

# When God Speaks

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[0:00] July 23rd. When God Speaks. The Lord called Moses and spoke to him. Leviticus chapter 1, verse 1.

When you read through the book of Leviticus, you soon become very familiar with these words, the Lord spoke to Moses. All the direction for worship and the people's life as they travelled from Egypt to the promised land of Canaan were given when God spoke to Moses.

We don't know exactly just how God did speak to Moses, but Moses was very conscious of God's words to him and he carried out God's instructions in a most impressive way.

In a very real sense, the whole Bible comes to us from God's voice. The author of the book of Hebrews tells us, Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his son. Hebrews chapter 1, verse 1.

That's why we often refer to the Bible as God's word, and just as Moses obeyed when God spoke to him, so we too must obey when God speaks to us as we read the Bible and think about what it is saying to us.

[1:15] In the earliest pages of the Bible, we read about God speaking at the creation of the world, and when he spoke, immediately things happened. For example, in Genesis chapter 1, verse 3, we read, And God said, Let there be light, and there was light. God's words were in a very real way doing words.

He spoke, and immediately things happened. Now there's a challenge for you and me, to do what God tells us to do as we read our Bibles, and do it right away.

Our prayer, Dear Lord, help me to hear your voice as I read your word, and help me to obey it. Amen.