

SEMINAR 2

JESUS THE WISDOM OF GOD

HOW TO RECEIVE THE WISDOM OF GOD IN EVERY SITUATION

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1. TO GET THE WISDOM OF GOD IS A DAILY PRAYER POINT

Paul was always praying it for the saints.

Ephesians 1:15-22

15, Wherefore I also, after I heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus, and love unto all the saints,

16, Cease not to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers,

17, That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him,

18, The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints,

19, And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power,

20, Which He wrought in Christ, when He raised him from the dead, and set him at his own right hand in the heavenly places,

21, Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come,

22, And hath put all things under His feet, and gave him to be the head over all things to the church,

23, Which is his body, the fulness of him that filleth all in all.

Ephesians 1:15-23 KJV

SIX DAILY PRAYER POINTS

1. Receiving and flourishing in the Spirit of wisdom.
2. To have revelation Knowledge of issues before me.
3. That the light of God shines before my eyes to see IN the spirit realm.
4. That I may know the hope of God's calling. What does God want from me?
5. That I may know the riches of the glory of God and start tapping into them.
6. That I may know the greatness of the power of God available for me to use.

2. THE WISDOM OF GOD DISTINGUISHES THE CHILD OF GOD FROM THE REST OF THE WORLD.

Of what use is the kingdom of heaven on earth using the wisdom of this world?

SOLOMON CRIED OUT TO GOD TO BE ABOVE THE REST.

1 Kings 3:5-10

5, In Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night: and God said, Ask what I shall give thee.

6, And Solomon said, Thou hast shewed unto thy servant David my father great mercy, according as he walked before thee in truth, and in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart with thee; and thou hast kept for him this great kindness, that thou hast given him a son to sit on his throne, as it is this day.

7, And now, O Lord my God, thou hast made thy servant king instead of David my father: and I am but a little child: I know not how to go out or come in.

8, And thy servant is in the midst of thy people which thou hast chosen, a great people, that cannot be numbered nor counted for multitude.

9, Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people?

10, And the speech pleased the Lord, that Solomon had asked this thing.

1 Kings 3:5-10 KJV

DANIEL SOUGHT TO BE EXCELLENT

Daniel 1:8,19 & 20

8, But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore, he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself.

19, And the king communed with them; and among them all was found none like Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah: therefore, stood they before the king.

20, And in all matters of wisdom and understanding, that the king enquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers that were in all his realm.

Daniel 1:8, 19-20 KJV

3. YOU MUST ASK FOR THE WISDOM OF GOD ON A DAILY BASIS AND ON AN ISSUE BASIS

Proverbs 4:5-11

5, Get wisdom, get understanding: forget it not; neither decline from the words of my mouth.

6, Forsake her not, and she shall preserve thee: love her, and she shall keep thee.

7, Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore, get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding.

8, Exalt her, and she shall promote thee: she shall bring thee to honour, when thou dost embrace her.

9, She shall give to thine head an ornament of grace: a crown of glory shall she deliver to thee.

10, Hear, O my son, and receive my sayings; and the years of thy life shall be many. I have taught thee in the way of wisdom; I have led thee in right paths.

Proverbs 4:5-11 KJV

Proverbs 18:1-8, 20-21, 34-35

- 1, Doth not wisdom cry? and understanding put forth her voice?
- 2, She standeth in the top of high places, by the way in the places of the paths.
- 3, She crieth at the gates, at the entry of the city, at the coming in at the doors.
- 4, Unto you, O men, I call; and my voice is to the sons of man.
- 5, O ye simple, understand wisdom: and, ye fools, be ye of an understanding heart.
- 6, Hear; for I will speak of excellent things; and the opening of my lips shall be right things.
- 7, For my mouth shall speak truth; and wickedness is an abomination to my lips.
- 8, All the words of my mouth are in righteousness; there is nothing froward or perverse in them.

20, I lead in the way of righteousness, in the midst of the paths of judgment:

21, That I may cause those that love me to inherit substance; and I will fill their treasures.

34, Blessed is the man that heareth me, watching daily at my gates, waiting at the posts of my doors.

35, For whoso findeth me findeth life, and shall obtain favour of the Lord.

Proverbs 8:1-8, 20-21, 34-35 KJV**4. A PRACTICAL GUIDE OF GETTING WISDOM TO HAVE DOMINION OVER AN ANTAGONISING NATURE****Exodus 15:22-26**

22, So Moses brought Israel from the Red Sea, and they went out into the wilderness of Shur; and they went three days in the wilderness, and found no water.

23, And when they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter: therefore, the name of it was called Marah.

24, And the people murmured against Moses, saying, what shall we drink?

25, And he cried unto the Lord; and the Lord shewed him a tree, which when he had cast into the waters, the waters were made sweet: there he made for them a statute and an ordinance, and there he proved them,

26, And said, If thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the Lord thy God, and wilt do that which is right in his sight, and wilt give ear to his commandments, and keep all his statutes, I

will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: for I am the Lord that healeth thee.

Exodus 15:22-26 KJV

DONT CUT ALL OF THE TREE AT ONCE THAT WILL NOT BE WISDOM.

LET THE TREE STILL BE CONNECTED TO THE SOURCE FOR THE FUTURE OTHERWISE YOU ARE MYOPIC

5. A PRACTICAL GUIDE OF GETTING WISDOM AGAINST YOUR ENEMY

2 Samuel 5:17-25

17, But when the Philistines heard that they had anointed David king over Israel, all the Philistines came up to seek David; and David heard of it, and went down to the hold.

18, The Philistines also came and spread themselves in the valley of Rephaim.

19, And David enquired of the Lord, saying, Shall I go up to the Philistines? wilt thou deliver them into my hand? And the Lord said unto David, go up: for I will doubtless deliver the Philistines into thine hand.

20, And David came to Baal-perazim, and David smote them there, and said, The Lord hath broken forth upon mine enemies before me, as the breach of waters. Therefore, he called the name of that place Baal-perazim.

21, And there they left their images, and David and his men burned them.

22, And the Philistines came up yet again, and spread themselves in the valley of Rephaim.

23, And when David enquired of the Lord, he said, thou shalt not go up; but fetch a compass behind them, and come upon them over against the mulberry trees.

24, And let it be, when thou hear the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees, that then thou shalt bestir thyself: for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host of the Philistines.

25, And David did so, as the Lord had commanded him; and smote the Philistines from Geba until thou come to Gezer.

2 Samuel 5:17-25 KJV

6. WISDOM IS PROFITABLE TO DIRECT

Ecclesiastes 10:10

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.

Ecclesiastes 10:10 KJV

NLT

Using a dull axe requires great strength, so sharpen the blade. That's the value of wisdom; it helps you succeed.

Ecclesiastes 10:10 NLT

GOD SHALL DIRECT YOUR PATHS

Proverbs 3:5-6

5, Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

6, In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.

Proverbs 3:5-6 KJV

1 Kings 3:6-13

6, And Solomon said, thou hast shewed unto thy servant David my father great mercy, according as he walked before thee in truth, and in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart with thee; and thou hast kept for him this great kindness, that thou hast given him a son to sit on his throne, as it is this day.

7, And now, O Lord my God, thou hast made thy servant king instead of David my father: and I am but a little child: I know not how to go out or come in.

8, And thy servant is in the midst of thy people which thou hast chosen, a great people, that cannot be numbered nor counted for multitude.

9, Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people?

10, And the speech pleased the Lord, that Solomon had asked this thing.

11, And God said unto him, because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself long life; neither hast asked riches for thyself, nor hast asked the life of thine enemies; but hast asked for thyself understanding to discern judgment;

12, Behold, I have done according to thy words: lo, I have given thee a wise and an understanding heart; so that there was none like thee before thee, neither after thee shall any arise like unto thee.

13, And I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches, and honour: so that there shall not be any among the kings like unto thee all thy days.

1 Kings 3:6-13 kjv

7. WISDOM BRINGS THE EXPECTED RESULTS

Luke 7:33-35

33, For John the Baptist came neither eating bread nor drinking wine; and ye say, He hath a devil.

34, The Son of man is come eating and drinking; and ye say, Behold a gluttonous man, and a winebibber, a friend of publicans and sinners!

35, But wisdom is justified of all her children.

Luke 7:33-35 KJV

1 Kings 3:24-28

24, And the king said, Bring me a sword. And they brought a sword before the king.

25, And the king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other.

26, Then spake the woman whose the living child was unto the king, for her bowels yearned upon her son, and she said, O my Lord, give her the living child, and in no wise slay it. But the other said, let it be neither mine nor thine, but divide it.

27, Then the king answered and said, give her the living child, and in no wise slay it: she is the mother thereof.

28, And all Israel heard of the judgment which the king had judged; and they feared the king: for they saw that the wisdom of God was in him, to do judgment.

1 Kings 3:24-28 KJV

8. THE WISDOM OF GOD LEADS YOU TO BE CREATIVE

The wisdom of God that He used in creating the Behemoth and Leviathan will guide you to create witty inventions.

Job 40 and 41, Job 42:1-7

1, Then Job answered the Lord, and said,

2, I know that thou canst do every thing, and that no thought can be withholden from thee.

3, Who is he that hideth counsel without knowledge? therefore have I uttered that I understood not; things too wonderful for me, which I knew not.

4, Hear, I beseech thee, and I will speak: I will demand of thee, and declare thou unto me.

5, I have heard of thee by the hearing of the ear: but now mine eye seeth thee.

6, Wherefore I abhor myself, and repent in dust and ashes.

7, And it was so, that after the Lord had spoken these words unto Job, the Lord said to Eliphaz the Temanite, my wrath is kindled against thee, and against thy two friends: for ye have not spoken of me the thing that is right, as my servant Job hath.

Job 42:1-7 KJV

9. THE WISDOM OF GOD HAS GIVEN YOU THE AUTHORITY TO COMMAND ALL THE WORKS OF HIS HANDS TO RESTORE LAW AND ORDER.

Peace be still. Mark 4:38-41

38, And he was in the hinder part of the ship, asleep on a pillow: and they awake him, and say unto him, Master, care thou not that we perish?

39, And he arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.

40, And he said unto them, why are ye so fearful? how is it that ye have no faith?

41, And they feared exceedingly, and said one to another, What manner of man is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?

Mark 4:38-41 KJV

Elijah to Ahab. No rain nor dew.

1 Kings 17:1

And Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the inhabitants of Gilead, said unto Ahab, As the Lord God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word.

1 Kings 17:1 KJV

Hailstones to win war

Joshua 10:11-13

11, And it came to pass, as they fled from before Israel, and were in the going down to Beth-horon, that the Lord cast down great stones from heaven upon them unto Azekah, and they died: they were more which died with hailstones than they whom the children of Israel slew with the sword.

12, Then spake Joshua to the Lord in the day when the Lord delivered up the Amorites before the children of Israel, and he said in the sight of Israel, Sun, stand thou still upon Gibeon; and thou, Moon, in the valley of Aijalon.

13, And the sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies. Is not this written in the book of Jasher? So, the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and hasted not to go down about a whole day.

Joshua 10:11-13 KJV

Jesus cursed the fig tree

Mark 11:21-22

21, And Peter calling to remembrance saith unto him, Master, behold, the fig tree which thou cursed is withered away.

22, And Jesus answering saith unto them, Have faith in God.

Mark 11:21-22 kjv

WISDOM AND FAITH IN GOD WALK HAND IN HAND

Romans 8:19

For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God.

Romans 8:19 KJV

Romans 8:19 TPT

The entire universe is standing on tiptoe, yearning to see the unveiling of God's glorious sons and daughters!

Romans 8:19 TPT

WHO ARE THE GLORIOUS SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF GOD?

THOSE WORKING IN THE WISDOM OF GOD

Genesis 1:28

And God blessed them, and God said unto them, be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

Genesis 1:28 KJV

10. THE WISDOM OF GOD TEACHES YOU TO SPEAK THE RIGHT WORD THAT BRINGS JOY TO YOU AND THE HEARER

Proverbs 25:11

A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver.

Proverbs 25:11 KJV

Proverbs 25:11 in Other Translations

11, A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in a setting of silver. 11 Timely advice is lovely, like golden apples in a silver basket. 11 A word spoken at the right time is like golden apples on a silver tray.

Ecclesiastes 12:10-11

10, The preacher sought to find out acceptable words: and that which was written was upright, even words of truth.

11, The words of the wise are as goads, and as nails fastened by the masters of assemblies, which are given from one shepherd.

Ecclesiastes 12:10-11 KJV

10, The Teacher sought to find just the right words to express truths clearly.

11, The words of the wise are like cattle prods—painful but helpful. Their collected sayings are like a nail-studded stick with which a shepherd drives the sheep.

Ecclesiastes 12:10-11 NLT