

Communication

Be Quick to Listen

- Listen With Your Eyes 👁️
- Listen With Your Heart ❤️
- Listen With Your Brain 🧠

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Six Steps in Communication

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Slow to Speak

James 1:19
 My dear brothers and sisters, understand this: Everyone should be quick to listen, **slow to speak**, and slow to anger,

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Ecclesiastes 5:3
 A fool's voice comes with many words.

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Psalm 141:3
LORD, set up a guard for my mouth; keep watch at the door of my lips.

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MISTAKES

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MISTAKES
Condemn

Proverbs 12:18
There is one who speaks rashly, like a piercing sword.

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Condemn

You always. You never. I told you so. It is your fault.
 You are always in a bad mood. All you ever do is complain.
 I can't do anything to please you. Why don't you ever listen to me?
 What were you thinking? If you don't like it, you can just leave.
 That was stupid. All you ever do is think about yourself.
 You always have to be right. It's always my fault.

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GOING BACK TO THE PAST

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MISTAKES
Criticize

That is dumb.
 You wouldn't understand if I told you.

You Are Attacking Their Self-Worth.

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MISTAKES

Coerce

I will not allow this. I demand that you do this or that.
If you do that one more time, you are going to be sorry.
Try that again and see what happens.

**Physical Force, Pouting,
Controlling the Finances, Withholding Affection**

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MISTAKES

Compare

Why aren't you like so-in-so?

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Slow to Anger

James 1:19-20

*¹⁹ My dear brothers and sisters, understand this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak, and **slow to anger**, ²⁰ for human anger does not accomplish God's righteousness.*

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Slow to Anger

How do You Handle Conflict in the Home?

Not by Retreating

Not by Giving In

Not by Losing Your Temper

Proverbs 29:11 A fool gives full vent to his anger, but a wise person holds it in check.

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Slow to Anger

How do You Handle Conflict in the Home?

Understand When Most Arguments Happen

Use the Right Tone

Select a Proper Place

Be Willing to Change

Accept the Differences

Look for a Compromise

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Matthew 15:18

What comes out of the mouth comes from the heart.

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