

Wisdom for Dummies
“Cause and Effect”
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Ask a wise question: Will this choice add to _____ or subtract from _____ my life's purpose?

Will this choice take me further _____ along the path God has for me?

- In light of my past _____, present _____, future _____.

Wisdom is a walk _____.

A proverb is not a promise _____.

2 Themes from Proverbs:

≅ The Heart _____

Proverbs draws a cause and effect relationship between the condition _____ of the heart and how we live life _____.

Proverbs 27:19, “As water reflects the face, so one's life reflects the heart.”

Proverbs 4:23, “Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.”

Mathew 12:34, “For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks.”

Proverbs 20:5, “The purposes of a man's heart are deep waters, but those who have understanding draw them out.”

Wisdom dictates that the only “normal” _____ we compare against is Jesus _____.

Proverbs 1:7; 9:10

≅ The Fear of God _____

Wisdom begins with a correct view of God _____. Therefore, Proverbs draws a cause and effect relationship between our concept _____ of God and how we live life _____.

Proverbs 1:29-31; 14:16; 29:25

Revelation 14:1-7 (page) - **just show the reference.**

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