

More Than Hearing Worksheet

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Text Hebrews 4:12-16

12 Indeed, the **word of God** is **living and active**, **sharper than any two-edged sword**, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, **joints from marrow**; it is able to **judge the thoughts** and **intentions of the heart**. 13 And before him **no creature is hidden**, but all are **naked and laid bare to the eyes** of the one to whom we must render an account.

14 Since, then, we have **a great high priest** who has **passed through the heavens**, Jesus, the Son of God, let us **hold fast to our confession**. 15 For we do not have a high priest who is **unable to sympathize with our weaknesses**, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. 16 Let us therefore **approach** the **throne of grace** with **boldness**, so that we may **receive mercy** and find grace to help in time of need.

Word - , Eye - , Math - , Body - , Music - , Nature - , People - , Self -

Smarts	Images in the text/ interesting exegesis	Illustrations	SFX
Word - Verbal/Linguistic		Two-edged sword = A surgeon's scalpel or a sarcastic comment, maybe.	What are examples of a biting or cutting word? What words can both disarm and heal? How does Jesus, as the Word of God, both defend and defeat us?
Eye - Visual/Spatial		Need a sword ? The Gladius sword and the Haladie sword may have been on the author's mind. Both are double edged and both were around at the time the letter was written.	Vs. 12 - Bring in a sharp chef knife or boning knife and some chicken leg quarters and separate the leg from the thigh; maybe cut the meat from the bone. <i>See also BODY</i>
Math - Logical/Mathematical			
Body - Kinesthetic	Vs 13 - naked and laid bare	Some physical examples of the vulnerability suggested by this verse: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A body prepared for surgery; 	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a body being prepared for burial; • an infant being changed; • a person getting into or out of the shower; • a person with limited mobility needing help to get a bath • lovers revealing themselves 	
Musical			
Natural			
People - Interpersonal	<p>Great high priest (not James Franco Jesus, lol)</p> <p>The Temple was destroyed in 70 AD and the letter was written 5-6 years prior to that. There was still a living high priest in Jerusalem, presumably.</p>	<p>Jesus is the mediator of the new covenant for God's people. In our culture we might point to lawyers, agents, or advocates who stand in for our legal interests.</p>	<p>⇐ Invite a probate lawyer or a child advocate to come talk about their work.</p>
Self - Intrapersonal	<p>Vs 13 - naked and laid bare</p>	<p>Here, the verse speaks of one's inner being or spirit being seen by God</p> <p>That dream you have where you go to work or school and suddenly discover you are naked or just in your underwear.</p>	