

Job 3:26, Mark 1:29-38
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Title: Spending Time in Aloneness

Introduction: How many times have you wished for spending time alone? How many times have you tried to get it but were unsuccessful? Maybe you share Job's sentiment in the book of Job 3:26, "I have no peace, no quietness; I have no rest, but only turmoil."

1) No thanks.

- I LIKE NOISE: It might seem strange but there are some reasons I might resist having quiet time. We're addicted to noise.
- I AM TOO BUSY: We've got too much going on to just take some time out to sit still.
- I HAVE TOO MUCH OF IT ALREADY.

2) Interrupted solitude. I'm not avoiding solitude. I try to have some time of solitude but I constantly get interrupted. Jesus dealt with this too. Mark 1:35-39

Conclusion: When we're silent before God, we will hear his voice. Let's make sure we're making the sacrifice of setting aside the time to get alone with God in silent solitude. It will improve our quality of life.