

How does the fool show himself to be foolish? (10:3)

- The fool...gets angry too quickly and quits too early! (10:4)
- The fool...elevates, honors and follows the wrong kinds of people in life. (10:5-7; 9:14ff)
- The fool...doesn't consider the risks and consequences of his actions. (10:8-9)
- The fool...fails to prepare adequately for the basic tasks in life. (10:10; 10:15)
- The fool...speaks too much when he ought to be listening. (10:11-14)
- The fool...rarely acts in responsible ways about the duties of life. (10:16-19)
- The fool...curses incompetent authorities without considering the repercussions it may have. (10:20; Ex. 22:28)

The wisdom we need (is)...

- 1. Comes from God (James 1:5-8)
- 2. Found in scripture (Psalm 119:98-100)
- 3. Imparted through relationships (Proverbs 13:20)
- 4. Learned by Experience