

## What we say will be said

It is important in today's world of technology to watch what we say because we never know who is listening. Whether it's a cell phone accidentally bumped on or an office partition that's not well insulated, people often are made privy to conversations which they were never meant to hear. This however, should not surprise us.

God's word is clear: What you say will be said. Unfortunately, all too often the intended meaning is not always transferred when conversations are repeated. This is why it is best to not engage in idle conversations which we would not want others to hear. Perhaps this is why the Psalmist asked God to set a watchman on his mouth and keep the door of his lips. What would you not say if you knew for sure everyone was going to hear it?

## Prayer for Today

Father, Your Word says that if a man can keep from offending in his words, that his religion is perfect. I know that the tongue is capable of setting fires in relationships and dividing even the best of friends. Help me to curb my tongue and set a watch on my mouth.

## Scriptures for Today

Ecclesiastes 10:20 Do not curse the king, even in your thought; Do not curse the rich, even in your bedroom; For a bird of the air may carry your voice, And a bird in flight may tell the matter. (NKJV)

Luke 12:3 Therefore whatever you have spoken in the dark will be heard in the light, and what you have spoken in the ear in inner rooms will be proclaimed on the housetops. (NKJV)

Psalms 141:3 Set a guard over my mouth, O LORD; keep watch over the door of my lips. (NIV)