us Acts 15:28
 Not Spectacular but Supernatural

The Voice of Satan

Satan speaks in temptations to:

- Deceive you, (Revelation 20:7-8)
- Bring Oppression, (Acts 10:38)
- Discourage (Numbers 32:6-10)
- Inspire rage, anger & malice, (Ephesians 4:31)

Satan speaks to encourage you to:

- Bitterness, (Colossians 3:19)
- Confusion, (Acts 19:32)
- Rationalize sin, (Isaiah 5:20)
- Lying, (I John 2:4)
- Doubt God's Word, (Hebrews 3:12)
- Division in your family, church, business, (Mark 3:25)
- Disobey the Word of God, (Joshua 5:6)
- Be fearful, (Mark 4:40)
- Lose hope, (Job 7:1-15)
- Be dismayed, (Joshua 1:9)
- Seek revenge, (Ezekiel 25:15)
- Curse God, (Job 2:9)
- Stir up unforgiveness, (Matthew 6:15)
- To be ashamed of the gospel, (Mark 8:38)
- To think you cannot to hear God’s voice, (John 10:10)

Recognizing Conviction
 (Difference between the Holy Spirit and Satan)

The Holy Spirit	Satan
Gives a sense of holiness	Gives a sense of worthlessness
Sense of God-consciousness through The Word	Sense of self-consciousness through feelings
Generally deals with one thing at a time	Throws the “whole book” at you
Usually quite	Usually major clamoring
Specific with clarity	General with confusion
Corrects	Accuses
Convicts	Condemns
Deals with unacknowledged sin	Deals with past sins
Encourages to obedience	Discourages to despair
Gives peace with a sense of confirmation	Gives pressure with a sense of frustration
Leads to a life of balance	Leads to a life of bondage
Deals with love in sincerity	Deals in anger and manipulation

The Witness of the Holy Spirit and Our Conscience

Paul wrote about our conscience (Acts 24:16)
 The conscience as well as the mind can be defiled (Titus 1:15)
 The conscience can be seared with a hot iron (1Timothy 4:2)
 Pure heart, good conscience and sincere faith (1Timothy 1:5)
 The way of a good conscience can be rejected (1Timothy 1:18-19)
 A seared conscience can be restored over time but if it has been that way, you need to rely on brothers or sisters to help you discern in the areas of repeated failure or Satan could easily deceive you.