

**FOCUSING ON THE FAMILY**  
**Part Forty: Raising Your Children (cont.)**

**IV. INTEMPERANCE IN SPEAKING**

**A. The blessings of speech**

**B. The proper \_\_\_\_\_ on speech**

- Nine kinds of intemperate speech to avoid:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

2. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

3. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

4. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

5. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

6. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

- Telling \_\_\_\_\_ or bearing false witness
- Prov. 12:22: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 26:28: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 20:17: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 13:5: \_\_\_\_\_ )
- Prov. 12:19: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 25:18: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 14:25: \_\_\_\_\_

7. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

- Paying false \_\_\_\_\_ or representing false motives
- Why people use flattery:
  - To entice someone into \_\_\_\_\_ secret information
  - To protect access to someone out of self-interest
  - To get something from someone for oneself
- Prov. 26:28: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 29:5: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 20:19: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 28:23: \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

- Putting on a false front or hiding hatred behind false expressions of \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 11:9: \_\_\_\_\_
- The knowledge that delivers from hypocrisy:
  - To \_\_\_\_\_ information when possible.

- To recognize the \_\_\_\_\_ and tell-tale behaviors of the hypocrite.
- To understand the weakness of human nature so we don't tolerate hypocrisy in our own lives.
- How to watch out for hypocrisy:
  - Beware the fair-speaking \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Prov. 26:24-25: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Beware the lying \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Prov. 26:18-19: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Beware the naughty \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Prov. 17:4: \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_ speech

- Talking indiscreetly or \_\_\_\_\_ about others
- Two varieties of gossip:
  - Spreading false rumors or reports
    - \_\_\_\_\_
  - Stirring up \_\_\_\_\_ by making false representations or character assassinations
    - \_\_\_\_\_
    - Sowing discord
- Prov. 18:8, 26:22: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 11:13: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 25:19: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 20:19: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 17:9: \_\_\_\_\_
- Prov. 26:20: \_\_\_\_\_