
Proverbs
Seek Wisdom
Find Life



Jesus Christ, the Wisdom of God

Wisdom Defined

Wisdom is the knowledge and the ability to make the right choices at the opportune time.

Wisdom is an understanding of the principles which control and direct human living to its highest and best level.

Wisdom is the ability to make godly choices in life.



The Wisdom of God in Christ

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1 Corinthians 1:20-25

20 Where is the wise man? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of
this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? 21 For since
in the wisdom of God the world through its wisdom did not *come to* know
God, God was well-pleased through the foolishness of the message
preached to save those who believe. 22 For indeed Jews ask for signs and
Greeks search for wisdom; 23 but we preach Christ crucified, to Jews a
stumbling block and to Gentiles foolishness, 24 but to those who are the
called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom
of God. 25 Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the
weakness of God is stronger than men



1 Corinthians 1:30

But by His doing you are in Christ Jesus,
who became to us wisdom from God,
and righteousness and sanctification
and redemption



Jesus is called the Wisdom of God

Matthew 23:34

Therefore, behold, I am sending you prophets and wise men and scribes; some of them you will kill and crucify, and some of them you will scourge in your synagogues, and persecute from city to city,

Luke 11:49

For this reason also the wisdom of God said, ‘I will send to them prophets and apostles, and *some* of them they will kill and *some* they will persecute,



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Proverbs 8:22-31

8:22 “The Lord possessed me at the beginning of His way,
Before His works of old.
23 “From everlasting I was established,
From the beginning, from the earliest times of the earth.
24 “When there were no depths I was brought forth,
When there were no springs abounding with water.
25 “Before the mountains were settled,
Before the hills I was brought forth;
26 While He had not yet made the earth and the fields,
Nor the first dust of the world.



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[27] "When He established the heavens, I was there,
When He inscribed a circle on the face of the deep,
[28] When He made firm the skies above,
When the springs of the deep became fixed,
[29] When He set for the sea its boundary
So that the water would not transgress His command,
When He marked out the foundations of the earth;
[30] Then I was beside Him, *as* a master workman;
And I was daily *His* delight,
Rejoicing always before Him,
[31] Rejoicing in the world, His earth,
And *having* my delight in the sons of men.



John 1:1-3

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word
was with God, and the Word was God. [2] He was in the
beginning with God. [3] All things came into being
through Him, and apart from Him nothing came into
being that has come into being.



Colossians 1:16-18

16 For by Him all things were created, *both* in the
heavens and on earth, visible and invisible,
whether thrones or dominions or rulers or
authorities—all things have been created through
Him and for Him. 17 He is before all things, and in
Him all things hold together. 18 He is also head of the
body, the church; and He is the beginning, the
firstborn from the dead, so that He Himself will come
to have first place in everything.



Proverbs 8:32-36

32 “Now therefore, *O* sons, listen to me,
For blessed are they who keep my ways.
33 “Heed instruction and be wise,
And do not neglect *it*.
34 “Blessed is the man who listens to me,
Watching daily at my gates,
Waiting at my doorposts.
35 “**For he who finds me finds life**
And obtains favor from the Lord.
36 “But he who sins against me injures himself;
All those who hate me love death.”



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1. Jesus and Satan.

Matthew 4:1-11

Jesus was tempted 3 times

Each time His response was,

It is written…

- Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word out of the mouth of God.
- You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.
- You shall worship the Lord your God, and serve Him only.



2. Jesus and the Religious Leaders

Luke 20:1-4

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Matthew 22:15-22

Jesus asked about the Poll Tax



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Matthew 22:23-33

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John 8:1-10

Jesus asked about the Woman Caught in Adultery



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Mark 10:35-45

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Luke 24:13-27

Jesus teaching the disciples on the road to Emmaus



Proverbs 18:24

A man of *too many* friends *comes* to ruin,
But there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.



Proverbs 30:2-6

2 Surely I am more stupid than any man,
And I do not have the understanding of a man.
3 Neither have I learned wisdom,
Nor do I have the knowledge of the Holy One.
4 Who has ascended into heaven and descended?
Who has gathered the wind in His fists?
Who has wrapped the waters in His garment?
Who has established all the ends of the earth?
What is His name or His son's name?
Surely you know!
5 Every word of God is tested;
He is a shield to those who take refuge in Him.
6 Do not add to His words
Or He will reprove you, and you will be proved a liar.



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Matt. 6:34 – Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.



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Luke 7:35 -But wisdom is proved right by all her children.



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Matthew 12:38-42

38 Then some of the scribes and Pharisees said to Him, “Teacher, we want to see a sign from You.” 39 But He answered and said to them, “An evil and adulterous generation craves for a sign; and *yet* no sign will be given to it but the sign of Jonah the prophet; …and behold, something greater than Jonah is here. 42 *The* Queen of *the* South will rise up with this generation at the judgment and will condemn it, because she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and behold, **something greater than Solomon is here.**



John 3:16-18

16 “For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten
that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal
17 For God did not send the Son into the world to judge the wo
but that the world might be saved through Him. 18 He who be
in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged
already, because he has not believed in the name of the only
begotten Son of God.



John 3:36

He who believes in the Son has eternal life;
but he who does not obey the Son shall not
see life, but the wrath of God abides on him.



John 14:6

Jesus said to him, I am
the way,
the truth
and the life;
no one comes to the Father, but through Me.



Romans 12:2

And do not be conformed to this world,
but be transformed by the renewing of
your mind, so that you may prove what
the will of God is, that which is good
and acceptable and perfect.





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