

# Sons of Proverbs

**A Bible Study of Proverbs**

**The Wise Son**

**Versus**

**The Wicked Son**

## The Simple Son

Read Proverbs 1:1-4

Simple 15; Simple Ones 2; Foolish 1; Simplicity 1; **Total 19**

### **DEFINITION:**

The Simple son \_\_\_\_\_ Wisdom and Instruction.

Simple = unfolded (No demands on you)

1. The Simple son is an \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Not able to \_\_\_\_\_ good and evil.

Who does the simple son watch? \_\_\_\_\_

Four Truths about the Simple Son.

1. He lacks \_\_\_\_\_. (9:4)
2. He has not been \_\_\_\_\_ yet. (7:6-23, 26)
3. He believes \_\_\_\_\_. (14:15)
4. He does not see \_\_\_\_\_. (22:3)

How does God deal with the Simple son?

1. God uses \_\_\_\_\_ to teach the Simple.
2. He needs to see to \_\_\_\_\_. (21:11; 19:25)
3. The object lesson is God's \_\_\_\_\_ of the Scornful.
4. God uses \_\_\_\_\_ punishment. (3:11-13)

Pr. 19:25 Smite a Scorer, and the Simple will beware.  
(will beware = will be cunning)

What is an example of the Simple son?

## The Prudent Son

Read Pr. 15:5 “A fool despiseth his father’s instruction:  
but he that regardeth reproof is prudent.

Prudent 8, Crafty 2, Subtle 1, Total 11

### **DEFINITION:**

The Prudent son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

The definition of Regards = to keep guard, give heed,  
beware, mark, watch.

How does the Prudent respond to evil?

1. The Prudent son covers \_\_\_\_\_. (12:16)

*“He does not get angry over an insult”*

2. The prudent son \_\_\_\_\_ evil (danger) (22:3, 27:12)

The Characteristics of the Prudent Son?

1. The Prudent son is not a \_\_\_\_\_. (12:23)

2. The Prudent son \_\_\_\_\_ about his way. (14:8)

3. The Prudent son is \_\_\_\_\_ in heart. (16:21)

4. The Prudent son heeds \_\_\_\_\_. (15:5)

What is the Reward for the Prudent Son?

The Prudent son will be \_\_\_\_\_ with knowledge. (14:18)

Name an example of the Prudent Son.

David 2Samuel 16:5-13

## The Scornful Son

Read Proverbs 3:33-35

Scorner 14, Scorn 4, Interpreter 2, Mocker 2,  
Ambassadors 1, Derision 1, Mock 1, Scornful 1,  
Teachers 1, **Total 27**

DEFINITION:

The Scornful son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

Define scornful = to scorn, make mouths at, talk \_\_\_\_\_,  
to boast, to mock, to deride, to interpret (language), to be  
\_\_\_\_\_, scoff, act as a scorner, show oneself a mocker.

Scornful son's reaction to discipline?

1. He will not \_\_\_\_\_ to discipline. 13:1
2. He will \_\_\_\_\_ those who discipline him. 9:7, 8
3. He does not learn through \_\_\_\_\_. 19:25
4. He will not go to the \_\_\_\_\_. 15:12
5. He will ultimately be dealt with \_\_\_\_\_. 19:25; 22:10

Two Examples of the Scornful Son:

I. King \_\_\_\_\_

I Kings 16:31 He will not listen to discipline

I Kings 18:17, 18 He will hate those who discipline him.

I Kings 22:34, 35, 38 He will ultimately be dealt with  
severely.

II. Wicked Queen \_\_\_\_\_

2 Kings 9:30-36 He will be dealt with severely.

## The Righteous Son

Read Proverbs 18:10

Righteous 162, Just 42, Righteous man 1, lawful 1,  
Total 206

### DEFINITION:

The Righteous Son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

### Characteristics of a Righteous Son.

1. The Righteous Son \_\_\_\_\_ only good. 11:23
2. The Righteous Son \_\_\_\_\_ only good thoughts. 12:5
3. The Righteous Son \_\_\_\_\_ lying. 13:5
4. The Righteous Son \_\_\_\_\_ to the Lord. 18:10

### The Rewards of the Righteous Son.

1. The hope of the Righteous Son is \_\_\_\_\_. 10:28
2. The Righteous Son will never be \_\_\_\_\_. 10:30
3. He will be \_\_\_\_\_ out of trouble. 11:8, 21
4. He Shall \_\_\_\_\_ and yield fruit. 11:28; 12:12
5. The Righteous Son shall be \_\_\_\_\_. 13:21
6. The Righteous Son has \_\_\_\_\_ in death. 14:32

### Warning:

A righteous man falling down before the wicked (is as) a  
\_\_\_\_\_ fountain and a \_\_\_\_\_ spring. 25:26

Give an Example of a Righteous Son:

## The Wicked Son

Read Proverbs 28:1

Wicked 249, ungodly 8, wicked man 3, **Total 260**

DEFINITION:

The Wicked son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

The Wicked Son Exposed:

1. The wicked son \_\_\_\_\_ iniquity. 19:28
2. He does not know at what they \_\_\_\_\_. 4:19
3. He shall be held with the \_\_\_\_\_ of his sins 5:22

How does the Wicked Son Respond?

1. The Wicked Son runs to \_\_\_\_\_. 6:18; 12:21
2. The Wicked Son lies in wait for \_\_\_\_\_. 12:6, 12
3. The Wicked Son \_\_\_\_\_ his face. 21:29
4. The Wicked Son \_\_\_\_\_ evil. 21:10

How does God judge the Wicked Son?

1. The wicked son will die \_\_\_\_\_. 10:27
2. He will be \_\_\_\_\_ from the earth. 2:22; 10:7, 25
3. The Wicked son will be \_\_\_\_\_. 11:21; 12:2

Give an Example of a Wicked Son:

II Kings 15:10, 13 \_\_\_\_\_

## The Understanding Son

Read Proverbs 1:5

Understanding 32, Understand 62, **Total 94**

### DEFINITION:

The Understanding son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

Define Acquire: attain, to get, create, buy, and possess.

The Understanding Son's response

1. He \_\_\_\_\_ for wise counsel. 1:5; 15:14; 20:5.
2. He walks \_\_\_\_\_. 15:21
3. He gains knowledge from \_\_\_\_\_. 19:25

Benefits of the Understanding Son

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 3:13
2. \_\_\_\_\_ 10:23
3. Well spring of \_\_\_\_\_ 16:22
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Spirit 17:27
5. They shall find \_\_\_\_\_ 19:8
6. Country/ Government will be \_\_\_\_\_. 28:2

Proverbs 17:24 Wisdom (is) before him that hath understanding, but the eyes of a fool (are) in the ends of the earth.

Name an example of the Understanding son?

## The Foolish Son

Read Proverbs 1: 5-7

Fool(s) 20, foolish 6, **Total 26**

### DEFINITION:

The Foolish son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

One who despises wisdom, mocks when guilty, is \_\_\_\_\_, is licentious, promiscuous.

When does the Foolish son mock? When he is \_\_\_\_\_.

### Warnings about the Foolish Son.

1. The Foolish son sins with \_\_\_\_\_. 14:16
2. The Foolish son refuses to be \_\_\_\_\_. 17:10
3. The Foolish son's companions are \_\_\_\_\_. 13:20

### RESPONSE:

\_\_\_\_\_ = When God and I Agree about my sin.  
Examples of a phony confession.

I. \_\_\_\_\_ = not a true confession Numbers 22:1-4

\*\*He tried to curse \_\_\_ anyway and offered \_\_\_ advice.

II. \_\_\_\_\_ = not a true confession Exodus 9:27

\*\*He \_\_\_\_\_ his heart.

III. \_\_\_\_\_ = not a true confession Matthew 27:3-5

\*\*He did not go to \_\_\_\_; he went to the \_\_\_\_\_ rulers.

True Confession: \_\_\_\_\_ Son Luke 15

## The Wise Son

Read Proverbs 1:5-7

Wise 109, wise man 13, cunning men 4, subtle 1, wiser 2,  
**Total 135**

### DEFINITION:

The Wise son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom and instruction.

### Characteristics of the Wise Son

1. The Wise son \_\_\_\_\_ chooses his companions 13:20
2. The Wise son \_\_\_\_\_ wisdom 9:9
3. The Wise son develops \_\_\_\_\_. 1:5; 14:16
4. The Wise son is a \_\_\_\_\_ to his parents. 10:1; 23:24

### How does the Wise Son respond?

1. The Wise son fears and \_\_\_\_\_ from evil 14:16; 27:12
2. The Wise son receives \_\_\_\_\_. 17:10; 13:1
3. The Wise son \_\_\_\_\_ those who correct him. 9:8
4. The Wise son walks \_\_\_\_\_ before God 4:18

### Benefits of becoming a Wise Son?

1. Consecrated \_\_\_\_\_
2. Controlled \_\_\_\_\_
3. Cautious \_\_\_\_\_ Psalms 119:37
4. Constant \_\_\_\_\_
5. Careful \_\_\_\_\_
6. Consistent \_\_\_\_\_
7. Confessed \_\_\_\_\_

Name an example of the Wise Son.

# Sons of Proverbs

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Characteristics	Understanding	Instruction	Definition
Righteous	Warnings	Proverbs	Scornful
Response	Example	Wicked	Wisdom
Simple	Bible	Benefits	Prudent
Savior	Wise	Foolish	Son

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