

Morning Star Las Cruces 2025 Discussion Questions

November 2, 2025 Series: The Big Idea Title: Wisdom Text: Proverbs 9:1–6, 10
1. Name someone in your life whom you consider to be wise. What makes their wisdom stand out? Is it their words, their choices, their attitude?
2. When you need guidance, where do you tend to look first? Do you turn to experience, intuition, faith, community or something else?
3. What stood out to you in the message titled "The Big Idea: Wisdom?" Did a story, phrase or idea shift how you think about what it means to live wisely?
4. Read Proverbs 9:1-6, 10. What images or words capture your attention? What might it mean that Wisdom "has built her house" and invites everyone to her table?

5. Proverbs 9:10 says, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom." How might we understand "fear" here as awe, reverence, or wonder rather than fright? How does that adjustment affect the meaning of the statement?
6. Wisdom's invitation sounds inclusive and generous. How might <i>accepting</i> that invitation change the way we relate to others in our families, workplaces or church community?
7. Read James 3:13-18. How does James describe "wisdom from above?" In what ways does this idea differ from the kind of "wisdom" our culture often celebrates?
8. Read Matthew 7:24-27. Jesus compares those who listen to his words to wise builders. How does this teaching connect to Proverbs' vision of wisdom as something solid and life-giving?
9. Where do you sense God inviting you to live with more wisdom right now? Maybe in your decisions, your relationships, your sense of purpose? What might that look like this week?
10. How might your group pray for you as you seek to walk in God's wisdom with love and mercy?