

BIRDIE

TALK IT OVER

A Little Birdie Told Me Week One : Idle Words

The Big Idea

The words that we speak are important, they have power to give life or destroy and someday we will have to give an account for them.

Key Verse

Ecclesiastes 10:20 NLT Never make light of the king, even in your thoughts. And don't make fun of the powerful, even in your own bedroom. For a little bird might deliver your message and tell them what you said.

Start Talking

What idle words do you find yourself saying?
Do you struggle with wanting to gossip?
How do you handle a person who is gossiping around you?

Start Thinking

Read and discuss Proverbs 18:21 NLT
The tongue can bring death or life; those who love to talk will reap the consequences.

Start Sharing

What words have you regretted saying either to yourself or about others in the past?
Have you been hurt by someone gossiping about you?
What outcome came out of a situation of gossip, either about you or because of you?

Start Doing

Let the little birds around you be a reminder that God listens to our words and thoughts.
Build yourself and others up with your words.
Keep confidences when people trust you enough to share matters of importance.