

## **Wise Words Part 1**

### **Bible Study**

#### **Day 1: The Source of Jesus' Words**

**Scriptures:** John 12:49-50, John 14:10-11

#### **Reflection Questions:**

1. Where do Jesus' words come from?
2. How does Jesus access his Father's words?
3. What does it look like for you to be in God and for God to be in you, as Jesus described?
4. This week, how can you open yourself to God's Spirit within you so that He may control your words?

#### **Day 2: Jesus and the Woman Caught in Adultery**

**Scripture:** John 8:1-11

#### **Reflection Questions:**

1. How did Jesus' calm response de-escalate the situation and prevent potential violence?
2. What does Jesus' statement, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her," teach us about compassion and judgment?
3. How did Jesus show mercy to the woman without condoning sin?
4. How can you show similar mercy and understanding when dealing with others' faults and mistakes?

#### **Day 3: Jesus and Paying Taxes to Caesar**

**Scripture:** Matthew 22:15-22

#### **Reflection Questions:**

1. How did Jesus' wise and calm response reveal His deep understanding?
2. What lessons can we draw from Jesus about handling difficult questions and traps with wisdom and composure?
3. How can you practice speaking with wisdom and calmness in situations where you might feel cornered or challenged?

#### **Day 4: Jesus Before Pilate**

**Scripture:** John 18:28-38

#### **Reflection Questions:**

1. How did Jesus' calm demeanor and wise words during His trial before Pilate demonstrate His inner peace and authority?
2. What can we learn from Jesus about speaking with wisdom under pressure or false accusations?
3. How can you practice staying calm and speaking wisely when facing unjust situations or criticism?