



Proverbs 14:12 There is a way that seems _____
to a man but in the end it leads to death.

The word *discern* and its derivatives are translations of the Greek word *anahrino* in the New Testament. It means “to distinguish, to separate out by diligent search, to examine.”

_____ protects us from false teachings and view situations through the correct lens.

Gen 13: *In v. 10 Lot is said to have looked to the most fertile region—a place reminiscent of “the _____, like the land of Egypt*

Though beautiful from a landscaping point of view, these cities were filled with the vilest of men, for they “were wicked exceedingly and sinners against the Lord” (v. 13).

Lot saw this decision as only an exercise of financial stewardship. A practice of _____ would have taken time to explore impact on his family.

Discernment starts with a _____
_____ and _____.