

HOW JESUS SPEAKS TO US TODAY

"²⁵These things have I spoken unto you, being yet present with you.

²⁶But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you"

(John 14:25-26)

When I read about Jesus in the scriptures He wins and captures my heart. Our subject is how Jesus speaks to us today. From the above scriptures we see clearly that He was speaking with the disciples. He had said so many things already and still had more to say. At one point in time in His conversation with them He said, *"I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now."* (John 16:12)

Jesus amazes me. He did not want to overburden them with too many revelations and stuff they could not bear. You see how loving Jesus is. He knows our weaknesses and is not interested in just pumping things we cannot bear into us. Jesus handled them a step at a time. He gave them daily bread; what they could afford, here a little and there a little. That is how we preach and teach at church. I have never finished my sermons even if they are in series. Everything I study I get so much stuff from the Holy Spirit and I'm never able to deliver all. Why? Time factor and the ability of our members to take in.

So, if we want to hear the voice of God in the person of Jesus, we must first go to all that Jesus spoke while He was on the earth. That is why in some scriptures we have bold Red-letters showing the

very words of Jesus. I believe it is very good. Everything we need to worship God acceptably was spoken by Jesus. Read the scriptures and find out. He spoke about all subjects pertaining to life; marriage, business, worship, giving, relating to people, etc. If you are interested to hear the voice of God through the pages of scriptures start reading the Bible seriously, especially the New Testament (N.T) and I will explain why the N.T, later. Apart from the very words of Jesus which speak the voice of God, Jesus said,

"¹²I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now. ¹³Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself;..." (John 16:12-13) So now, the Holy Spirit is the voice of God. He carries whatever Jesus wants to say and shows it to us. When Jesus left, the Holy Spirit took over the teaching ministry of Jesus and taught the apostles who also wrote many of them down as epistles.

PRAYER & CONFESSION

Holy Spirit, speak and teach me the word of God.