# **Can You Hear Me Now?**

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## Why Does God Communicate With Us?

- We are ...
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### How does God communicate with us?

#### I. God speaks through\_\_\_\_\_

(Psalm 119:105)

"All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness." 2 Timothy 3:16 (ESV)

#### II. God speaks through

"And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for the building up the body of Christ." Ephesians 4:11-12 (ESV)

#### III. God speaks through\_\_\_\_\_

"The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice." Proverbs 12:15 (ESV)

"One who is righteous is a guide to his neighbor, but the way of the wicked leads them astray." Proverbs 12:26 (ESV)

#### IV. God speaks through\_\_\_\_\_

(Romans 8:16)

"But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, <u>he will teach you all things</u> and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you." John 14:26 (ESV)

#### V. God speaks through\_

"The suffering you sent was good for me, for it taught me to pay attention to your principles." Psalm 119:71 (NLT)

"God whispers to us in our pleasures, but he shouts to us in our pain." -C.S. Lewis.