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Wisdom makes you successful

Proverbs 9:10-11

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- **Until 1900, human knowledge doubled approximately every century.**
- **By the end of World War II knowledge was doubling every 25 years.**
- **Now on average human knowledge is doubling every 13 months.**
- **According to IBM, the build out of the “internet of things” will lead to the doubling of knowledge every 12 hours.**

“Knowledge without wisdom is a load of books on the back of an ass.”

Japanese Proverb

- **Two hundred years after the American Revolution, America is still governed by its first Constitution.**
- **We are now the longest-running constitutional republic in the history of the world.**
- **France has had eight constitutions in the same 200 years.**
- **Italy has had 54 constitutions in 200 years.**
- **Why have we survived so long? It is because our founding fathers built our Constitution according to a set of ideals that are unparalleled in the history of the world.**

***“The philosophy of the school room in one generation
will be the philosophy of government in the next.”***

President Abraham Lincoln

Wisdom is the appropriate application of knowledge

**“Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit;
Wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.”**

**Professional Rugby Star
Brian O’Driscoll**

Ecclesiastes 10:10

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**If the ax is dull,
And one does not sharpen the edge,
Then he must use more strength;
But wisdom brings success.**

Proverbs 4:7 New King James Version

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Wisdom is the principal thing;

Therefore get wisdom.

And in all your getting, get understanding.

**“Compassion without knowledge is ineffective;
knowledge without compassion is inhuman.”**

**Theoretical Physicist
Victor Frederick Weisskopf**

Acts 6:3

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3 Brothers and sisters, choose seven men from among you who are known to be full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will turn this responsibility over to them

Acts 6:8-10

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Stephen Seized

8 Now Stephen, a man full of God's grace and power, performed great wonders and signs among the people. **9** Opposition arose, however, from members of the Synagogue of the Freedmen (as it was called)—Jews of Cyrene and Alexandria as well as the provinces of Cilicia and Asia—who began to argue with Stephen. **10** But they could not stand up against the wisdom the Spirit gave him as he spoke.

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Respect God.

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“But be sure to fear the Lord and serve him faithfully with all your heart; consider what great things he has done for you.”

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James 1:5

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1 Samuel 12:24

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