🕊️ What Is Prophecy & What Do I Do With It?

New Covenant Prophecy & Biblical Basis

In the New Covenant, the prophetic is part of your inheritance — not a special add-on. God speaks, and now He speaks through His people. We are no longer under the Old Covenant where prophecy was limited to a few, but all can prophesy under the New Covenant as God's sons and daughters

The prophetic helps us:

- Reveal the Father's heart
- Strengthen and encourage others
- Call out identity and destiny
- Partner with heaven on earth

Key Verses:

- **1 Corinthians 14:1** — "Pursue love… especially that you may prophesy."
- **1 Corinthians 14:3** — Strengthening, encouragement, comfort
- **Acts 2:17** — "Your sons and daughters will prophesy."
- **Hebrews 8:11** — "They will all know me."
- **John 10:27** — "My sheep hear my voice."

Receiving a Word

All prophetic experience is measured against Scripture, meaning all prophetic utterance must be weighed and tested. As a child of God, you have the dignity and right to do so. Along with testing a word, it must also be processed.

Some steps for processing your prophetic word:

- Write it out — find identity statements, promises, themes
- Return to it in seasons of testing
- Declare it, pray it, war with it
- Test the fruit: a word that contradicts the Bible is NOT from God

Key Verses:

- **Luke 2:19** — "Mary treasured all these things and pondered them."
- **2 Timothy 3:16** — Scripture for doctrine, reproof, correction
- **Isaiah 8:20** — "If they do not speak according to this word, there is no light in them."
- **1 John 4:1** — "Test the spirits."
- **1 Thessalonians 5:20–21** — "Test everything. Hold on to the good."
- **1 Timothy 1:18** — "Fight the good fight… following the prophecies."