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*Good people will be guided by honesty.  
But dishonesty will destroy those who are  
not trustworthy.*

*Proverbs 11:3 (ICB)*

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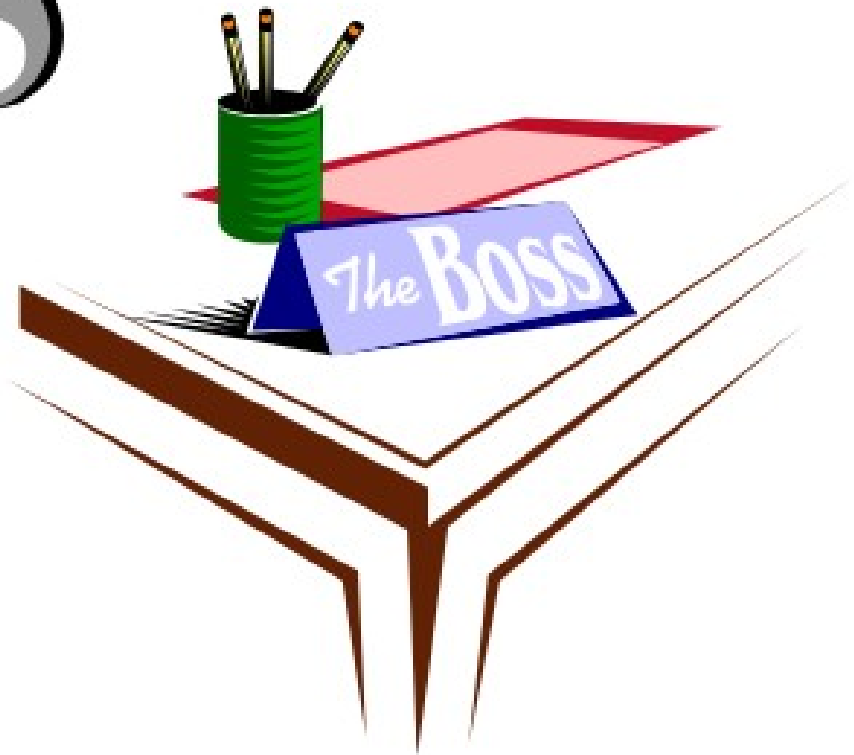
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WHO'S  
THE  
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# Pleasing the One Boss of All Our Work

*“Come and share your master’s joy!” Matthew 25:23 (ISV)*





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*"Gossip is a spark that starts countless relational fires every day."*

— Ken Sande, President, Relational Wisdom 360



# Resisting GOSSIP

Winning the War of the Wagging Tongue

**Sinful Gossip Is:  
Bearing Bad News  
Behind Someone's Back  
Out of a Bad Heart**

- Recognizing Gossip

**Give Thanks**



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***Ladies, what backs up your beauty?***

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*A beautiful woman without good sense is  
like a gold ring in a pig's snout.*

*Proverbs 11:22 (ICB)*

***Ladies, what backs up your beauty?***

**(v. 22)**

*It is not fancy hair, gold jewelry, or fine clothes that should make you beautiful. No, your beauty should come from within you—the beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit that will never be destroyed and is very precious to God.*

*1 Peter 3:3-4 (NCV)*



***Ladies, what backs up your beauty?***

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***Are you generous or stingy?***

**(v. 24)**

*Some people give much but get back even more. Others don't give what they should and end up poor.*

*Proverbs 11:24 (NCV)*

*Now I say this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows generously will also reap generously.*

*2 Corinthians 9:6*

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*Proverbs 11:24 (NCV)*

***Are you generous or stingy?***

**(v. 24)**

***To whom are you giving life?***

**(v. 30)**

*The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life,  
and the one who wins people is wise.*

*Proverbs 11:30 (ISV)*



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