PSALM 1:1-2

¹Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; ² but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night.



What are some examples of "counsel of the wicked" you should ignore?

What are ways you could end up standing in the way of sinners?

What is a scoffer? Why should Christians avoid scoffers?

What does it look like to delight in the law of God?

What would meditating on God's law day and night look like?

PROVERBS 1:5-7

⁵Let the wise hear and increase in learning, and the one who understands obtain guidance, ⁶ to understand a proverb and a saying, the words of the wise and their riddles. ⁷The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge; fools despise wisdom and instruction.



Why is it important for us to always increase in learning?

Why are wise people the first ones to seek guidance?

What are proverbs? Why are they useful tools of learning?

What does it mean to "fear the LORD"? How does it produce wisdom?

Why is it tempting to despise wisdom and instruction?

PSALM 9:1-2

¹I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of Your wonderful deeds. ²I will be glad and exult in You; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.



What does it look like to "give thanks to the LORD with [your] whole heart"?

What are some things God has done in your life recently?

When do you sing praises to God (other than in corporate worship)?

What keeps us from praising God for all He has done for us?

What is your favorite song of praise?

PROVERBS 3:9-10

⁹ Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce; ¹⁰ then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.





Why does God deserve all our honor?

How do we honor God with our wealth?

Why does God require the "firstfruits" of our wealth?

How are we blessed when we honor God with our wealth?

What are you doing with your money that honors God?

PSALM 23:1-3

¹The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. ²He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. ³He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for His name's sake.



Why do you need the Lord to be your shepherd?

What does it mean to "not want"?

What do "green pastures" and "still waters" bring to your mind?

How does the Lord restore our souls?

Why do you need the Lord to lead you down the right path?

PROVERBS 10:11-12

¹¹The mouth of the righteous is a fountain of life, but the mouth of the wicked conceals violence. ¹² Hatred stirs up strife, but love covers all offenses.





What kind of mouth do you usually have?

How does a righteous mouth give life to others?

How can your mouth actually produce violence?

What is strife? How does hatred "stir up strife"?

How does love "cover all offenses"?