

## Script for Table Topics Master

[Go to the lectern; shake hands with the Toastmaster]

Thank you, Mister/Madam Toastmaster, Fellow Toastmasters, and welcome Guests!

Table Topics enables a member to develop the skills of impromptu speaking. Table Topics help train members to quickly organize and express their thoughts. You can think of the table topic speech as a mini-speech with an opening, a body, and a conclusion. This also provides a speaking opportunity for any member who is not on duty in the meeting agenda. Guests may also participate if they wish.

Each speaker is required to speak for 1 to 2 minutes. Participants are disqualified at 2 minutes, 30 seconds

Each speaker must use the Word of the Day in your speech. Today's Word is \_\_\_\_\_.

[Questions.....]

Mister/Madam Timer, did all of our participants qualify?

Mister/Madam Grammarian, did all of our speakers use the Word of the Day?

Now, take this time to vote for your favorite Table Topics Speaker using the ballots on the tables. (Give a recap of all those who qualified and what they spoke about)

I now return control of the meeting to the Toastmaster.

Mister/Madam Toastmaster

[Shake hands with the Toastmaster; go back to your seat]