



Letting The Right Words Flow Forth

Ephesians 4:29-30

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Understanding the word: **unwholesome**

Greek = sapos = **rotten**

Matthew 12:33,36 (NASB 1995)

³³ “Either make the tree good and its fruit good, or make the tree **bad** and its fruit **bad**; for the tree is known by its fruit

³⁶ But I tell you that every careless word that people speak, they shall give an accounting for it in the day of judgment.

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Understanding the word: **Edification**

Greek = oikodomé = **the act of building up**

Ephesians 2:21 (NASB 1995)

in whom the whole **building**, being fitted together, is growing into a holy temple in the Lord,

Ephesians 4:12 (NASB 1995)

for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to **the building up** of the body of Christ;

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- God sees, hears, feels...

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