

The Power of Encouraging Words by Doug Fields

REAL INFLUENCE DOESN'T COME FROM A STAGE, IT HAPPENS UP CLOSE.

"Wise words satisfy like a good meal; the right words bring satisfaction."

Proverbs 18:20

A WELL-PLACED, THOUGHTFUL WORD OF ENCOURAGEMENT CAN BE THE SEED THAT GOD CAN WATER AND GROW INTO SOMETHING MEANINGFUL.

"[...] the words that come from our mouths originate in our hearts."

Matthew 15:18

IF ENCOURAGEMENT IS FOOD FOR THEIR SOULS, MOST TEENAGERS ARE STARVING.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- What is one new idea/thought/learning you have after watching this?
- Is there anything Doug said that you disagree with?
- On a scale from 1 to 10, how confident are you in your ability to use your words to affirm or encourage others?
- Who is one student in your ministry that you can speak words of affirmation in to this week?

SHARE

Share a story about a time someone spoke words of encouragement, affirmation or leadership into your life and it changed the direction of your life.