

Great question! 💡

In your program, **this line is the key** to detecting when you stop speaking:

```
audio = r.listen(source)
```

This uses the speech\_recognition library's `Recognizer.listen()` method, which **automatically detects silence** based on a built-in **energy threshold and pause threshold**.

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### 🔍 How It Knows You Stopped Talking:

#### ✅ 1. `pause_threshold`

```
r.pause_threshold = 1
```

This means:

- After you stop speaking for **1 second**, it **assumes you're done**.
- The recognizer then stops listening and processes what you said.

#### 🗣️ Example:

You say: "Hello Violet" → then wait 1 second silently → recognition happens.

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#### ✅ 2. `energy_threshold` (optional)

This is a **volume threshold** to detect voice vs. background noise.

- It adjusts automatically, but you can set it manually like this:

```
r.energy_threshold = 300
```

Higher values ignore softer sounds (good for noisy places).

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### 🔧 Want to Fine-Tune It?

If it's **waiting too long** after you stop:

```
r.pause_threshold = 0.5 # responds faster
```

If it's **cutting off too early**:

```
r.pause_threshold = 1.5 # waits longer silence
```

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### 💡 Bonus Tip:

You can add:

```
r.adjust_for_ambient_noise(source, duration=1)
```

before `r.listen()` to calibrate for background noise. That helps reduce false silence triggers.

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Would you like to see a version of your code with these improvements added?

Excellent question! Let's **break it down step-by-step** so you clearly understand how this function works.

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### **Function Signature:**

```
def listen_for_wake_word(wake_word="violet"):
```

This defines a function named `listen_for_wake_word`, with a **default argument**:

- `wake_word="violet"`  
👉 This means **if you don't pass anything**, it will look for the word **"violet"** by default.

✅ You can call it like:

```
listen_for_wake_word()    # uses "violet"
```

```
listen_for_wake_word("nova") # changes it to "nova"
```

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### **What the Function Does:**

with `sr.Microphone()` as source:

```
print("Listening for wake word...")
```

```
audio = recognizer.listen(source)
```

- It turns on the **microphone** and listens until you speak and pause.
  - Your speech is stored in the `audio` variable.
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### **Recognizing What You Said:**

```
text = recognizer.recognize_google(audio).lower()
```

- Converts your audio into **text** using Google's API.
  - `.lower()` makes it lowercase so matching is easy.
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### **Wake Word Detection:**

```
return wake_word in text
```

- This is the key condition:  
👉 It checks if the wake word (like "violet") is **inside the spoken text**.

### ✅ Example:

If you say:

"Hello violet, what's the weather?"

Then:

- text = "hello violet, what's the weather?"
  - "violet" in text → ✅ True  
→ The function returns **True**, which triggers your assistant to respond.
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### ❌ Exception Handling:

except:

return False

If there's an error (like no internet, or unrecognized audio), it safely returns False instead of crashing.

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### ✅ Summary:

The function:

1. Listens to your voice 🎤
  2. Converts it to text 📄
  3. Checks if that text contains the wake word 🔍
  4. Returns **True** or **False** accordingly ✅ ❌
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Let me know if you'd like to:

- Make it detect multiple wake words (e.g., "violet" or "nova")
- Add a sound or animation when it hears the wake word
- Use offline recognition instead of Google API

Why does the command executes infinitely?

Great observation. Yes, you're absolutely right to question this. Let me explain clearly:

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### ❓ Problem

You're seeing that when command() runs and you say **nothing**, it **seems to get stuck** or keep showing:

Listening...

## Root Cause

Here's your `command()` function:

```
def command():  
    with sr.Microphone() as source:  
        print("Listening...")  
        r.pause_threshold = 1  
        audio = r.listen(source)
```

The issue is this line:

```
audio = r.listen(source)
```

By **default**, `r.listen(source)` **waits indefinitely for you to say something**.

This is **why your assistant looks stuck at "Listening..."** — because it's patiently waiting for you to speak.

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## Solution: Add a timeout and phrase\_time\_limit

You can limit:

- `timeout`: how long to wait before it gives up **if you say nothing at all**.
- `phrase_time_limit`: how long to keep recording **once you start talking**.

## Fix:

```
audio = r.listen(source, timeout=5, phrase_time_limit=7)
```

This means:

- If the user says **nothing in 5 seconds**, it'll raise `WaitTimeoutError`.
  - Once the user starts speaking, it'll record up to **7 seconds** max.
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## Updated `command()` Function:

```
def command():  
    with sr.Microphone() as source:  
        print("Listening...")  
        r.pause_threshold = 1  
        try:  
            audio = r.listen(source, timeout=5, phrase_time_limit=7)  
        except sr.WaitTimeoutError:
```

```
        print("No speech detected. Timing out.")
        return "None"

try:
    print("Recognizing...")
    query = r.recognize_google(audio).lower()
    print(f"\nYou said: {query}\n")
    speak(query)
    return query
except sr.UnknownValueError:
    print("Sorry, I didn't catch that. Please repeat.")
    return "None"
except sr.RequestError:
    print("Sorry, I cannot reach Google's servers right now.")
    return "None"
```

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#### **Result:**

Now, if you stay silent for 5 seconds, it won't wait forever — it will move on and return "None".

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Let me know if you want to **add a retry**, or **let Violet say something** when you don't speak!

## FINAL CODE OF JARVIS DAY 3

```
import speech_recognition as sr
import pyttsx3

r = sr.Recognizer()
engine = pyttsx3.init()

def speak(audio):
```

```

voices = engine.getProperty('voices')
female_voice_found = False
for voice in voices:
    if "zira" in voice.name.lower():
        engine.setProperty('voice', voice.id)

        female_voice_found = True
        break

```

```

engine.say(audio)
engine.runAndWait()

```

```

def command():

```

```

    with sr.Microphone() as source:
        print("Listening...")
        r.pause_threshold = 1
        audio = r.listen(source)

```

```

    try:
        print("Recognizing...")
        query = r.recognize_google(audio).lower()
        print(f"\nYou said: {query}\n")
        speak(query)
        return query
    except sr.UnknownValueError:
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    except sr.RequestError:
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        return "None"

```

```

def call_assistant(call_word="violet"):

```

```

    with sr.Microphone() as source:
        print("listening to your command...")
        r.pause_threshold=1
        try:
            audio2 = r.listen(source,timeout=5)
        except sr.WaitTimeoutError:
            return None

```

```

    try:
        query2=r.recognize_google(audio2,language='en-in').lower()
        print(f"\nYou said: {query2}\n")
        return query2

```

```

    except :

```

```
return None
```

```
# Call the function to test
```

```
while True:
```

```
    result = call_assistant()
```

```
    if result is not None and "violet" in result:
```

```
        speak("yes iam here")
```

```
        commander=command()
```

```
        if commander=="stop":
```

```
            speak("ok bye")
```

```
            break
```

```
elif result is not None: #quer2 can be anything
```

```
    speak("say my name please")
```