

The Wise, The Righteous, and the Humble

Selected Scriptures

"Blessings are on the head of the righteous, but the mouth of the wicked conceals violence." – Proverbs 10:6

"The lips of the righteous know what is acceptable, but the mouth of the wicked, what is perverse." – Proverbs 10:32

"The wicked earns deceptive wages, but one who sows righteousness gets a sure reward." – Proverbs 11:18

"Whoever is righteous has regard for the life of his beast, but the mercy of the wicked is cruel." – Proverbs 12:10

"The righteous hates falsehood, but the wicked brings shame and disgrace." – Proverbs 13:5

"The heart of the righteous ponders how to answer, but the mouth of the wicked pours out evil things." – Proverbs 15:28

"The soul of the wicked desires evil; his neighbor finds no mercy in his eyes." – Proverbs 21:10

"A wicked man puts on a bold face, but the upright gives thought to his ways." – Proverbs 21:19

"An unjust man is an abomination to the righteous, but one whose way is straight is an abomination to the wicked." – Proverbs 29:27

"The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the LORD, but the prayer of the upright is acceptable to him." – Proverbs 15:8

"To do righteousness and justice is more acceptable to the LORD than sacrifice." – Proverbs 21:3

"Those who forsake the law praise the wicked, but those who keep the law strive against them." – Proverbs 28:4

"Where there is no prophetic vision the people cast off restraint, but blessed is he who keeps the law." – Proverbs 29:18

"What the wicked dreads will come upon him, but the desire of the righteous will be granted." – Proverbs 10:24

"The fear of the LORD prolongs life, but the years of the wicked will be short." – Proverbs 10:27

"The righteousness of the blameless keeps his way straight, but the wicked falls by his own wickedness." – Proverbs 11:5

"The LORD does not let the righteous go hungry, but he thwarts the craving of the wicked." – Proverbs 10:3

"No wisdom, no understanding, no counsel can avail against the LORD." – Proverbs 21:30



"The righteous will never be removed, but the wicked will not dwell in the land." – Proverbs 10:30

"The wise of heart will receive commandments, but a babbling fool will come to ruin." – Proverbs 10:8

"The wise lay up knowledge, but the mouth of a fool brings ruin near." – Proverbs 10:14

"The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, but a wise man listens to advice." – Proverbs 12:15

"The discerning sets his face toward wisdom, but the eyes of a fool are on the ends of the earth." – Proverbs 17:24

"The vexation of a fool is known at once, but the prudent ignores an insult." – Proverbs 12:16

"Every prudent man acts with knowledge, but a fool flaunts his folly." – Proverbs 13:16

"The wisdom of the prudent is to discern his way, but the folly of fools is deceiving." – Proverbs 14:8

"The simple believes everything, but the prudent gives thought to his steps." – Proverbs 14:15

"A fool takes no pleasure in understanding, but only in expressing his opinion." – Proverbs 18:2

"A man of quick temper acts foolishly, and a man of evil devices is hated." – Proverbs 14:17 "A tranquil heart gives life to the flesh, but envy makes the bones rot." – Proverbs 14:30

"There is one whose rash words are like sword thrusts, but the tongue of the wise brings healing." – Proverbs 12:18

"He who justifies the wicked and he who condemns the righteous are both alike an abomination to the LORD." – Proverbs 17:15

"The fear of the LORD is instruction in wisdom, and humility comes before honor." – Proverbs 15:33

"Pride goes before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall." – Proverbs 16:18

"The reward for humility and fear of the LORD is riches and honor and life." – Proverbs 22:4

"Everyone who is arrogant in heart is an abomination to the LORD; be assured, he will not go unpunished." – Proverbs 16:5

"Haughty eyes and a proud heart, the lamp of the wicked, are sin." – Proverbs 21:4

"Scoffer" is the name of the arrogant, haughty man who acts with arrogant pride." – Proverbs 21:24

"When a man's folly brings his way to ruin, his heart rages against the Lord." – Proverbs 19:3