

# GATHRING INSIGHTS

SERIES: **Proverbs: Walking in Wisdom**

TITLE: **Seeking Wisdom**

BIG IDEA: Wisdom isn't something that finds us. We must seek both the Lord and wisdom as hidden treasures.

## BIBLE DISCUSSION

Read 1 Kings 4:29-32

Why is wisdom such a powerful gift? How does King Solomon benefit from the

Wisdom that is given to him from God?

Read Proverbs 1

What is your major take away on wisdom from Chapter 1?

How does the fear of the Lord help us find wisdom? What is the description of a fool?

How do you apply Proverbs 1 in making decisions? How does Proverbs push back against "follow your heart" culture?

What is ultimately the only way to become wise?

Read Proverbs 2

Why do you think we see King Solomon give the advice to treat wisdom as a bury treasure? What does he say we should do if we desire to find wisdom?

Who gives wisdom? How is wisdom given out to those who seek it? What are the benefits of seeking wisdom?

At the end of Proverbs 2, we see a path of wisdom described. What is on that path and what do those who fail to stay on the path receive?

## GROWING IN CHRIST

How did Jesus model wisdom and the power of discernment? What can you learn in the example of Jesus in the wisdom he modeled?

How do you see the connection to King Solomon writing to his son, and the connection of God the Father bestowing wisdom on God the Son?

How has living as a family helped you in gaining wisdom and applying wisdom?

How does being in Community help on staying on the path of wisdom and staying off the path of foolishness?

Why are fools characterized as those who despise correction and instruction?

How is the way we make wise choices different from the way someone who isn't a Christ follower would make choices?

How does our fear of the Lord produce a wisdom that those who don't know him would desire to have?

## LIVING AS A FAMILY

## SHARING THE GOSPEL