

4. How do you respond when God sends suffering or disappointment your way?
5. Do you encourage those around you to rest in God's sovereign care? Do you point to the evidences of His loving hand? How?
6. Do you seek to speak in a way that encourages the work God is doing in others?
7. Do your words reveal that you are resting in God's control or wrestling with it?

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### Course Outline:

#### Part One: Talk is Not Cheap

1. God Speaks
2. Satan Speaks
3. The Word in the Flesh
4. Idol Words

#### Part Two: A New Agenda for Our Talk

- 5. *He is King!***
6. Following the King for All the Wrong Reasons
7. Speaking for the King
8. Getting to the Destination
9. Citizens in Need of Help
10. On the King's Mission

#### Part Three: Winning the War of Words

11. First Things First
12. Winning the War of Words
13. Choosing Your Words

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### **Part Two: A New Agenda for our Talk**

### **Class 5: He is King!**



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#### **I. INTRODUCTION**

- Recap of Part One

#### **II. UNDERSTANDING GOD'S SOVEREIGNTY**

- What does the Bible teach about God's sovereign Rule?
1. God rules unchallenged over all the universe  
(*Dan 4:34-35; Is 14:24-27*)
  2. God rules over all things for the Church  
(*Eph 1:20-22*)

3. God rules over the specific details of our lives  
(*Acts 17:26-27*)
  4. God rules over every aspect of our salvation  
(*Eph 1:4-6; Matt 13:11-17; John 10:25-30*)
  5. God rules over circumstances for our sanctification  
(*Rom 8:28-29; Js 1:2-4; 1 Pet 1:3-9; Ex 14*)
  6. God rules over relationships for our sanctification  
(*Eph 2:14-16, 19-22; 4:16; 1 Cor 12:12-13, 18-20, 27*)
  7. God rules over all things for His glory  
(*Eph 1:5-6, 12, 14*)
- III. CONCLUSION**
- GETTING PERSONAL: THE BATTLE FOR CONTROL**

1. How does your communication reveal your frustration with people and circumstances?
2. In what way is your communication an attempt to take control?
3. How do you typically respond when your plans are thwarted?