Hearing the Spirit's Voice

Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it." (Isaiah 30:21, NIV)

Lord, I'm learning to prize Your Spirit's speaking. Your leadership is a wonderful gift. I want to cherish it and nourish it. I want to live in You and move in You moment by moment.

But I'm learning that You don't usually shout. You whisper.

How often have I drowned out Your whisper by the noise of my own plans?
How often have I ignored Your gentle prompting because of self-concern or laziness?

Jesus, I quiet my plans and my selfish desires. Each time You whisper, I want to hear. Each time You speak, I will obey.

Father, I set aside pleasing people.
I set aside dreams of success.
I only want to follow You and please You.

Hymn: When I Speak

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