

The Road Less Traveled

Godly Wisdom: Our Compass at the Crossroads of Life

Pt. 1 The Value of True Wisdom

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1. True \_\_\_\_\_ comes from \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 111:10 (NLT), "Fear of the Lord is the foundation of true wisdom. All who obey his commandments will grow in wisdom."

1 Corinthians 1:20 (NLT), "So where does this leave the philosophers, the scholars, and the world's brilliant debaters? God has made the wisdom of this world look foolish."

2. Our \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_.

Proverbs 4:7, "Wisdom is supreme, so above all, get wisdom. Though it cost all you have, get understanding."

1 Kings 3:12-14 (NLT), "I will give you what you asked for! I will give you a wise and understanding heart such as no one else has had or ever will have! And I will also give you what you did not ask for – riches and fame! No other king in all the world will be compared to you for the rest of your life! And if you follow me and obey my decrees and my commands as your father, David, did, I will give you a long life."

Jeremiah 6:16 (NIV), "This is what the Lord says: 'Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls.'"

3. \_\_\_\_\_ firm in your \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 37:7 (NIV), "Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him; do not fret when people succeed in their ways, when they carry out their wicked schemes."

Isaiah 40:31 (NASB), "Yet those who wait for the Lord will gain new strength; They will mount up with wings like eagles. They will run and not get tired. They will walk and not become weary."

4. \_\_\_\_\_ at what God is \_\_\_\_\_.

Psalm 66:5 (NLT), "Come and see what our God has done, what awesome miracles he performs for people!"

Colossians 2:3 (NLT), "In Christ are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge."

5. \_\_\_\_\_ for godly \_\_\_\_\_.

James 1:5-7 (NIV), "If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord."

Proverbs 15:31-32 (NLT), "If you listen to constructive criticism, you will be at home among the wise. If you reject discipline, you only harm yourself; but if you listen to correction, you grow in understanding."

6. \_\_\_\_\_ in the ways of godly \_\_\_\_\_.

Proverbs 28:26 (NLT), "Those who trust their own insight are foolish, but anyone who walks in wisdom is safe."

Proverbs 4:10-13 (NLT), "My child, listen to me and do as I say, and you will have a long, good life. I will teach you wisdom's ways and lead you in straight paths. When you walk, you won't be held back; when you run, you won't stumble. Take hold of my instructions; don't let them go. Guard them, for they are the key to life."

7. \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 11:28-30 (NIV), "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light."

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