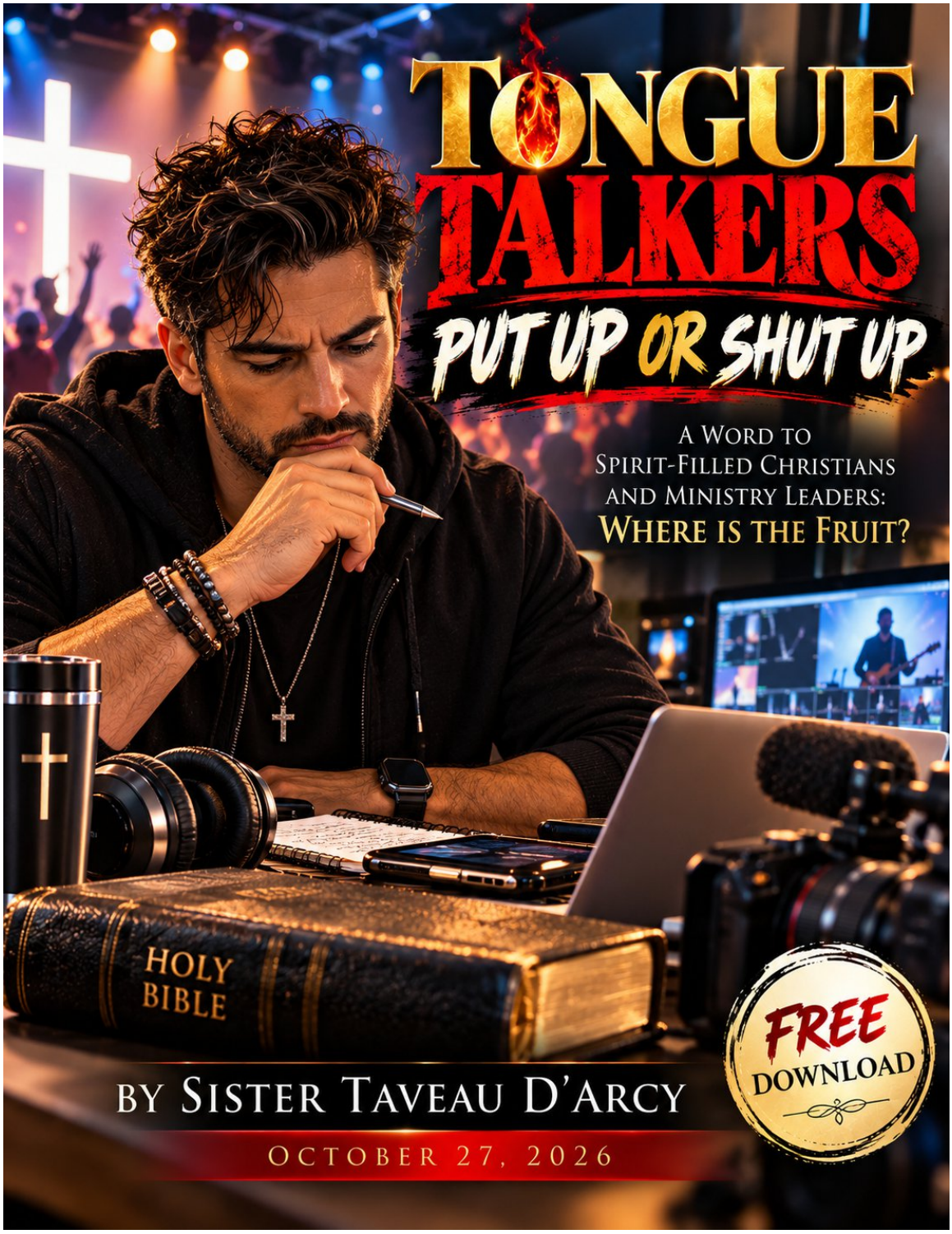
TONGUE TALKERS
PUT UP OR SHUT UP
A Word to Spirit-Filled Christians and Ministry Leaders:
Where is the Fruit?
HOLY BIBLE
FREE DOWNLOAD
BY SISTER TAVEAU D'ARCY
OCTOBER 27, 2026

TONGUE TALKERS: PUT UP OR SHUT UP

Contending for the Missing Christian Faith

For the Body of Christ

"Only if any shoe fits, should anyone try to wear one."

Submitted as Hot Toasty Selah

A Word by Sister Taveau D'Arcy

October 27, 2026

TONGUE TALKERS: PUT UP OR SHUT UP

A Word to Spirit-Filled Christians and Ministry Leaders:

Where Is the Fruit?

By Sister Taveau D'Arcy

October 27, 2026

For all persons who have ears to hear:

Reason:

There comes a time when professing Christians, particularly those who speak in tongues, claim spiritual authority, teach the Bible, and expect others to submit to their leadership, need to be confronted with a very simple question:

WHERE IS THE FRUIT?

I am not against speaking in tongues. I am not against the gifts of the Holy Spirit, the fivefold ministry, or Christian fellowship. I have been part of Spirit-filled ministry for decades.

But I am against the religious authoritarianism, false authority, character assassination, intimidation, and territorial ownership of people that I have personally witnessed in certain Christian circles.

And I am not going to pretend that these things are godly.

There is a difference between having spiritual authority and being spiritually controlling. There is a difference between having dominion and dominating another human being.

Some Christians have confused the two.

YOU SPEAK IN TONGUES. BUT HOW DO YOU TREAT PEOPLE?

You may pray in tongues, preach, prophesy, lead worship, pastor a church, operate a ministry, and know the Bible from Genesis to Revelation.

But how do you treat the person who does not belong to your church? The person who disagrees with you? Who is not YOUR pet style, look or vibe?

Plus..and a person you cannot control? The woman, the man, the stranger, or the fellow minister whom you have never bothered to know?

Do you respect their God-given boundaries?

Or do you privately accuse, publicly embarrass, gossip, intimidate, and then call it spiritual discernment?

I have seen enough of this in grassroots Christian ministry to know that it is real.

And I have also examined myself. I am not giving myself a pass.

James 3:17 is not optional for the talented and spiritually gifted.

"The wisdom from above is pure, peaceable, gentle, easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality and without hypocrisy."

That is the standard.

Not your title. Not your ministry size. Not your spiritual vocabulary. Not how many people attend your meetings.

Your fruit.

STOP CALLING CONTROL SUBMISSION

There are Christian environments where people are treated as property, attendance becomes a prize, and independent believers are regarded with suspicion because they refuse to be owned.

I have personally encountered this kind of false authority, and I have paid dearly for what I learned.

But I also learned something important: I do not have the right to dominate you, and you do not have the right to dominate me.

We are called to respect one another.

That is part of what I teach through **A.R.T.—Abiding Relationship Theology, and EORR—Equal Opportunity REAL Respect for the office of EVERY HUMAN made in God's Image (Psalm 139).**

Respect does not require surrendering your conscience, your God-given assignment, or your responsibility to hear the Lord for yourself.

And spiritual maturity is not demonstrated by how effectively you make others obey you.

THE JEZEBEL QUESTION: WHY DO YOU TOLERATE IT?

I have studied Revelation 2:20 and the rebuke to the church at Thyatira.

What stands out to me is that the Lord confronts the leadership for tolerating destructive teaching and behavior.

That is a responsibility issue.

Too many Christians would rather whisper about somebody, pray against them, assign them a spiritual label, or complain behind closed doors than deal with a real problem in an upfront, forthright, calm and "relationship respectful" (Galatians 6:1 ,Matthew 18:15-17, Revelation 2 "confront not gossip about") first church chief apostolic also biblical manner.

Matthew 18:15–16 gives us a pattern for addressing offenses and involving witnesses when necessary. Dangerous situations, of course, require wisdom and safety.

But the principle remains.

Stop substituting avoidance and its convenient talebearing, big gossip, hidey hole fear, and unjust accusation for responsible, godly correction.

I have had to learn about this myself, sometimes when I was at the same exact time, returning to an accusing, biased church, while enduring much private personal hellish sacrifice for the Lord. And needing a relief and time off from living under very difficult circumstances.

Note: when I (am allowed to Galatians 6:1 Pauline one to one, in private) confront, I do it respectfully, very carefully, and as the Lord leads—for I desire justice, fairness, relationship preservation. It is not, has never been, due to me being critical, offended or angry.And it seeking revenge has never ever been my pattern in all of this person's life history.

Please use caution for your new visitors, strangers, angels unaware. For God soon brings judgment for this, as time is passing and Eternity and Christian area in House Judgement looms.

THE TONGUE IS A SMALL MEMBER. THE DAMAGE CAN BE ENORMOUS.

James 3 warns about the power of the tongue.

That warning applies to each valuable person, especially the ones called to an office, who officiate behind the pulpit, also the person in the prayer meeting, the so called prophet, the apostle, the pastor, the worship leader.

... and me.

It applies to the Christian who speaks in tongues.

You cannot excuse exclusivity, being cruel, being status conscious due to your gifts and size..or because you view yourselves as worthy and exceptionally spiritually gifted.

You cannot excuse the false accusations simply because YOU believe that YOU are called and have eagle gifts of deep discernment.

You cannot excuse misuse of governing authority to oppress, possess and intimidate, to mind others business simply because YOU believe that YOU have been God Given Executive position and quality authority.

And you cannot justify mistreating people by claiming that God has placed you "over" them. This is a cultish lie.

If your depth of supposed elite and unquestionable, totalitarian, also spiritual field of "groveling" authority repeatedly damages the sent people, then both your character, your conduct, your quality and your accuracy and validity according to the Scriptures and first church kindly governing practice all need examination.

Practice fruit bearing respect for all types and many styles of God-formed human.

Not another title.

Not another microphone.

No more narcissists.

Focus now on knowing, pursuing more of the Lord.

It requires set apart, and in periods of time, in private personal self examination. (not self accusation or flagellation)

Bible study of first church not charismatic flawed versions.

MANY ARE THE AFFLICTIONS OF THE RIGHTEOUS

"Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivers out of them all" Psalm 34:19

Psalm 34:19 has been deeply personal to me.

I received those words in the verse song given to me from the Lord, 35 years ago, which was long before I understood how much I would have to walk through. (www.celebrationofhiswordmusic.com Lyrics, mp3)

After that sent time period, I have long endured mistreatment, character assassination, and severe trials. Yet I have also known the Lord's company, His presence, His joy and laughter as well as persistent endurance and overcoming joy, and needed deliverance. It is all for the sake of Christian body and the future church.

Once more I am not writing this to get back at anybody. If that were true, I would be calling out Christian names and famous movements, but I do not.

Also I have forgiven.

But “forgiveness” does not require silence about what is unhealthy, even destructive patterns,styles and false doctrines, false authority ongoing in the Name of Jesus Christ following. And especially when the next generation of Christians and ministry leaders does not know WHO is WHAT in the Bible and in the nature, character but also TOP END TIME ETERNITY Salvation priorities.

It is usually more about “attendance” and “joining” and being “submitted under” a local or famous senior pastor. And I do not approve of that. It is off and for the main purposes of finding revenues and workers. It is a Pharisee added pressure in most local areas.

This mighty group needs to recognize this.

We are in need of Christian fellowship where people are safe to grow, learn, disagree respectfully, and follow the Lord without being bullied or spiritually possessed by another person's ministry.

See “God’s Commanded Blessing on all a Sabbath Apart(but not legalisically or on one single day, for this is an Old Testament passage where the Torah law strictly commanded the Jews to worship only Friday night to Saturday, but we Christians are in New Testament, so this is a healthy “precept” and ought to be a ‘fruit requirment” for mature Christian Hebrews 10:15 the command to “not forsake fellowshipping with the saints.”

FRUITS RESEARCH FOR NOW: **Isaiah 56:7 (KJV)**

"Even them will I bring to my holy mountain, and make them joyful in my house of prayer: their burnt offerings and their sacrifices shall be accepted upon mine altar; for mine house shall be called an house of prayer for all people."

See Isaiah 56:7 "Old Testament" yet this is modern "enduring multicultural intercessory revelation, reverential "Fruit"bearing and it's not "come join our system because we want more money" feigned shallow focus.

We need mature Christians who have some humor, who can hear God purely, who understand the Why's and "How's " of Bible correction without ministry accusation, false witness, gossip, plus retaliation.

We need true leadership that knows how to govern itself (mostly it's the insipid rumoring tale bearing systemic tongues) while attempting to govern everybody else, even if they are not attending or a member of their church. (Targeting Gatekeeping)

And we need to stop confusing "our" popularity, styles and many forms of "religious success" with Christ's approval plus spiritual, Bible, emotional, safe and respectful "pure" maturity.

PUT UP OR SHUT UP

This word is not directed at every Pentecostal, charismatic, tongue-talking believer, or Christian leader, for there is a Remnant which I am aware of and stay in community with it.

So, If the shoe fits, wear it.

If it does not, then help us demonstrate something better.

I am speaking particularly to those who claim to know the Holy Spirit, claim to represent Jesus Christ, and yet continue to mistreat, control, accuse, or diminish other human beings.

It is time to grow up, man up, human up, and examine the fruit.

Galatians 5:22–23 still matters. (the fruits of the Holy Spirit: more of God's love, joy, peace, patience, goodness, meekness and SELF CONTROL")

James 3:17-18 still matters. (Balancing our many rules with the character and His presence "fruit" of "wisdom from above "which is pure, peaceable, easily entreated, full of mercy and good fruit (see above Galatians 5:22-23) and without PARTIALITY and without HYPOCRISY"

V. 18 And the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace of them that make peace."

Being submitted and directly accountable to Bible (whole counsel) still matters.

Also, the Lord's people are not your private property.

The persons are individuals, each with a separate, ongoing backstory.

Here at apostolic TCL we are not "replacing" revival with relationships.

We are calling for revival to reach the relationships.

Luke 1:17 is about "Elijah revival" and it involves patching up relationships;

Luke 1:17 (KJV)

"And he shall go before him in the spirit and power of Elias, to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just; to make ready a people prepared for the Lord."

So, to the professing Christian who insists upon being recognized as the real Christian, the spiritually superior Christian, the authoritative Christian, the one everybody else must follow:

PUT UP OR SHUT UP.

Demonstrate the fruit of the Spirit, not just the big authority, fine quality presentation, good attendance, fine worship, hip styles also deep gifting and multiplied talents.

Instead, seek a reality check: It's not about here and now, it's about LIFE IN ALL ETERNITY (with no days off for good behavior or bad)

Thus: Treat people with REAL respect. They notice.

I was given a word from the Lord for Christian area churches and ministry in 2011, it was

"IT'S NO LONGER A SELLER'S MARKET"

But prior to being given that, back in 2007 I was studying local churches, test driving to find one that I could attend, even belong to, but I was treated with such disrespect I found both Bible passages where Apostle Paul gave FREE PASSES to avoid such self centered, inauthentic and also biased and my I add (first time ever) misogynistic highfalutin mega churches, which I found were 'ministry systems" (well oiled to keep them moving the people in and out") and God revealed Apostle Paul respectful command and apostolic warning to "from such turn away" (based on character and fruit

So this prophet is PRO Hebrews 10:25 "do not forsake fellowshipping with the saints" yet now she understands that Paul meant "selectively and very carefully."

2 Timothy 3:1–8 (KJV)

1. This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come.

2. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,

3. Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good,

4. Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;

5. Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.

6. For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts,

7. Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.

8. Now as Jannes and Jambres withstood Moses, so do these also resist the truth: men of corrupt minds, reprobate concerning the faith.

1 Timothy 6:5 (KJV)

5. Perverse disputings of men of corrupt minds, and destitute of the truth, supposing that gain is godliness: from such withdraw thyself.

Stop the intimidation, false accusations, and religious power games.

And let your conduct speak at least as loudly as your tongues.

Let's begin to work on correcting, admonishing, reproving with striving to be perfect. We want to and NEED TO and MUST IMPROVE.

Note these "people groups in the many fast paced, eclectic aka strife prone, toying churches.

See this Christian (also the secular world) strict mixture subculture. And know that you are in it.

Apostle Paul cautioned the True Church:

2 Timothy 2:24–26 (KJV)

24. And the servant of the Lord must not strive; but be gentle unto all men, apt to teach, patient,

25. In meekness instructing those that oppose themselves; if God peradventure will give them repentance to the acknowledging of the truth;

26. And that they may recover themselves out of the snare of the devil, who are taken captive by him at his will.

God bless you.

Sister Taveau D'Arcy

A.R.T. — Abiding Relationship Theology

EORR — Equal Opportunity REAL Respect