

*Wisdom from the earth's wisest man*Review:

- God's plan for your life is personal, specific, and good
- To know more of God's will for your life, you must first be faithful to what He has revealed to you.

1. Solomon was the wisest human to live

- a. Source of Solomon's wisdom (1 Kings 3:10-12)
- b. Example of Solomon's wisdom (1 Kings 3:16-28)
- c. Queen of Sheba's response (1 Kings 10:6-7)

2. Solomon's three rules for knowing God's will (Proverbs 3:5-6)

- a. "Trust in the LORD with all your heart"
  - "trust" = to have confidence in, security
  - "with all your heart" = all of your mind, will and understanding, all in
- b. "do not lean on your own understanding."
  - "lean" = to support oneself, lean upon
  - "understanding" = discernment, what I know
- c. "In all your ways acknowledge him"
  - "your ways" = journey, course of life
  - "acknowledge" = to make known and to know by experience

Talking Points:

- a. Which rule do you think would be the hardest to follow? Why?
- b. How do we stop resting in our own knowledge and trust in God's?
- c. How do we acknowledge God in our course of life?
- d. When you learn to trust and acknowledge God with everything in life, He has promised to "make your paths straight". Literally he will make your path of life straightforward, agreeable, and pleasing to Him. How does this reflect Psalm 119:105?