

Word to the Wise: Decisions

Life Steps | September 22 & 23, 2018

Monday

Proverbs 3:1-4

Why does Wisdom remind us to not forget her teaching and keep her commands in our hearts? What does love and faithfulness have to do with wisdom in our decision making? What would God's favor look like in your pending crucial decisions? Pray for wisdom as needed.

Tuesday

Proverbs 3:5-8

What are some of the outward signs that reveal someone is trusting in God? (Jeremiah 9:23-24) Why do you think Solomon advises against leaning on our own understanding in decision making? What does it mean to submit to God? (I Chronicles 28:9)

Wednesday

Proverbs 2:1-6

Identify the most crucial decisions you are currently facing. Spend the rest of your quiet time formally inviting God into your decision making process. Journal your prayer, detailing out to God why you need his wisdom.

Thursday

Proverbs 18:13 | 19:2 | 21:5 | 25:8 | 28:20

What does wisdom say are the consequences of hasty decisions? Have you ever experienced any of these outcomes when making a hasty decision? Are you generally too hasty, slow or just right when it comes to critical decision making? Identify an appropriate time frame for each decision you identified on Wednesday.

Friday

Proverbs 14:14,29 | 15:1,18 | 19:19

What does wisdom say are the consequences of anger infused decisions? Would your family or friends say you are an angry person, why or why not? Is there someone in your life from whom you need to distance yourself because of abusive anger? If so, what is your first action step? Pray for wisdom to speak well into the lives of angry people.

Saturday

Proverbs 3:3-5

God's wise guidance will always be consistent with his written word. Review your pending critical decisions and then search for relative biblical passages, using a concordance or a bible app. Write in your journal the verse or verses that most speak wisdom into your current decisions.

Sunday

Romans 8:6 | Proverbs 11:14 | 15:22 | 24:6

Practice the life and peace test we learned last Sunday. Considering all the scriptures read and journal entries made, what are the conclusions to your pending decisions where you most feel life and peace? Who are you going to invite to speak into your leanings?