LISTENING IS A SKILL

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James 1:19, "Everyone must be quick to listen but slow to speak."

Proverbs 18:2, "A fool finds no pleasure in understanding but delights in airing his own opinions."

Proverbs 18:15, "The ears of the wise seek out knowledge."



Proverbs 18:13, "To answer before listening—that is folly and shame."

Proverbs 29:20, "Do you see someone who speaks in haste? There is more hope for a fool than for them."

Are we being given a message here?



STAY FOCUSED: on the <u>meaning</u>
We generally hear the words

STAY FOCUSED: on the <u>other person</u>
We generally think of ourselves

STAY FOCUSED: on the <u>target</u>
We generally get sidetracked