



Hello this is Michael DeRosa and today want to talk to you about the power of words.

For my text today, let's look at Colossian 3:16

*Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms and hymns and*

*spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God.*

The power of our words can either build or break that brother or sister we are addressing.

God gives us steps in how to admonish right here: **FIRSTLY** let his word take up residence in your life. In your entire life. And even in those dark skeleton closets too. Then, the power of that word spoken will be a well seasoned comment.

So, you may be asking: How much time, then, do I need to wait until I speak?

Here, let me give you a simple test:

If you have ought against your brother or sister  
who needs to be admonished,  
first take care of conflict.  
Then speak to him.

The power of your words will make a difference in your brother's life. The only question is 'what kind of a difference...good or bad?