

# S.O.H.L.

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WEEKLY MINISTRY MEDITATIONS

*Pronounced "Soul"*

## The Spiritual Counselor

One thing I have learned about people is that we all can offer some type of advice to another brother or sister. Some of it may be worthy or unworthy advice. I have discovered that the best advice from another human being is advice given about what the Lord has to say about the situation. Who knows us better than God? A person who tells you what "thus says the Lord" really loves you because they want you to be guided on the correct path for spiritual success. It is true that our advice can be genuine, but God's consultation is perfect!

**Genesis 4:6-7** NLT – (6) "Why are you so angry?" the LORD asked Cain. "Why do you look so dejected? (7) You will be accepted if you do what is right. But if you refuse to do what is right, then watch out! Sin is crouching at the door, eager to control you. But you must subdue it and be its master."

Cain was not receiving a consultation from a psychiatrist. God was talking to him one on one about his negative attitude. Cain refused to listen and verse (8) tells the consequences for his actions. Did not God tell him that sin was crouching at his door? Can you hear Him? God can speak to you from a burning bush, just as He did with Moses. God can speak to you just as He spoke to Cain and He can make the message plain and simple! Can you hear Him? Are you listening? If you have a conscious, you should hear God talking to you.

A human being can speak Spiritual advice, but they only qualify if they speak what God speaks to them. My brothers and sisters, there is Spiritual advice and there is worldly advice. What are you listening to?

SCRIPTURE READING

PROVERBS 15:4

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

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