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Wisdom Definition

Wisdom is doing the right thing for the given situation by understanding God's principles and knowing how and when to apply them

1 Kings 3

9 "Now, O Lord my God, give Your servant an understanding heart to discern between good and evil." 10 It was pleasing in the sight of the Lord that Solomon had asked this thing. 11 God said to him, "Because you have asked this thing and have not asked for yourself long life, nor riches for yourself, but have asked for discernment, 12 behold, I give you a wise and discerning heart."

Proverbs 10:4 (NLT)

Lazy people are soon poor; hard workers get rich.

Proverbs 13:4 (NLT)

No matter how much you want, laziness won't help a bit, but hard work will reward you with more than enough.

Proverbs 11:1

A false balance is an abomination to the Lord, but a just weight is His delight.

Proverbs 11:26

He who withholds grain, the people will curse him, but blessing will be on the head of him who sells it.

Proverbs 11:18

The wicked earns deceptive wages, but he who sows righteousness gets a true reward.

Proverbs 30:9 (NCV)

If I have too much money, I might reject You and say, 'I don't know the Lord.'

Proverbs 18:11

A rich man's wealth is his strong city, and like a high wall in his own imagination.

Temptations of Money

- Dishonesty
- Selfishness
- Pride
- Identity
- Security

Proverbs 11:25

The generous man will be prosperous, and he who waters will himself be watered.

Proverbs 11:24 (NIV)

One person gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty.