



# SPIRITUAL WISDOM

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- He who knows not and knows not that he knows not is ?
- **Fool – leave him**
- He who knows not and knows that he knows not is?
- **Child – teach him**
- He who knows and knows not that he knows is?
- **Asleep – wake him**
- He who knows and knows what he knows is?
- **WISE – FOLLOW HIM**



# WISDOM – WHAT IS IT

- The ability to apply knowledge, experience and good judgement to navigate life's complexities – general
- The ability to manage challenges, learn from mistakes, and adapt to changing circumstances – Practical sense
- Knowledge of God practicalized resulting to a transformed life – Biblical/Godly wisdom
- The ability to apply knowledge, experience and good judgement to navigate spiritual realm complexities – Spiritual wisdom

# BIBLICAL WISDOM - ORIGIN

- Proverbs 9:10: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom,  
And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding
- Psalm 111:10: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;  
A good understanding have all those who do His commandments.  
His praise endures forever

RELATIONSHIP ?

REVERENCE

FAMILIARITY ?

FEAR OF THE LORD IS NOT BEING SCARED OF GOD



# BIBLICAL WISDOM – REVERENCE





# BIBLICAL WISDOM- REVERENCE

He Giveth More Grace - hymn

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He giveth more grace when the burdens grow greater;  
He sendeth more strength when the labors increase;  
To added afflictions  
He addeth His mercy;  
To multiplied trials, His multiplied peace.



## Refrain

His love has no limit;  
His grace has no measure;  
His power has no boundary known unto men.  
For out of His infinite riches in Jesus,  
He giveth, and giveth, and giveth again!

Annie Johnson Flint  
(1866–1932)





# BIBLICAL WISDOM- REVERENCE

- Daughter of Eldon Johnson, Annie was evidently adopted by the Flint family as a young girl. She attended school in Trenton, New Jersey, and became a teacher.
- She developed **severe rheumatoid arthritis** (a progressive, debilitating disease) in her early **20s**.
- Eventually, she became **bedridden**, with twisted limbs and **sores covering her body**.
- She **lost her ability to walk** and lived with **constant nerve pain** for decades.
- Despite this, she wrote **hundreds of poems and hymns**, typing with her knuckles and later dictating when her hands failed

Annie Johnson Flint  
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Sick for 40  
years



TRUSTING IN GOD HOW EVER LIFE TURNS OUT



# BIBLICAL WISDOM- REVERENCE

## **Job 2:10 (NIV)**

*He replied, "You are talking like a foolish woman. Shall we accept good from God, and not trouble?"  
In all this, Job did not sin in what he said*



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# BIBLICAL WISDOM – MAN (GENESIS 2:7)

## Translation

## Text

### ESV (English Standard Version)

*Then the LORD God formed the man of dust from the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a **living creature**.*

### KJV (King James Version)

*And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a **living soul**.*

### NKJV (New King James Version)

*And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a **living being**.*


### NIV (New International Version)

*Then the LORD God formed a man from the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a **living being**.*

### NLT (New Living Translation)

*Then the LORD God formed the man from the dust of the ground. He breathed the breath of life into the man's nostrils, and the man became a **living person**.*

# BIBLICAL WISDOM – MAN (GENESIS 2:7)

Transliteration	Pronunciation
<i>neṣeš</i>	neh'-fesh 
Part of Speech	Root Word (Etymology)
feminine noun	From נֶפֶשׁ (H5314)
Dictionary Aids	
<b>TWOT Reference:</b> 1395a	
KJV Translation Count — Total: 753x	
<b>The KJV translates Strong's H5315 in the following manner:</b> soul (475x), life (117x), person (29x), mind (15x), heart (15x), creature (9x), body (8x), himself (8x), yourselves (6x), dead (5x), will (4x), desire (4x), man (3x), themselves (3x), any (3x), appetite (2x), <i>miscellaneous</i> (47x).	
Outline of Biblical Usage [?]	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. soul, self, life, creature, person, appetite, mind, living being, desire, emotion, passion<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. that which breathes, the breathing substance or being, soul, the inner being of man</li><li>2. living being</li><li>3. living being (with life in the blood)</li><li>4. the man himself, self, person or individual</li><li>5. seat of the appetites</li><li>6. seat of emotions and passions</li><li>7. activity of mind<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. dubious</li></ol></li><li>8. activity of the will<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. dubious</li></ol></li><li>9. activity of the character<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. dubious</li></ol></li></ol></li></ol>	



# BIBLICAL WISDOM – MAN (GENESIS 1:27)

## Translation

**ESV (English Standard Version)**

**KJV (King James Version)**

**NKJV (New King James Version)**

**NIV (New International Version)**

**NLT (New Living Translation)**

## Text

So **God** **created** man in his own **image**, in the **image** of **God** he **created** him; male and female he **created** them.

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

So God created human beings in his own image. In the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

# BIBLICAL WISDOM – MAN (GENESIS 1:27)

God is not a man, that He should lie,  
Nor a son of man, that He should  
repent.  
Has He said, and will He not do?  
Or has He spoken, and will He not make  
it good

John 4:24 (NKJV)

God is Spirit, and those who  
worship Him must worship in  
spirit and truth."

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## Transliteration

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## Pronunciation

tseh'-lem



## Part of Speech

masculine noun

## Root Word (Etymology)

From an unused root meaning to shade

## Dictionary Aids

TWOT Reference: 1923a

## KJV Translation Count — Total: 17x

The KJV translates Strong's H6754 in the following manner: image (16x), vain shew (1x).

## Outline of Biblical Usage [?]

- I. image
  1. images (of tumours, mice, heathen gods)
  2. image, likeness (of resemblance)
  3. mere, empty, image, semblance (fig.)

# BIBLICAL WISDOM – HOLY SPIRIT

## **ACTS 1: 4 – 5 (NKJV) – Holy spirit promised**

<sup>4</sup> And being assembled together with *them*, He commanded them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the Promise of the Father, “which,” *He said*, “you have heard from Me;

<sup>5</sup> for John truly baptized with water, but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now.”

## **ACTS 2: 1 – 4 (NKJV) –Coming of the Holy Spirit**

When the Day of Pentecost had fully come, they were all [a]with one accord in one place.

<sup>2</sup> And suddenly there came a sound from heaven, as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled the whole house where they were sitting.

<sup>3</sup> Then there appeared to them [b]divided tongues, as of fire, and one sat upon each of them.

<sup>4</sup> And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance

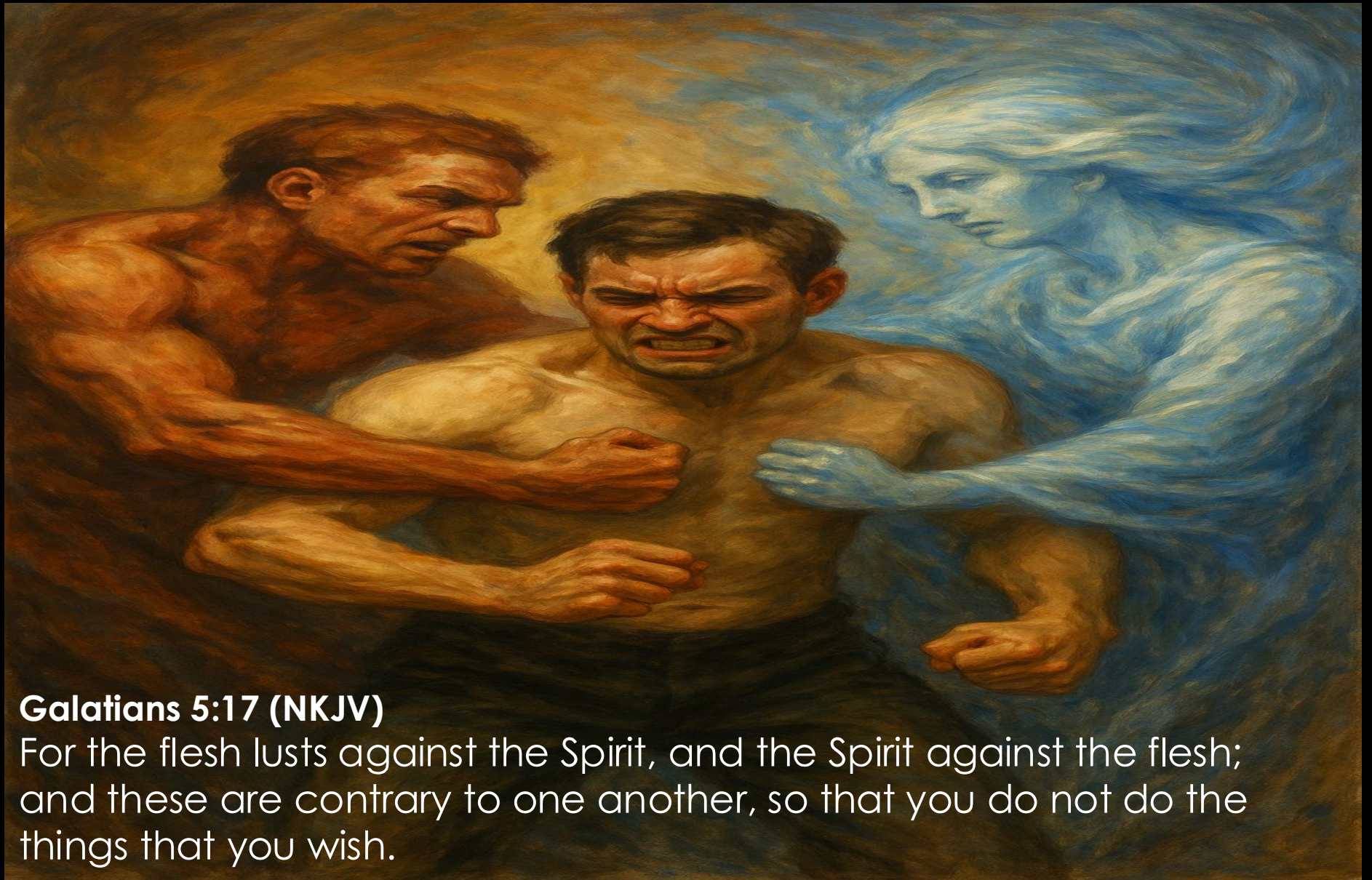


# BIBLICAL WISDOM – COMPLETE GODLY YOU





# BIBLICAL WISDOM – FLESH AND SPIRIT



**Galatians 5:17 (NKJV)**

For the flesh lusts against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary to one another, so that you do not do the things that you wish.



# BIBLICAL WISDOM – FLESH AND SPIRIT



**Galatians 5:24 (NKJV)**

And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires.



# BIBLICAL WISDOM - THOUGHTS

- Crucify the flesh
  - Start with COMMITTED / CONSISTENT daily prayers
  - Daily bible reading – Bible plans are good, Bible Memory app for memorization
  - Take away things gradually that you like but are not godly based on your bible reading lessons
- Reverence
  - I cannot live without God having my back so I will do whatever makes him happy



WHY BIBLICAL WISDOM NOW?

GENERAL WISDOM IS FAILING

# WHY BIBLICAL WISDOM NOW?

SUCCESS · GEN Z

## OpenAI CEO Sam Altman says AI is ready for entry-level jobs—but unbothered Gen Z have made it their new work friend



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AI can already do work equivalent to that of a junior employee, ChatGPT's Sam Altman says. But Gen Z remains unbothered—they're already considering the competition a friend.

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# WHY BIBLICAL WISDOM NOW?

## AI Will Cause Job Losses In The Short Term: Perplexity CEO Aravind Srinivas

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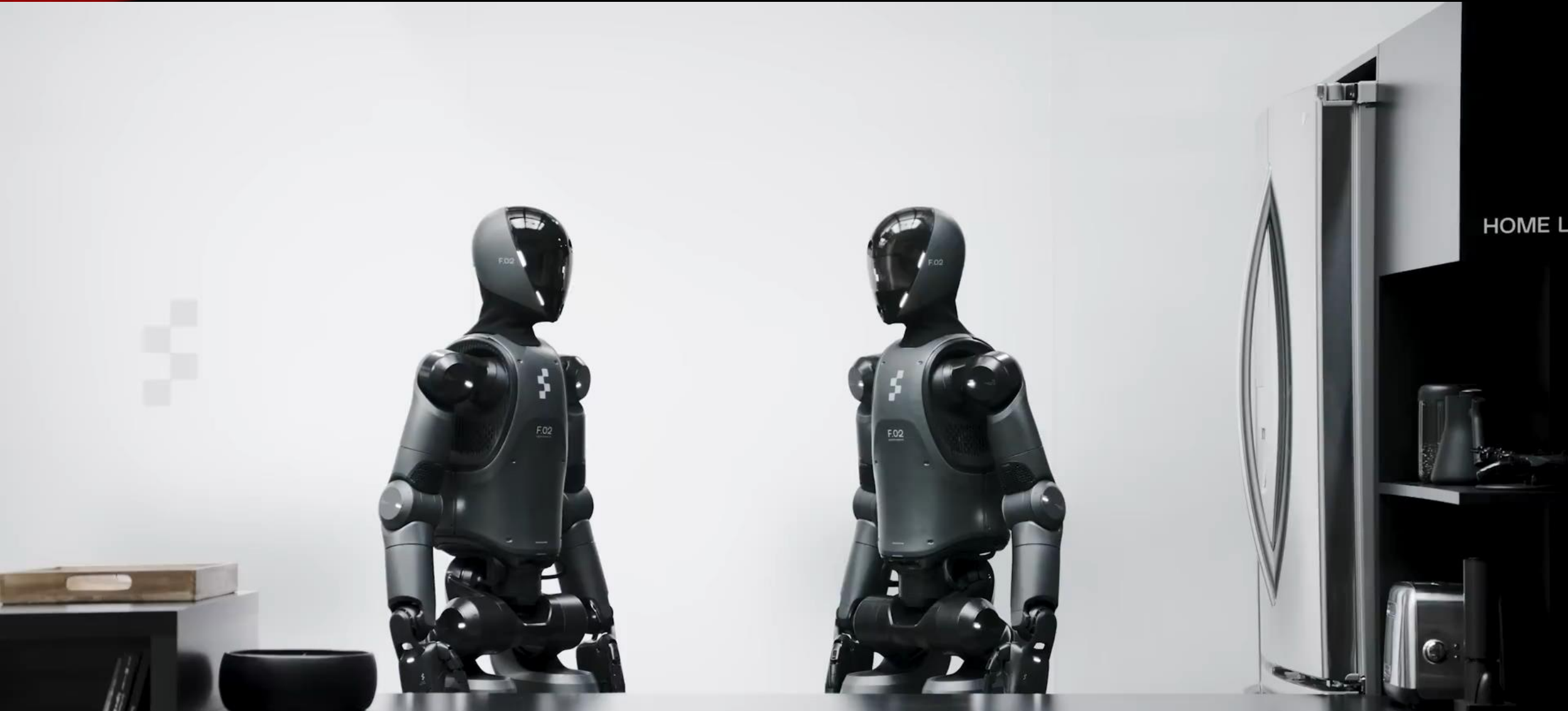
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More and more AI experts seem to believe that AI will cause job losses — at least in the short run.

Recently, Aravind Srinivas, CEO of Perplexity AI, appeared on the [Nikhil Kamath podcast](#). During the conversation, Srinivas shared a somewhat bleak, though realistic, perspective on the short-term impacts of artificial intelligence on the labor market. He predicted significant job displacement, a shrinking need for large workforces even in highly valued companies, and the resulting challenges for new graduates and existing employees alike. His insights, while potentially unsettling, offer a crucial glimpse into the evolving dynamics of the modern workplace.



# WHY BIBLICAL WISDOM NOW?



	Company	Jobs Cut (2025)	Announcement Date	
1	Google (Alphabet)	~300+ (multiple small cuts)	Jan–Apr 2025 (various)	
2	Microsoft	~15,000 (in 3 rounds)	Jan, May & Jul 2025	
3	Meta (Facebook)	~4,000 ( $\approx 5\%$ of staff)	Jan–Feb 2025 (plus Apr)	
4	Amazon	~150 (two small rounds)	Jan & May 2025	
5	IBM	~8,000+	Mar & May 2025	
6	Intel	21,000 ( $\approx 20\%$ of workforce)	Apr 2025	
7	Salesforce	>1,000	mid-2025	
8	Oracle	Up to ~11,000 ( $\approx 7\%$ )*	Mar 2025*	



Jeremiah 29:11 (NKJV)

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you,  
says the LORD,  
thoughts of peace and not of evil,  
to give you a future and a hope.



## Daniel 5:11-12 (NKJV)

<sup>11</sup>. There is a man in your kingdom in whom *is* the Spirit of the Holy God. And in the days of your [a]father, light and understanding and wisdom, like the wisdom of the gods, were found in him; and King Nebuchadnezzar your [b]father—your father the king—made him chief of the magicians, astrologers, Chaldeans, *and* soothsayers.

<sup>12</sup> Inasmuch as an excellent spirit, knowledge, understanding, interpreting dreams, solving riddles, and [c]explaining enigmas were found in this Daniel, whom the king named Belteshazzar, now let Daniel be called, and he will give the interpretation.”

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