

"Triumphant In Christ, Victorious In Life"

NEW SERIES: "Wisdom & Divine Direction" Sermon Connection Handout: "Start" - 1/6/2019

Proverbs 4:5 - 12 (NKJV) - "5 Get wisdom! Get understanding! Do not forget, nor turn away from the words of my mouth. 6 Do not forsake her, and she will preserve you; Love her, and she will keep you. 7 Wisdom is the principal thing; Therefore get wisdom. And in all your getting, get understanding. 8 Exalt her, and she will promote you; She will bring you honor, when you embrace her. 9 She will place on your head an ornament of grace; A crown of glory she will deliver to you." ¹⁰ Hear, my son, and receive my sayings, And the years of your life will be many. ¹¹ I have taught you in the way of wisdom; I have led you in right paths. 12 When you walk, your steps will not be hin

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dere	ed, and v	vhen you run, you will not stumble."
FEW	POWER	POINTS ABOUT WISDOM AND DIVINE DIRECTION
•		bs 3:5 – 8 (NKJV) – " ⁵ Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your
		derstanding; ⁶ In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths.
		t be wise in your own eyes; Fear the LORD and depart from evil. 8 It will be health
	to your	flesh, and strength to your bones."
	0	We are instructed to don't be (think you know it all) in your own eyes
		and estimation. This is EVIL to think and act this way. EVIL things and thoughts
		take you away from your God-intended purpose and the plans He has for you.
	0	Prayer is proof that you trust God; that you trust His plan! It is to
		include the Lord and not exclude the Lord in your every day
		and Don't think you know how to do it, that you've been
	0-1	there and done that or I've been doing this a long time so I don't need any help.
•		ians 3:5 – 6 (NKJV) – "5 Walk in wisdom toward those who are outside,
		ning the time. ⁶ Let your speech always be with grace, seasoned with salt, that you
	iiiay kii	ow how you ought to answer each one." We are to in <u>WISDOM</u> towards those outside of the Body of Christ (the
	O	Church). To be and <i>UNAWARE</i> of the Presence of God and the
		things of God around unbelievers is tantamount to
	0	This in <i>WISDOM</i> when you are around people of the world and
	O	people who do not know Jesus as their Lord and Personal Savior, means you got
		to be in what you and how you verbally respond to
		questions when asked.
	0	Remember we are told not to SIN with our mouths (Psalms 39:1) and not to
		fellowship (SHARE our HEARTS) with unbelievers (2 Corinthians 6:14).
		BECAUSE SIN SEPERATES YOU FROM THE PRESENCE AND POWER OF
		GOD AND SHARING YOUR HEART WITH UNBELIEVERS CONTRIBUTES TO
		TURNING YOUR HEART AWAY FROM GOD – IT CORRUPTS AND
		CONTAMINATES YOU!
•		ans 5:15 – 17 (NKJV) – "15 See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but
		e, ¹⁶ redeeming the time, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be unwise ,
	but und	lerstand what the will of the Lord is."
	0	"Circumspectly" means purposefully, worthily, accurately in your daily
		and
	0	We are told and instructed to not live but <u>WISELY</u> . We are
		also to NOT be <u>UNWISE</u> (witless, ignorant or thoughtless) but be
		of what the Lord <u>WANTS</u> and <u>WILLS</u> for you to DO.

•	Ecclesiastes 105 – 7, 10 (KJV) – "5 There is an evil which I have seen under the sun, as
_	an error which proceedeth from the ruler: ⁶ Folly is set in great dignity, and the rich sit in
	low place. ⁷ I have seen servants upon horses, and princes walking as servants upon the
	earth. ¹⁰ If the iron be blunt, and he do not whet the edge, then must he put to more
	strength: but wisdom is profitable to direct."
	o is the unfolding and revealing of God's masterplan, whereas
	is the steps you take to accomplish it.
	 God has called you to preach, wonderful, glory to God! That is a <u>CALLING</u> or a
	VISION. But how do you go about it? That is here you need
	o <u>DIVINE</u> <u>DIRECTION</u> is a lifetime demand. You and I will never get to a point in life
	where you will no longer require
	 <u>DIRECTION</u> is required for you to succeed, stay strong and finish
	well this new year 2019!
•	A POINT OF EMPHASIS: It is hard to a parked car. As Believer we need to
	be IN the Word of God and IN TUNE with the leading of the Holy Spirit to receive the
	required DIVINE to succeed this year!
•	Proverbs 16:33 (TPT) – "We may toss the coin and roll the dice, but God's will is greater
	than luck."
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Psalms	s 119:105 (TPT) – "Truth's shining light guides me in my choices and decisions; the
	ion of Your Word makes my pathway clear."
	Let's dial this thought and theme down to one word to apply today. One word to answer
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	the key questions at the beginning of this new year. The word is:
•	The question is: In light of the New Year what must I <u>DECIDE</u> to?
	 When will you DECIDE to living your DECISIONS and not by your
	EMOTIONS?
•	The DECISIONS you make this year every day this year should with
	receiving DIVINE DIRECTION from God and His Word. What does the Word say or the
	Lord say about this?
•	The we make today determine the stories we tell and the
	success and victories we experience in our lives tomorrow.
	 If you truly want <u>WISDOM</u> and <u>DIVINE DIRECTION</u> from God, you have to
	spending time with Him and in His Word.
	 If you're driven by the right, God will lead to the right
	o If you're not ready to facing opposition for your obedience to God,
	you're not ready to being used by God.
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•	Read Philippians 3:1 – 14 (KJV) - DECISIONS DETERMINE OUR,
	OUR CONDUCT AND OUR
•	Loss = (Gr: kemain – liability); The Holy Spirit reveal a success secret to us through the
	life of Paul and shows us that Paul was WISELY and DIVINELY DIRECTED to DECIDE to
	counting and compiling all things that would be become a LIABILITY to
	Him in <i>finding</i> , <i>following</i> and <i>fulfilling</i> the Will and Plan of God for his life.