

# Follow The Cloud Experience #3

Complete as a group after reading Section Three of *Follow The Cloud*.

You are a beloved son or daughter meant to live in relationship with your good Father.

Being in relationship with God means we can hear His voice. The real question isn't, *Is God speaking?*, it's *Are we listening?* In John 10:27 Jesus says, "My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me."

We learn to listen to His voice. Take some time to listen to God together.

## Hearing God's Voice

1. With your group, pause, still your mind, quiet your heart and listen. Write down what you may be hearing. Remember to listen with the ears of your heart. Listen for a small phrase like, "I'm with you", "I love you", or "you are forgiven".

2. Take some time to share what God was saying during this time. Also share some ways that God speaks to you.

3. Use these filters as a way of confirming God's voice in what you believe you heard:

- Does it Align with Scripture?
- Does godly counsel confirm it?
- Is there a sacred echo? (Am I hearing it in more than one place/from more than one person?)
- Does it require faith?
- Does it lead you toward Jesus?

**Next Step:** *Ask, Listen, and Respond.* Faith comes by hearing (Romans 10:17). Engage your faith in this truth by practicing listening to what God has to say about who you are, who He is, and what He created you to do. Maybe turn off some of the distractions in your life this week like the radio, phone, noise, etc., and tune in to the One who is calling you!