



DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

PROVERBS

GOD'S WISDOM FOR EVERYDAY LIFE

Week 1 – Wisdom Journey

Monday

Proverbs 1:7 (CSB)

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and discipline.

What does it mean to fear the Lord?

Truth: The fear of the Lord is the foundation of true knowledge, marked by reverence and awe for God’s holiness. Jesus modeled this perfectly by living in complete submission to the Father, honoring Him in every word and action. Even in Gethsemane, Jesus showed holy fear by yielding to God’s will over His own. We can live this out by approaching God with humility, recognizing His authority in our decisions and desires.

Live It Out: Let us seek wisdom by honoring God above all, letting His truth shape our hearts and choices.

Prayer: Lord, teach us to fear You rightly, with reverence and love. Help us walk in wisdom that begins with honoring You.

TUESDAY

Proverbs 3:5–6 (CSB)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own understanding; in all your ways know him, and he will make your paths straight.

Trusting God in the journey

Truth: Trusting in the Lord means surrendering our understanding and allowing Him to direct our paths. Jesus trusted the Father completely, even when the road led to the cross. He showed us that faith is not about ease but obedience, even in uncertainty. We can live this out by releasing control and seeking God’s guidance in prayer and Scripture.

Live It Out: Let us lean not on our own wisdom, but trust that God is leading us with purpose.

Prayer: Father, help us to trust You fully. Guide our steps and give us peace in the journey.

Wednesday

Proverbs 9:10 (CSB)

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

Truth: True wisdom starts with a deep reverence for God and a desire to know Him. Jesus embodied this wisdom, always seeking the Father's will and teaching others to do the same. His life was a constant invitation to know God intimately and walk in truth. We live this out by prioritizing time with God, listening to His voice above the noise.

Live It Out: Let our pursuit of wisdom begin with worship and deepen through relationship.

Prayer: God, give us hearts that revere You. May our wisdom grow as we draw closer to You.

Thursday

Proverbs 15:33 (CSB)

The fear of the Lord is what wisdom teaches, and humility comes before honor.

Truth: Wisdom is cultivated through humility and a willingness to be taught. Jesus, though fully divine, humbled Himself to serve and to learn obedience through suffering. He welcomed correction and modeled teachability, even washing the feet of His disciples.

Live It Out: We live this out by embracing feedback, seeking counsel, and remaining teachable in every season. Let humility be our posture as we grow in wisdom and grace.

Prayer: Lord, make us humble learners. Teach us Your ways and help us receive instruction with joy.

Friday

Proverbs 4:7 (CSB)

Wisdom is supreme—so get wisdom. And whatever else you get, get understanding.

Truth: Wisdom is the principal thing—worth pursuing above riches, status, or comfort. Jesus taught that the wise build their lives on His words, and He lived as the embodiment of

divine wisdom. He showed that wisdom is not just knowledge, but living truth in love and action.

Live It Out: We live this out by seeking God's wisdom daily, valuing it more than temporary gain. Let our choices reflect a heart that treasures wisdom above all.

Prayer: God, give us a hunger for Your wisdom. Help us pursue it with passion and live it with purpose.