

The Tongue has the Power of Life and Death

1. Men and women were both created in God's image.
2. Men and women are both very different in how they think, feel, act, and talk.
3. Men and women have very different communication styles.
4. Both styles of communication are equally valid.
5. Our goal is not to try to change someone's style of communication, but to adapt to it.

- Little girls are verbal oriented. Little boys are nonverbal.
- Little girls are people oriented. Little boys are things oriented.
- Little girls try to solve conflicts. Little boys try to prolong conflicts.
- Little girls communicate to be liked. Little boys communicate to boast.

- Women speak 15,000 words a day.
Men speak 9,000 words a day.
- Men are bottom line oriented. Women are detailed oriented.
- Men communicate to find solutions.
Women communicate to share feelings.
- Men tend to think it through first before talking. Women tend to think out loud.

Growing Together in God's Love

Men Need Respect; Women Need Love

- Men usually make direct requests. Women often hint at what they want.
- For women, it's in the details.
- Listening and solving problems.
- Men compartmentalize, women think big picture.
- She says too much, he says too little.

- Women like reminders.
- Men are emotional too.
- You never listen to me.
- Couch night can be date night.
- She says, “I’m capable of doing that myself.”