

## Last Week's Message:

### *"The Power of Your Testimony"*

The words that we speak have power to build up or to bring down. In **Luke 6:45** Jesus explains that the things in our hearts are spoken out of our mouths. As Christians we must understand that God has given us authority over spiritual things and that authority comes with a great accountability for the words we speak:

- **Romans 2:15** says that God wrote His law on our hearts. We all know right from wrong and good from bad. ***GOD DID THAT.***
- **Ecclesiastes 3:11** says that God put eternity in our hearts. We all long for something beyond this temporary life. ***GOD DID THAT.***
- **Jerimiah 17:10** Says that God searches men's hearts. He looks at your heart. ***GOD DOES THAT.***

There is a powerful and sometimes dangerous connection between your heart and your tongue. God speaks into your heart and out of your mouth something comes. Christian, do the words that you speak reflect the things that God, by His Spirit, has spoken to you? Or do they sound a lot like your un-saved neighbor or like the person you used to be before meeting Jesus?

Words are choices and all choices have consequences. Today; choose carefully the words you speak.

Give life to life, death to death, power to power and victory to victory.

**Onward and upward church, Pastor Gene**

