

**Wisdom for Dummies**  
**“The Wise Question”**  
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Knowledge and Wisdom

Knowledge is obtaining facts and true statements regarding our reality and life.

Knowledge is principles. Wisdom is practice.

Knowledge is listening and learning. Wisdom is applying and understanding.

Knowledge comes quickly. Wisdom comes slowly.

Wisdom produces humility.

Ephesians 5:16-17

Careful = be on the lookout.

Ask a wise question: Will this choice add to or subtract from my life's purpose?

Will choice take me farther along the path God as for me? What is the wise thing for me to do?

Ask it from three perspectives:

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

“He who trusts in his own heart is a fool, but he who walks wisely will be delivered.”  
(Proverbs 28:26)