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**Pastor and Sis. McKinney, along with the CAC Church Family, would like to thank you for choosing to worship the Lord with us today.**

**We hope you find your visit informative and inspirational and one that will keep you coming back. If you have any questions feel free to contact our ushers or staff. Connect with CAC today and let CAC be your home church.**

**We hope to see you in future services!**

## **Silent But Deadly**

**Psalm 28:1 Unto thee will I cry, O Lord my rock; be not silent to me: lest, if thou be silent to me, I become like them that go down into the pit.**

**Psalms 30:11-12 Thou hast turned for me my mourning into dancing: thou hast put off my sackcloth, and girded me with gladness; 12 To the end that my glory may sing praise to thee, and not be silent. O Lord my God, I will give thanks unto thee for ever.**

Many things are silent but can cause you great harm and even death. Certain animals make no sound or noise but are deadly predators.

Certain spiders are silent but deadly even to humans. Certain diseases are deadly but silent, such as cancers and infectious diseases. All these pose a threat because they don't warn you of the consequences of coming in contact with them.

Something else that is silent but deadly is sin. Sin infects a person's mind and heart and destroys their relationship with God. Sin attacks silently but becomes deadly to its victims. In fact, the Bible says in Romans 6:23, "For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord."

While we look at the above examples and see the consequences of handling, participating, or ignoring the consequences, we see how some things become a threat to our safety and wellbeing.

Psalm 28:1 tells us that if the Lord is silent to you, it is as if you are dead. And Psalm 30:11-12, gives us inspiration to not be silent for the great things the Lord has done in our lives. Not hearing from God and giving God vocal praise is deadly—Silent but deadly.

We have so much to be thankful unto the Lord for. We have so much to be vocal about as we give praise unto the Lord for turning our mourning into dancing, wrapping us up in

gladness! To keep silent unto the Lord is a deadly decision. We must open our mouth with praise unto the Lord. We must make a joyful noise unto the Lord. Let our mouths be filled with singing. Let us clap our hands! I don't want to be silent, for silence is deadly!

In the world we live in, we see how vocal people can be to each other. If people disagree with something, they become vocal. If someone doesn't like someone, they become vocal. If your political views don't line up with someone, they become vocal. Why? Because they don't want their narrative or cause to be silenced! They know if their argument is silent, then it is dead.

We, as God's people, should avoid verbal confrontations with others. Verbally attacking others, in church or out of church, will result in spiritual death. If you don't feed foolishness, foolishness dies—Silent But Deadly! If you want to be heard, get attention, or have a lot to say, let it be praise unto the Lord, for if our praise is silent, we will die spiritually—Silent But Deadly! Raise your voice and verbalize your love for the Lord!

**Psalms 71:8 Let my mouth be filled with thy praise and with thy honour all the day.**