

I. VOICE

- A. INTRODUCTION: HEAR WORD / LISTEN VOICE** (Dt.4:36(5:6f); 2Kngs.18:28; Is.28:23)
- B. DEFINITION: A *DISTINCTIVE, IDENTIFYING* SOUND** (Jn.10:4,5,16,27; see 1Sam.24:16)
- C. INANIMATE OBJECTS**
 - 1. *natural: thunder, earthquakes; waves* (Rev.6:1; Heb.12:26; Ps.93:3)
 - 2. *man-made: musical instruments; industrial machines* (Job 39:24; Dan.3:5f; 2Kngs.7:6; Rev.18:22)
- D. ANIMATE INDIVIDUALS: TREES; BASS, BIRDS, BEASTS** (Ps.96:12; Eccl.12:4; Is.5:29; see Gen1:26)
- E. HUMAN PERSONS**
 - 1. *in relationships* (Jn.10:16,27; see Gen.21:17(Mt.6:9); Dt.4:30; Song 5:2; Is.40:2; Ps.95:7f(Heb.3:15))
 - 2. *in emotion* (Ps.6:8; Jer.7:34; Jn.3:29)
- F. CONCLUSION: PERSONAL, SUBJECTIVE** (voice/words; who speaks/what said)

II. GOD'S VOICE IN REVELATION

- A. WALKING IN THE GARDEN** (Gen.3:8)
- B. SPEAKING FROM HEAVEN** (Mt.3:17; 17:5; see Dt.4:12)
- C. SPEAKING BY HIS PROPHETS** (Dan.9:10; Hag.1:12; see Mt.3:3)
- D. THE MASTER'S VOICE** (Jn.10:4,5,16,27; see Dt.13:4,18; 1Sam.12:14; Ps.95:7,8; 103:20)
- E. IT MATTERS *WHO* SAYS WHAT** (Ex.20:1&2f w/Ps.81:10f; Prov.5:13 || Col.1:13f w/Jn10:4f; 5:25f; 11:43)

III. MAN'S VOICE IN PRAYER

- A. PRAISING GOD** (2Chr.5:13; 20:19; Lk.19:37; Rev.19:5; see Eph.5:19; Col.3:16; Lk.6:45; Rom.18:8f)
- B. PRAYING GOD** (Dt.5:28; 26:7; Josh.10:14; Ps.18:6; 28:2,6; 130:2; Rom.8:26)
- C. IT MATTERS *WHO* SAYS WHAT** (Mt.6:9f; 7:11 /Mk.14:36; Rom.8:15; Gal.4:6 /Is.28:23 /Acts19:13f)

IV. VOICE RECOGNITION

- A. IT MATTERS *WHO* SAYS WHAT!** (Ex20:1&2f; Ps81:10f; Dt13:4; Prv5:13 /Col.1:13f; Jn10:4f; 5:25f; 11:43)
- B. RECOGNIZE HIS VOICE!** (Jn.10:4,5,16,27; see Rom.10:17; 2Tm.3:14f; see Dt.29:4; Mt.13:16; Lk.11:13)
- C. RAISE YOUR VOICE!** (Jn.10:27,14; Ps.28:2,6, etc.; Lk.19:37; see Mt.6:9f; Rom.8:15)