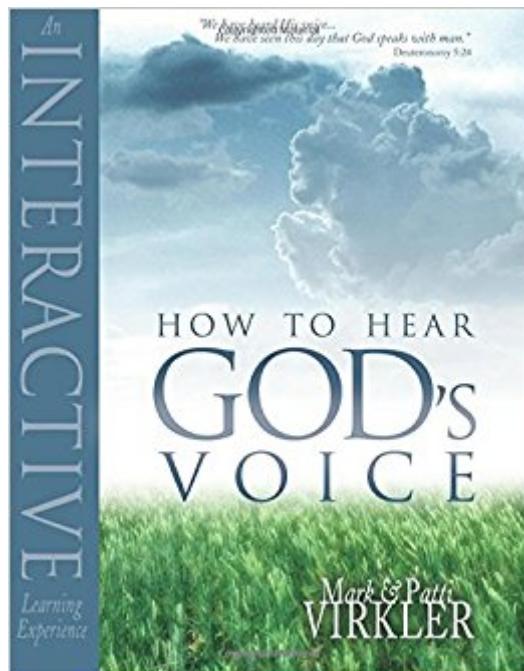


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# How To Hear God's Voice



## **Synopsis**

Ã „ "But blessed are your eyes, because they see; and your ears, because they hear." Matthew 13:16Ã „ You can hear the voice of your Lord. He is always speaking to you. In fact, every believer is called to have a one-on-one relationship with God because He longs to share sweet times of intimacy with all His children. How to Hear God's Voice will teach you to discern His voice from all the other voices that clamor for your attention. This book: Gives vital keys to increase the intimacy of your prayer time, Teaches you how to be still before the Lord, Helps you recognize His speech as spontaneous thoughts, Encourages you to seek vision while praying, and use a journal to record revelation. Ã „ Your communion with God will become a flow of His words springing forth from your heart. You will experience a depth of relationship you never thought possible!

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Practical yet inspirational, the Virklers have combined the best of the school of the Word and the school of the Spirit to bring us this landmark work about How to Hear God's Voice. This book will help guide and ground multitudes in their adventure to discern the voice of God. Great job! ---James W. Goll, Co-founder Encounters NetworkWhen I heard Mark's material in the early 1980s, it quadrupled my ability to hear God's voice removing a lot of the guess work. ---Bill Dwyer, Pastor

How to Hear God's Voice is a practical book, clearly training Christians how to experience dialogue with God. Teaching the use of vision, intuitive heart flow and journaling, this book will bring you to the place where you can daily record what the Lord is saying to you.

This book changed my life many, many years ago so I ordered two copies for people. It really helped me understand how God talks, it's really simple, It's so easy to complicate it as we do as people. After walking with the Lord a while I start to hear his voice way more, it takes some practice but it's not at all what I thought he spoke like, but now I after understanding one simple thing: "He often speaks spontaneously about something you wouldn't normally be thinking about (God never gossips, He never comes to condemn, He is Kind)" -- You start to catch your thoughts and I'm shocked at how much I've missed God speaking in my life I thought it was my imagination -- yet now I have had many occasions telling people what I feel God is saying, and it's very specific in no way I can know. It's amazing, It almost seems natural but it's not humanly possible to do without God telling you stuff.

I think this is a very helpful book for the relatively mature Christian who knows the scriptures reasonably well. I wouldn't recommend it (at least without a mature mentor) to a new believer. You could go wrong and end up in a bit of confusion if you don't already know the sorts of things God is likely to say.I didn't care about the guided imagery part. It seemed silly to me and also could be taken in the wrong direction. God has given me images in my mind as I have meditated on various portions of scripture, or immersed myself in worship or contemplation, but this is not the same thing as trying to conjure up something on your own--such as a picture of Jesus speaking to you. I guess it's okay if it works for you. I'm not sure it's dangerous or anything, as some have said. It just doesn't do anything for me.I thought all the charts and quizzes were silly and a waste of time. The charts don't hurt anything, but I felt the results of the quizzes tended to be misleading and of questionable value and accuracy. As for the right brain/left brain thing, if you know what this means, you can probably already guess which you are--logical or intuitive. There are free on-line tests for this which are at least as good and a whole lot easier to take and to score.The thing about the book that was the most helpful to me was the idea that God speaks to us in a flow of spontaneous thoughts that just "pop into our heads from nowhere." Such as when we get the urge to pray for a certain person, for example. Also, the examples of other people's journaling and what they had heard from God. Most of this stuff involves God speaking stuff to them that's basically straight out of the scriptures. At first I thought it was just their own minds supplying them with scriptures they already knew. Fine, but hardly supernatural.I do get a little more specific instruction when I need it, but now that I've actually experienced God speaking the scriptures back to me, I understand how helpful it is. You can know a thing with your head and still not understand it with your heart/spirit. When God speaks the word to

you, it changes you. Overall, I think the book is worth reading as long as you do the exercises and as long as you keep to the bits you're comfortable with. I know I wouldn't be at the place in my relationship with God if I hadn't read this book, and that's why I gave it four stars. As much straw and stubble as there is in this book, the treasures hidden in the straw make it more than worth the read. I'm ordering Virkler's DVD series for my simple church. As imperfect as his teachings are, they're the most effective and best I've found. If you know of better, practical instruction, I'd love to hear about it. Other works, like Madame Guyon's writings, Brother Lawrence, etc., are possibly deeper, but I've found them not to contain a lot of instruction that I was able to process and implement in my own life. They are inspirational and worth reading, but this book provides, for me, a better jumping off place for the beginner.

I read this book with a group and as I did the work, my perspective about praying changed. I actually took time to LISTEN to what God was saying to me. I began to recognize that He had things to say to me and if I took the time to cultivate my relationship with Him, there were more levels of communication. I had been a Christian a long time before I read this book, so I wasn't like I did not pray, but this really began my journey in prayer as a two way conversation. I recommend this to anyone who wants to develop a deeper more intimate relationship with God.

This book uses the Scriptures to set the foundation on the fact that God still speaks to us today. The book uses biblical examples to develop four steps to hear God speak to you. We need to relax and be silent to hear God's voice until we are proficient before we start adding our daily life into it. The book takes time to explain that we can develop our own thoughts, hear the voice of God and hear from Satan. The author recommends having two or three people that you know who are 'more proficient' than you as spiritual advisors. This book helped me understand the biblical background. the exercises helped me to experience talking with God and how to know who is doing the talking.

Really good book. It delivers. I learned to get closer & closer to God, hearing His voice.

This is a very nice book which teaches you how to basically calm the daily chaos around you and in your mind and listen for God voice. It has very big pages with space along the side to even take notes as you see fit. This makes for a great study guide for someone struggling to hear God's voice, although honestly, God's voice can be heard through your spirit without reading any books or listening to any sermons. This book teaches you how to seek out God within you using what you

were born with!

This didn't keep my interest long enough to finish the booklet. I thought this was a book, but it is more like a student or seminar instruction book. I wish I could say it was helpful, but unfortunately I can't.

This is not a book you'll be able to lay down if you're really seeking to hear God's voice. There is so much content and detailed explanation and Scriptural backup for every thing mentioned. I'm so impressed and my husband ordered one also. We are learning a lot and our faith in what we hear from God has increased. This book will change your life if you'll let it.

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