Walking in Wisdom
Week three - *"Wise in Conflict"*
Proverbs 15:1, 21:2 and Proverbs 11:14
Bottom line: Conflict is unavoidable, but it doesn't have to be our undoing.

1. Where do you fall on the confrontational spectrum between avoiding and embracing?
2. How was conflict handled in your family as you grew up? How did it form how you handle conflict now?
3. If we look at relationships in the three stages outlined by Rich Villodas (heavenly state, hellish stage, holding tension stage), can you think of relationships you've had that didn't make it past the hellish stage? How did the relationships that made it to the holding tension stage get there?
4. How can you actively gain a calm presence in the midst of conflict?
5. What are some questions you could ask yourself or others to help you remain humble in conflict?
6. Who are some people you can seek advice and wisdom from in moments of conflict to help you gain perspective?
7. What does it mean that wisdom requires a different pace? How can you work on living at the pace of wisdom?