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The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, “Look, a glutton and a wine-bibber, a friend of tax collectors and sinners!” But wisdom is justified by her children.

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# Wisdom's Children



# Psalm 1:1-3

How blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked, nor stand in the path of sinners, nor sit in the seat of scoffers. But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and in His law he meditates day and night. He will be like a tree firmly planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither, and in whatever he does, he prospers.

# We need to be Wisdom's Children.

1. Get into the Word of God.
2. Find out how **He says** to do life.
3. Do it.
4. Watch our lives prove out His wisdom.

**5 Principles  
Wisdom's Children  
Live By**

# 1. Principle of Right Choices

- Deut. 30:19 – This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live.
- Jer. 17:9 – The heart is deceitful above all things.
- Prov. 28:26 – Whoever trusts in his own mind is a fool, but he who walks in wisdom will be delivered.
- Proverbs 22:3 – The prudent see danger and take refuge, but the simple keep going and pay the penalty.

## 2. Principle of Hard Work

- Proverbs 14:23 – All hard work brings a profit, but mere talk leads only to poverty.
- Ephesians 6:6 – Work hard, but not just to please your masters when they are watching. As slaves of Christ, do the will of God with all your heart. Work with enthusiasm, as though you were working for the Lord rather than for people.

# 3. Principle of Anticipation

- We should anticipate things in life.
- Proverbs 21:5 – Good planning and hard work lead to prosperity, but hasty shortcuts lead to poverty.

# 4. Principle of Right Friends

- Proverbs 17:17 – A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.
- Proverbs 12:26 – The godly give good advice to their friends; the wicked lead them astray.
- Proverbs 13:20 – He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will suffer harm.

# 5. Principle of Seasons

- Proverbs 10:5 – He who gathers in summer is a son who acts wisely. But he who sleeps in harvest is a son who acts shamefully.
- Our lives are seasonal.

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