



World Victory Church

"Word Power"

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I. **Matthew 12:35-37**

A. Idle

1. Useless, Un-employed, Lazy, & Inactive
2. Think about all the lazy, useless words or phrases that have become a part of our daily conversations.
3. When you shape up what you say, God will shape up what you see!
4. A revelation to note: If we give account of all those idle words spoken in our lifetime (words that are not forgiven when we repent and claim under the Blood), then words have endless power within them. Another way of seeing it: every word you have ever spoken, still exists!
 - **Mark 13:31** *"Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away."*
 - **Hebrews 1:3** *"He upholds all things by the word of His power."*

B. Your words either work for you or against you; it's your choice

1. *Justified – To render righteous or free*
2. *Condemned – To pronounce guilty or judge against*
3. Every word has power, but when you speak the "Spoken Word of God", the very breath of God that spoke it in the beginning, flows from within you and changes things around you! (*"Out of your belly shall flow...."*)

II. Eliminating All Corrupt Speaking

A. **Ephesians 4:29-30**

1. Corrupt – Rotten, Worthless, or Bad
2. When we speak useless and rotten words, it not only hurts us, but it hurts God (grieves Him). Have you ever doubted God and spoke it out of your mouth?

B. Make a decision to change tomorrow by changing today

1. It begins with your words!
2. Even psychologists recognize the power of positive words and self-affirmation to make one successful