

## FOREWORD

“Teach My people to hear My voice.”

Those words spoke to my spirit loud and clear! Driving to a distant state with my husband and another couple was fun but would also turn out to be a tedious trip. We decided to quit talking and try to determine if the Lord had any instructions for us. As I quieted my mind and spirit, I sensed the Lord giving me a direction for my life. Life for me would never be the same after that day! My mandate in life would be to help teach God’s people how to hear His voice.

Without an inner awareness of God’s presence and voice, mankind would be left to its own crippled journey through life. Only God’s voice and His wonderful nearness can give true meaning to life.

Numerous self-help books are available today. Seminars and conferences focus on ways to develop your strengths. Motivational speakers cause people to believe they can conquer the world—until they leave the meeting. Only as a person welcomes God’s inner presence can the difficulties in his or her life be changed.

Marilyn Gray is a woman who has overcome powerful obstacles in life. She has pressed into God’s presence and had her life transformed. Out of her own transformational experiences with the Lord, Marilyn is able to assist others as they are changed into their true purpose in life. Her book, *Jewels of Wisdom*, offers daily encouragement, strength, and a love that will transform your life!

Marilyn has discovered the secret to powerful living. She has a compelling mandate from the Lord. She has been called to help people break out of ordinary living and live life in God’s supernatural presence.

Get ready to experience God in a new way. Get ready to live life in a new dimension. Get ready to allow the Lord to direct your path into your great destiny. You were born for this hour. Now enjoy your daily journey in life through the powerful devotions found in *Jewels of Wisdom!*

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