

30 DAY JOURNEY TO WALKING WITH GOD

WEEK 3: WISDOM + DISCERNMENT

Preparing Our Hearts + Minds to Walk in Godly Wisdom + Discernment:

Part of the challenge of walking in Godly Wisdom + Discernment is that the human mind does not readily understand God's wisdom. The Apostle Paul in his letter to the Corinthians writes:

1 Cor 1:19 For it is written: "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise; the intelligence of the intelligent I will frustrate." 20 Where is the wise man? Where is the scholar? Where is the philosopher of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?

This week, we will inquire of the Lord to prepare our hearts + mind to walk in Godly Wisdom + Discernment.

		Prayer Notes:
Mon	Confess to the Lord things that have hindered your relationship with Him (sins of commission, sins of omission)	
Tue	Ask God to give you a heart to please him no matter what the circumstances. Ask God about areas in your life that are hindering that desire.	
Wed	Ask God for a spirit of humility and a willingness to turn to God for wisdom + instruction.	
Thu	Ask the Holy Spirit to continue to lead you in discerning truth.	
Fri	Ask God for boldness to be able to hear His voice and obey what He says to do no matter the difficulty.	
Sat	Ask God to deliver you from all fear and to trust in His name.	
Sun	Ask God for faith to trust in the sufficiency of His wisdom.	

Renewing Our Minds by Meditating on the Word of God:

As we walk in Wisdom + Discernment, we need to allow our minds to be renewed to God's wisdom. This week, choose a passage to meditate upon. If you need help, here are a couple of passages, which you can choose:

PSALM 8; PSALM 15; PSALM 32; PSALMS 42; PROVERBS 2; PROVERBS 3; or PROVERBS 16.

Remember, here are some ways that you can meditate on the Word of God.

- (1) Read the passage at least 3 times each day. As you read the passage, take time to read it slowly. In at least 1 of those times, read the passage aloud. You can also read the passage in various translations of the bible. [biblegateway.com, bible.logos.com]**
- (2) After you read it each time, stop and take some time to listen. Write down some of the thoughts or ideas that come from the passage.
- (3) Pray through the passage. Turn the passage into the first person. e.g [Psalms 1] "I am blessed because I will not walk in the counsel of the ungodly..."
- (4) Memorize a part or all of the passage.
- (5) Write a letter to God in response to the passage.
- (6) Write down different ways that you can apply the passage to your life.
- (7) Study other passages that are connected with the key points of this passage: Delighting in the Lord; Seasons; The Lord Prospers; The Ways of the Wicked

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Using Wisdom in the Midst of Life Circumstances

Pick an area that you have been having difficulty either implementing or deciding what to do. Each day find a scripture that talks about the area that you are dealing with.

At the end of the week, summarize what the scriptures say about the topic you have chosen.

	My Passage	How does this passage lead you to walk in Godly wisdom that is pure: peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere
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	SUMMARY: What does God have to say in His Word about the area that you are dealing with?	

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