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## PROVERBS – GAINING WISDOM AND INSIGHT FOR LIFE (Pt 18) THE WISE OF HEART – COMMITTED - PROVERBS 16

*Proverbs 16:20* – gives thought to the Word – give serious \_\_\_\_\_ to the wise  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the book of Proverbs.

*Proverbs 16:21a* The wise of heart is called discerning: , The wise of heart discerns that  
\_\_\_\_\_ the Lord is the most \_\_\_\_\_ way to live.

### THE WISE OF HEART

#### 1) THE WISE OF HEART RESPONDS APPROPRIATELY TO GOD’S GRACE (Prov 16:6)

THE BELIEVER’S RESPONSE: (Prov 16:6b)

Cultivates a healthy \_\_\_\_\_ of God

Wiling to make \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ life changes

The motive? Simple \_\_\_\_\_ for what Jesus has done (Rom 8:12)

#### 2) THE WISE OF HEART SPEAKS PERSUASIVELY WITH HIS TONGUE (Prov 16:21,23, 27-29)

EXAMPLES OF THE UNWISE TONGUE

- A worthless man starts \_\_\_\_\_ (v27b)
- A dishonest man spreads \_\_\_\_\_ (v28a)
- A gossip separates close \_\_\_\_\_ (v28b)
- A violent man \_\_\_\_\_ others (v29)

JUDICIOUS SPEECH (Prov 16:21,23: 10:19)

One who chooses his \_\_\_\_\_ carefully

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**PERSUASIVE WORDS (Prov 16:21,23)**

Words of \_\_\_\_\_

Man gives a \_\_\_\_\_

Only God can give \_\_\_\_\_

**3) THE WISE OF HEART COMMITS HIMSELF TOTALLY TO JESUS CHRIST**

*(Prov 16:3)*

*Your Plans* – comes from the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ and the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_ *(Is 30:1,2)*

*Your Works* – depends upon the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_

The Work of \_\_\_\_\_

The Work of \_\_\_\_\_

The Work of being a \_\_\_\_\_ man, woman

**WHAT DOES COMMITMENT MEAN?**

- I have no other \_\_\_\_\_
- I remove all other \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

**2 Chronicles 16:9**

Blameless – not \_\_\_\_\_, but \_\_\_\_\_

*NLT* – \_\_\_\_\_

*NKJ* – fully \_\_\_\_\_

*the eyes of the LORD run to and fro* – (Implies) totally committed believers are \_\_\_\_\_ to find!