

BLESSING OTHERS WITH YOUR WORDS
Part 2 of 3 in Series: Blessed to be a Blessing
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*Through the blessing of the upright a city is exalted,
but by the mouth of the wicked it is destroyed.*
Proverbs 11:11

*The tongue has the power of life and death, and
those who love it will eat its fruit.* Proverbs 18:21

Four ways you can bless other people by the way
you talk to them...

1. YOU BLESS OTHERS WHEN YOU ARE

Show proper respect to everyone. 1 Peter 2:17

2. YOU BLESS OTHERS WHEN YOU OFFER

*Now instead, you ought to forgive and comfort him,
so that he will not be overwhelmed by excessive
sorrow.* 2 Corinthians 2:7

3. YOU BLESS OTHERS WHEN YOU SPEAK

An honest answer is like a kiss of friendship.
Proverbs 24:26

- Compliment in public, correct in private.
- Correct them when they're up not when they're down.
- Speak the truth in love.
- You must be open to correction yourself.

4. YOU BLESS OTHERS WHEN YOU
THEM LOVINGLY

*Therefore encourage one another and build each other
up...* 1 Thessalonians 5:11