

Decisions
Mentoring Conversation Sheet

1. What does the repeating line in the song, "All of your decisions affect just how you living," mean to you?
2. From the song, what are some important decisions that youth have to make?
3. What is your list of important decisions that youth have to make?
4. When did you choose to make a right decision? What was it? How did it affect your life? How did it affect somebody else's life?
5. When did you choose to make a wrong decision? What was it? How did it affect your life? How did it affect somebody else's life?
6. Did you learn from this wrong decision? What did you learn? Have you changed from what you learned? How?
7. Can you learn from the bad decisions of other people?
8. What bad decisions do you see other people making?
9. How will you avoid making the same mistakes?
10. What are some decisions you are making now that you need to change?
11. What do you think are the most important decisions in life to make?
12. How will you make sure you make the right choice with these most important decisions?
13. Who can help you make the right decisions in life? Who will help you make the wrong decisions?
14. What does God say about making the right decisions? Read the verses on the Bible Verse Sheet and find out.

Bible Verse Sheet Decisions

Deuteronomy 30:19-20

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 and that you may love the Lord your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the Lord is your life, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

If you choose to follow God's ways, what does God promise you?
If you choose not to follow God's ways, what will be the result?

Galatians 6:7-8

Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Whoever sows to please their flesh, from the flesh will reap destruction; whoever sows to please the Spirit, from the Spirit will reap eternal life.

What does it mean that you will reap what you sow?
What are you sowing? What are you reaping?

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

James 1:5

If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you.

When making a decision, what should you do to get wisdom for that decision?

Proverbs 15:22

Plans fail for lack of counsel, but with many advisers they succeed.

Do you seek advice for your decisions?
Who should you seek advice from?

1 Corinthians 15:33

Do not be misled: "Bad company corrupts good character."

Proverbs 13:20

Walk with the wise and become wise, for a companion of fools suffers harm.

How can the people you hang around affect the decisions you make?
Who are you hanging around?