

The Fear of the Lord (Proverbs 1:7)

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Introduction

Proverbs was written by King _____.

Proverb =

The Prologue (1:1-7)

Proverbs forces us to _____ our lives next to the truth of each proverb.

In v. 2 we find the concise purpose of the book..._____. This is _____ moral living skillfully used in service to God with corrective _____ (disciplined training) in righteousness.

Wisdom is knowledge that _____ the one who possesses it.

Self-centered living is the epitome of _____.

This book is written not only to the _____ but to the wise as well.

The Fear of the Lord

The wise understand the _____ for such knowledge is the fear of Yahweh.

A person's love of God is reflected in how much he or she fears His _____.

References in Proverbs to the starting point of wisdom: [2:5](#); [9:10](#); [15:33](#); [19:23](#)

The fear of Yahweh is an _____, mindset, and worldview.

This fear of the Lord is directed toward a _____. Notes:

A primary and basic element in the fear of Yahweh is _____. Notes:

The fear of the Lord must be _____, with specific _____.

[Psalm 130:3-4](#) says that _____ makes us able to fear. Notes:

Another characteristic linked with fear of God is _____. Notes:

Despise =

Three Hebrew words are used in Proverbs to refer to a fool:

1. _____ fool (*keseel*)
2. _____ fool (*naval*)
3. _____ fool (*ev-il*)

[Proverbs 1:7](#) refers to the third type of fool, who is a _____ person.

Being _____—wise in your own eyes—is what Scripture defines as the _____ of the fear of the Lord.

To avoid being a stupid fool you must _____ yourself to the _____ of these proverbs.

Chapter 2 tells us _____ to fear the Lord.

People who decide to follow the way of wisdom will enjoy certain _____ in life. Notes:

The prerequisite for _____ is the fear of the Lord.