



“Get skillful and godly Wisdom, get understanding (discernment, comprehension, and interpretation); do not forget and do not turn back from the words of my mouth.

The beginning of Wisdom is: get Wisdom (skillful and godly Wisdom)! [For skillful and godly Wisdom is the principal thing.] And with all you have gotten, get understanding (discernment, comprehension, and interpretation).

The reverent and worshipful fear of the Lord is the beginning (the chief and choice part) of Wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight and understanding.” - Proverbs 4:5, 7; 9:10 (AMPC)

Who might you become when you are full-grown and mature in spirit, soul, and body?

When we are “in Christ Jesus,” there are no limits to who we may become and what we may achieve.

What you believe about God and what you believe about you determine the significance of your life.

It is impossible to understand that which you do not believe. You can never exceed the limits of your faith.

Wisdom, knowledge, and understanding are the absolutes in building a spiritual life.

The greatest wisdom from scripture is found in the skill of living well or living a significant life.

True life wisdom is to perceive the nature of this world as created by God and to live in accord with it.

Tune in to God’s frequency for life and live in that frequency.

Spiritual wisdom simplifies life because it reveals life from God’s perspective. It is by spiritual wisdom that our heart can see.

Wisdom is a lifelong pursuit. It is only acquired by humility.

Wisdom brings wholeness into life. Integrity and wisdom go hand-in-hand.

The first principle of Biblical wisdom is to humble oneself before God in reverence and worship.

Wisdom is Solomon’s number one theme in Proverbs, more than 54 verses speak of wisdom.

In all, the Bible uses this word more than 230 times.

- Proverbs
- 1:2 – *To know wisdom and instruction...*
 - 2:2 – *Make your ear attentive to wisdom...*
 - 2:6 – *For the Lord gives wisdom...*
 - 2:10 – *For wisdom will enter your heart...*
 - 3:13 – *How blessed is the man who finds wisdom...*
 - 3:19 – *The Lord by wisdom founded the Earth...*
 - 4:5 – *Acquire wisdom...*
 - 4:7 – *The beginning of wisdom is: acquire wisdom...*
 - 9:10 – *The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom...*
 - 10:31 – *The mouth of the righteous flows with wisdom...*
 - 24:3 – *By wisdom a house is built...*

Wisdom is living life in the light of the revelation of God’s will in His Word and applying that knowledge to specific situations.

Wisdom is –

- insight into the true nature of things.
- the power of right reasoning and forming right decisions.
- the ability to judge correctly and to follow the best course of action.
- mental and moral excellence in its highest and fullest sense.
- the art of being successful of forming the correct plan to gain the desired results.
- the ability to discern and conform to God's will.

There are four Hebrew letters which form the word wisdom.

“Chet” is the picture of a private sanctuary, a secure, hidden place of protection.

Wisdom comes from a private sanctuary, a hidden, protected place; from God in Heaven.

“Kaf” is the picture of a hand, and it means to cover or to uncover.

Wisdom can be covered and withheld or uncovered and revealed. Atonement for our sins.

“Mem” can mean waters, living waters, or waters of destruction; Jesus Christ.

Wisdom comes from above and brings life.

“Tau” is a picture of a crossed stick and can mean a cross, a sign or a covenant.

Wisdom is Jesus Who took on human flesh and gave Himself on a cross to give us a covenant of salvation.

Colossians 2:3 (AMPC) – “In Him all the treasures of [divine] wisdom (comprehensive insight into the ways and purposes of God) and [all the riches of spiritual] knowledge and enlightenment are stored up and lie hidden.”

As Jesus lives within us, we obtain the skill, expertise, competence that understands how life really works.

We are given insight by wisdom into the true nature of things. This wisdom treasure is placed inside of our spirit by the Holy Spirit Himself.

The secret of civilization is the soul of man. Behind government is the person and behind the person is the soul, and the one question of the soul is the lifewithin it.

The wisdom of Jesus is spiritual instinct with energy alive with power. His words and teaching are spirit and life, filled with His wisdom.

That wisdom becomes within us a fiery passion that transforms us and creates a zeal and compulsion to transform our world.

Our wisdom increases as we commune with Him in His Word and by His Spirit.

The world takes notice as they observe the skill we possess in living life day by day through the law of wisdom.

Discussion Questions:

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