In 2002, Verizon Wireless launched an advertising campaign that featured a “Test Man” who traveled across the United States and who paused in various places to ask, “Can you hear me now?”

Around the same time, author Priscilla Shirer began her own campaign telling us, “God wants to speak directly to each of His beloved children — not to just a few ‘spiritual elite.” It is as if God is saying, “Can you hear Me now?” and Shirer is there in a significant way to help us “hear His voice more clearly.”

Shirer and her writings are presented to believers with a great deal of enthusiastic praise and approval. For example, best-selling author Beth Moore — who calls Shirer her “soul sister in the study of God’s Word” — writes:

“God is all over this young woman. I know of no stronger, clearer voice for our ailing culture. When Christ speaks through her, we do well to sit up straight and listen.”

To that, Pam Case, director of LifeWay Women, adds:

“Priscilla digs deep into Scripture and pulls out life-changing nuggets that bring people to a whole new level of understanding God’s Word and hearing His voice. Who wouldn’t want to hear what our (continues on page 10)