

Creativity and Sensitivity

What are little boys made of?
Snips and snails
And puppy-dogs' tails
That's what little boys are made of

What are little girls made of?
Sugar and spice
And everything nice
That's what little girls are made of
(Author unknown, believed to be a poet by the name of Robert Southey)

The author of this poem creatively compared the makeup of boys to girls. He, assuming that the author is a man, was essentially saying that girls are made of pleasant things whereas, boys were created differently. More than likely, the author wasn't calling boys unpleasant; instead, he was pretty much saying that boys are a little rough around the edges, whereas, girls are sweet. This, of course, wasn't the first author to attempt to creatively explain the difference between men and women. There's a popular quote that states, "Men are from Mars; women are from Venus," essentially saying that men and women come from two completely different worlds. The point is, that humans have long noticed a difference between the personalities of men and women. As modern day science continues to evolve, we are able to break down our differences, not only by gender, but now moreso on an individual basis. We call this branch of science social science. The point is that God created us all differently. The world gets this, and at some point, many of us in the church will come to better understand this truth as well. This helps us to navigate, manage and sustain relationships and to produce more.

Let's look at the two words creativity and sensitivity. Creativity comes from the word "create," which of course, derives from the word Creator. God created the earth and everything in this, which is why He is the Creator of all things—heaven and earth. Because we are made in His image, we are creative or, better yet, we are miniature creators.

Sensitivity, on the other hand, derives the root word "sense" which has everything to do with our ability to feel, discern and affect our environments. We can often sense God's presence, just as we can sense the presence of evil around us. Our ability to sense spiritual things is determined by our sensitivity to the realm of the spirit.

Creative people are naturally sensitive because we are always pulling ideas out of the realm of the spirit and birthing them in the earth. In order for us to hear God, we have to be sensitive. This allows us to be creative and discerning. Nevertheless, we often say that we have to be sensitive to God's voice, and while this is true, this statement is also incomplete. In order for

us to hear God, we have to be sensitive ... period. This means that we can also sense other activity that makes its way into our airways.

Have you ever noticed that some of the most creative people are the hardest souls to get along with? They can be mean, insensitive, arrogant, impatient, competitive and emotional. The reason for this is, in order for Heaven to give birth in the realm of the earth, it has to have a womb to flow through. God has to create some people more sensitive than others; this way, He can use them. Nevertheless, because creatives are super sensitive, Satan loves to intercept our lines and frustrate, offend, scare or discourage us. And believe it or not, this warfare tactic is actually pretty effective. This is because creative people are prophetic, and prophetic people often run into caves when they are overwhelmed. One of the reasons for this is, we have trouble pushing things out of our spirit, meaning, a minor offense to some can become a major event for a creative. Offense clogs the lines between heaven and the creative, so Satan works nonstop to keep the creative constipated.

A prophet or a prophetic person is a medium; meaning, they are the go-between that connects heaven with earth and God with His people. Similarly, the enemy uses mediums called witches and sorcerers to birth out his evil in the earth as well. This is why many prophetic people end up in witchcraft. They are sensitive to the realm of the spirit and find it hard to discern God's voice from the voice of the enemy. The enemy sends a plethora of people into their lives who'll hurt and mishandle them, thus, ensuring that they have trouble trusting people. He then begins to bombard them with all types of demonic thoughts and encounters, forcing them to look for answers. Many of them end up in witchcraft churches or becoming outright witches in their attempts to explain and manage their sensitivity.

King Saul was sensitive. He could hear God's voice, but after he disobeyed God and God left him, his sensitivity didn't decrease. Instead, he started being harassed on the same line by a devil. Eventually, King Saul did like we see many believers doing today; he turned to a witch to get answers. This sealed his demise and consequentially, King Saul ended up dying in war.