



SCRIPTURE: Proverbs 3:5-6; Psalm 78:9-22; 125:1-2 (Isaiah 12:2; Psalm 20:6-8)

KEY VERSE:

Proverbs 3:5-6—Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.

KEY THEMES:

- † The wise person trusts in God rather than in himself
- † God promises to keep us in the way of the wise—to make us strong
—if we trust in Him

THIS WEEK:

Discuss the memory verse with your child. Talk about what it means to “trust in the Lord with all your heart”, to “lean on your own understanding” and “to acknowledge God in all your ways”. Give practical examples of these concepts.

Discuss ways in which we depend on ourselves rather than on God. Help your child to understand how he can trust in God in various areas of his life.

Encourage your child to talk to God about a problem he is having, something that bothers him, something he is concerned about, etc.

Give your child a penny. Point to the inscription at the top (“In God we trust”) and ask him to read it. Suggest to your child that he put the penny in his pocket (or suggest another appropriate location) as a reminder to trust God in all situations.

Help your child with his proverbs reading and memorizing.

Encourage your child to continue putting the proverbs into practice and filling out his charts until they are completed.