

Limitless

#2: Hearing God's Voice

How To Hear From God

1. Understand _____
John 10:27 *My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me.*

I Corinthians 6:19 *Don't you realize that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in you...*

2. Train _____
Acts 16:9 *During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, "Come over to Macedonia and help us."*

3. _____
I Thessalonians 5:20-21 *Do not treat prophecies with contempt but test them all...*

- *Does it fit the character of God?
- *What does the Bible say about this?
- *Is it wise?
- *Does it fit who God made me to be?
- *What do wise people say about this?

4. Be prepared to _____
Hebrews 11:8 *By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place...obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going.*

God's primary desire in speaking is for eternal purposes

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- 4) Through other people
- 5) Through whispers or promptings

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