

**The Ark**  
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**Heart/Mouth Connection – Part 2**

*Stewardship:*

*Mark 11:22b-24 Have faith in God. Truly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, “Be taken up and thrown into the sea’ and does not doubt in his heart but believes that what he says will come to pass, it will be done for him. Therefore, I tell you whatever you ask in prayer believe that you have received it and it will be yours.*

Kenya Story.

“There is no problem, Mama. We’re from the Kenya Highway Authority and we’ve been looking everywhere for a certain type of gravel for the road base. We’ve finally found it in that mountain! Mama, with your permission, we will bring our heavy road equipment and we will move that mountain. We will even pay you compensation!”

*Galatians 6:9 And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.*

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Heart/Mouth Connection – Part 2  
(Law of Repetition)

Let’s review for a few minutes:

*Mark 11:22 So Jesus answered and said to them, “Have faith in God  
23 For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, “Be removed and be cast into the sea, and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says,  
24 therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask, **when you pray**, believe that you receive them, and you will have them.”*

**“Have faith in God”.** Some translations say “Have the God kind of Faith”. After Jesus made this statement, He went on to describe how God’s faith works. The very first thing mentioned in the Bible is the God Kind of Faith....

*Genesis 1:1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.*

*2. The earth was without form and void, and darkness was on the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.*

*3. Then God said, “Let there be light” and there was light.*

**How God’s Faith Works**

God has a plan – an expectation – a desire

God speaks that plan – expectation – desire into existence

In exactly the same way, Jesus taught us to establish a “Heart/Mouth Connection” that would bring our plans – expectations and desires into existence.

The “heart/mouth” connection is important all the time, but especially when you pray. “Believing” is a choice, not an emotion. You decide what you believe and then you put that belief in your mouth.

**THIS IS THE “heart/mouth” connection.** From the moment we first believe this important connection is activated and brings results (*Romans 10:9-10 NKJV if you confess with your mouth and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*)

Notice it is with the “Heart” that we believe  
And with the “Mouth” that we activate what we have believed.

Mark 11:23 is a powerful verse about faith and confession that believers claim and use around the world. **According to what Jesus taught in this verse, you can bring to pass whatsoever believe in your heart and you say.**

“Does not doubt in his heart” = to hesitate, to waver, to differ. If your heart doesn’t differ, or waver from what your mouth is saying, **the combination of his heart and mouth in agreement will always make things happen.**

*James 1:6-8 But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind. For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord.. he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways NKJV*

*2 Corinthians 4:13 And since we have the same spirit of faith according to what is written, I believed and therefore I spoke, we also believe and therefore speak. NKJV*

“The Spirit of Faith”... life giving force. Sometimes I don’t fully believe when I begin to “speak the Word of God” over my problem... but the more I speak that verse or promise the more my mind begins to line up with my heart and I cease to doubt that God will fulfill that promise. The “Spirit of Faith” energizes my faith.

Heart/ Mouth Example: Healing... If you believe in your heart that Jesus purchased your healing and you put your faith together with the confession of your mouth, you can literally bring that healing into manifestation in your physical body.

Creative power is released when the heart and mouth get into agreement!
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#### THIS IS A SPIRITUAL LAW

That is why you must be careful about what you believe in your heart and say with your mouth, because when your heart and mouth get “in sync” with each other, it literally makes things come to pass.

This heart/mind connection can bring about healing in your body, salvation to your family, prosperity to your business, and spiritual growth.

Negative Example from Bible:

*Numbers 14:28-30 Say to them, "As I live, declares the Lord, what you have said in my hearing I will do to you: Your dead bodies shall fall in this wilderness and of all your number, listed in the census from twenty years old and upward, who have grumbled against me, not one shall come in to the and where I swore that I would make you dwell, except Caleb the son of Jephunneh and Joshua the son of Nun."* They constantly doubted God and accused Him of bringing them out of Egypt to kill them. They failed to believe the promise. Hebrews tell us *"They were unable to enter because OF UNBELIEF" HEBREWS 3:19. One translation says "Unbelief had shut them out"*. Don't allow unbelief to shut you out of your miracle!

SATAN ALSO USES THE HEART/MOUTH CONNECTION ONLY WITH HIM IT'S THE MIND/MOUTH CONNECTION! He knows if he can fill your mind and heart with lies that you believe and then coax you into confessing those lies with your mouth, you will make those evil images come to pass in your life! He delights in filling our perceptions and senses with illusions that captivate and paralyze us and can ultimately destroy us.

STOP AND THINK....have you allowed Satan to influence your words and steal your miracle?

### **How do we Activate The Heart/Mouth Connection**

*Romans 12:2 New Living Translation (NLT) Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person **by changing the way you think**. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.*

- This is why it's so important for you to spend time in the Word of God.
- The Word of God will renew your mind to God's way of thinking (*Ephesians 4:23 And be renewed in the spirit of your mind*). God's Word brings a supernatural cleansing that washes your mind and emotions from
  - ⇒ the contamination of the world,
  - ⇒ the memories of past experiences, and
  - ⇒ the lies the enemy has tried to sow in your mind.
- Learn to Say and Pray the power of God into your situation...
- Practice filling your mouth with God Possibilities
- Read the Bible looking for God Promises for your life
- Remind yourself daily that you are building a world in which you must live with the words of your mouth!!!

*Proverbs 18:21 Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruits.*