

#### 4. The \_\_\_\_\_ Heart to Follow God's Wisdom

*I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made:  
marvellous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well.  
DEUTERONOMY 4:5-6*

*The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: a good understanding  
have all they that do his commandments: his praise endureth for ever.  
PSALM 111:10*

CONCLUSION: \_\_\_\_\_

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### LESSON 6: **Overcoming Confusion with Wisdom**

INTRODUCTION: \_\_\_\_\_

*For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and an helmet of salvation upon his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance for clothing, and was clad with zeal as a cloak. ISAIAH 59:17*

*And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. EPHESIANS 6:17*

*But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation.  
1 THESSALONIANS 5:8*

*But unto them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God. 1 CORINTHIANS 1:24*

*But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption:  
1 CORINTHIANS 1:30*

*And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. ROMANS 12:2*

*Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.  
PSALM 119:105*



*Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding. PROVERBS 3:13*

*For wisdom is better than rubies; and all the things that may be desired are not to be compared to it. PROVERBS 8:11*

*When wisdom entereth into thine heart, and knowledge is pleasant unto thy soul; Discretion shall preserve thee, understanding shall keep thee: PROVERBS 2:10-11*

**Quote:** “Our attitude determines our altitude.”

## 1. The \_\_\_\_\_ to Hear God’s Wisdom

*The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction. PROVERBS 1:7*

*And unto man he said, Behold, the fear of the Lord, that is wisdom; and to depart from evil is understanding. JOB 28:28*

**Quote:** “The fear of the Lord is that indefinable mixture of reverence, fear, pleasure, joy and awe which fills our hearts when we realize who God is and what He has done for us.”

**Sinclair Ferguson**

*If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. JAMES 1:5*

*Thus saith the Lord, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches: But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the Lord. JEREMIAH 9:23-24*

**Quote:** “He who knows most knows how little he knows.”

## 2. The \_\_\_\_\_ to Seek God’s Wisdom

*Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17*

*Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son: COLOSSIANS 1:13*

**Quote:** “The great people of the Bible and Christian history have had an insatiable hunger for God. He wants to be wanted. Too bad that with many of us He waits so long, so very long in vain.” **A.W. Tozer**

*Blessed are they that keep his testimonies, and that seek him with the whole heart. PSALM 119:2*

*With my whole heart have I sought thee: O let me not wander from thy commandments. PSALM 119:10*

*Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart. PSALM 119:34*

*I intreated thy favour with my whole heart: be merciful unto me according to thy word. PSALM 119:58*

*The proud have forged a lie against me: but I will keep thy precepts with my whole heart. PSALM 119:69*

*I cried with my whole heart; hear me, O Lord: I will keep thy statutes. PSALM 119:145*

## 3. The \_\_\_\_\_ to Truly Listen to God’s Wisdom

*A wise man will hear, and will increase learning; and a man of understanding shall attain unto wise counsels: To understand a proverb, and the interpretation; the words of the wise, and their dark sayings. PROVERBS 1:5-6*

*Hear counsel, and receive instruction, that thou mayest be wise in thy latter end. PROVERBS 19:20*

*Bow down thine ear, and hear the words of the wise, and apply thine heart unto my knowledge. For it is a pleasant thing if thou keep them within thee; they shall withal be fitted in thy lips. PROVERBS 22:17-18*

*Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath: JAMES 1:19*

**Quote:** “A wise man talks because he has something to say. Fools talk because they have to say something.”

**Quote:** “We gather knowledge when we listen; we spend it when we teach; but if we spend before we gather, we will soon be bankrupt.” **Charles Bridges**