



**Sunday January 19, 2020**  
**Wisdom Walk (Part 2)**  
**Rewards of Wisdom Walk**

**REMINDER**

**Word of the Lord 2020 : New Wine, Fresh Oil, New Wineskin**

*Present yourself as a new wineskin to receive new wine and fresh oil*

Remind about Prayer Card:

**1, All of us fast and pray every Friday for these 4 things for APC**

A) Maturity, B) Miracles, C) Multiplication, D) Ministries

**2, Each one share Jesus with at least one person each week**

**3, Each one of us invite at least two new people to church each month**

**4, As a Church we move into spontaneous flow with the Holy Spirit**

**REVIEW**

"WISDOM WALK" (or walking wisely).

We would like to understand the importance of walking wisely (i.e. WISDOM WALK), what are the characteristics of walking wisely (in Part 1) and then the rewards of walking with wisdom (in Part 2).

**THE MAIN THING**

Wisdom in the main thing

Proverbs 4:5-9

5 Get wisdom! Get understanding! Do not forget, nor turn away from the words of my mouth.

6 Do not forsake her, and she will preserve you; Love her, and she will keep you.

7 Wisdom is the principal thing; Therefore get wisdom. And in all your getting, get understanding.

8 Exalt her, and she will promote you; She will bring you honor, when you embrace her.

9 She will place on your head an ornament of grace; A crown of glory she will deliver to you."

vs 7 :

"the principal thing" means the first in place, time, order or rank implying the most important thing, the main thing, supreme, "above all and before all" (MSG Bible), put this "at the top of your list" (MSG Bible).

***If we do this in relation to wisdom...:***

Get wisdom (go after and acquire wisdom)

Do not forsake wisdom (never quit your "Wisdom Walk")

Exalt wisdom (give wisdom its place of importance in your life)

Embrace wisdom (hold on passionately to wisdom)



**...then wisdom will cause this to happen to you:**

Preserve and keep (guard, protect, garrison) you (vs 6)

Promote (to raise, to be high) you (vs 8)

Bring you honor (vs 8) Hebrew '*kabad*' to make you a person who is heavy, weighty, rich in glory and honor.

Exalt you (give you stature among people) (vs 9)

All of us would surely desire to have this happen to us. And the key to experiencing this in our lives is to maintain our wisdom walk.

**WISDOM IS...**

What is wisdom?

To put it succinctly, wisdom is the ability to apply knowledge.

Wisdom is the ability to apply knowledge (A)to solve problems, (B)to determine right course of action in a situation, (C)to foresee situations, outcomes, or events (different from being prophetic) and choose what is best to do now.

We can also state what wisdom is, like this:

WISDOM IS THE COMBINATION OF INSIGHT + UNDERSTANDING + PRUDENCE

**FIVE SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

But for our learning purposes, if we were to try and summarize what Proverbs teaches us, to help us in our WISDOM WALK, we could probably distill it in these FIVE SUMMARY STATEMENTS (you may be able to add to these or come up with your own summary):

- 1, ALWAYS AND IN ALL THINGS HONOR THE LORD
- 2, ALWAYS BE LISTENING, ALWAYS BE LEARNING
- 3, DONT TAKE WHAT IS NOT YOURS
- 4, DONT KEEP WHAT YOU SHOULD BE GIVING AWAY
- 5, ALWAYS AND IN ALL THINGS WALK IN HUMILITY

**TODAY**

we will examine a few of the rewards (outcomes) of WISDOM WALK.

There is a lot more rewards mentioned in the book of Proverbs and elsewhere in Scripture, but we look at a few in this message:

We've already read some of the rewards (outcomes) in Proverbs 4:5-9

Let's add a few more to this:



## **#1, HONOR AND FAVOR**

Proverbs 3:35 The wise shall inherit glory, But shame shall be the legacy of fools.

Proverbs 14:35 The king's favor is toward a wise servant, But his wrath is against him who causes shame.

Wisdom walk leads you into places and positions of honor and favor.

## **#2, MOVE UPWARD**

Proverbs 15:24

The way of life winds upward for the wise, That he may turn away from hell below.

(ERV) What wise people do leads to life here on earth and stops them from going down to the place of death.

Wisdom walk takes your life on an upward ascent and not on a downward spiral.

## **#3, SOLVE PROBLEMS AND OVERCOME CHALLENGES**

Proverbs 21:22

A wise man scales the city of the mighty, And brings down the trusted stronghold.

(CEV) One wise person can defeat a city full of soldiers and capture their fortress.

Wisdom walk enables you to solve problems and overcome challenges

## **#4, BUILD AND PROSPER**

Proverbs 24:3-4

3 Through wisdom a house is built, And by understanding it is established;

4 By knowledge the rooms are filled With all precious and pleasant riches.

Wisdom walk enables you to build and prosper.

## **#5, STRENGTH, SAFETY AND SUCCESS**

Proverbs 24:5-6

5 A wise man is strong, Yes, a man of knowledge increases strength;

6 For by wise counsel you will wage your own war, And in a multitude of counselors there is safety.

(See also Ecclesiasts 7:19; 10:10)

Wisdom walk ensures strength, safety and success.

## **ACCESS TO WISDOM**

As believers we have access to the wisdom of God. Pray. Seek God. Listen to the Holy Spirit. Tap into it.

- Christ made unto us wisdom (1 Corinthians 1:30, Colossians 2:3)
- Holy Spirit - Spirit of wisdom (Isaiah 11:2-3)
- The Word of God



## **MINISTRY TIME | SALVATION CALL**

There is nothing too hard for God. Nothing impossible with God.

Proclaim Jesus Christ as Savior, Healer, Deliver, Miracle Worker.

He is the same yesterday, today and forever.

The power of the Holy Spirit and all the gifts of the Holy Spirit are for us today.

We have been commissioned to do the works He did and even greater works.

We must come to Him in faith and we will receive.

Minister for people to receive healings, deliverances and miracles.

Take testimonies.

Lead in prayer for repentance and salvation.



LIFE GROUP STUDY GUIDE

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The is a simple guide for use in Life Group discussions. Our objective is to focus on the application of the Sunday sermon - how each one is becoming a doer of the Word and building their life on God's Holy Word. The Life Group meeting would normally last for 2 hours. Each Life Group would have up to 12-15 people.

### **Preparation**

To prepare for the Life Group meeting, you can listen to the Sermon Key Points (sermon summary in five minutes) or the full length Sunday sermon. You can also review the Sunday Sermon notes. All these are available in the "All Peoples Church Bangalore" mobile App or online at [apcwo.org/sermons](http://apcwo.org/sermons). Pray for the Life Group meeting and invite the work and ministry of the Holy Spirit.

### **Welcome**

The Life Group meeting may commence with a time of prayer, worship and a fun activity.

### **LISTEN to God's Word**

Read the following Scripture passages: *Proverbs 3:13-18; Proverbs 4:5-9*

### **INVESTIGATE God's Word Together**

Please discuss a few of these together, giving time for people to share their insights. We encourage each one individually to make notes of their personal learning during the Group discussion.

*1) Discuss the 5 rewards (outcomes) of Wisdom walk presented in the sermon. How do they apply to you personally in your present season of life?*

If time permits, each one takes a few (3 minutes max) to share one or two key learning and how they see themselves applying it into their specific life situations. Encourage each one to participate and share.



**FELLOWSHIP by sharing your life and spiritual journey**

Each one takes a few (3 minutes max) to share anything from their walk with God, something God has been teaching them, a testimony of answered prayer or a specific challenge that they would like prayer for. Encourage each one to participate and share.

**ENCOURAGE each other by praying and ministering to one another**

Get into small groups of two or three and take turns to thank God and pray for each other in the light of what was learnt today. Listen to the Holy Spirit. Expect the gifts of the Holy Spirit to flow bringing healing, releasing miracles, prophecy, etc.

Regroup and pray together for:

*1, families to be protected and strengthened*

*2, a mighty outpouring of God's Holy Spirit on us as a church and through us to bless many others in our city and nation. Nothing but a mighty work of God's Spirit can change our city and nation.*

*3, for the BUILD TO IMPACT project - for God's hand to guide us through the land search and acquisition process, and for finances to be more than enough to get this project done.*

Close by thanking God together.



**USEFUL RESOURCES**



Watch our online Sunday Church service live stream every Sunday at 10:30am (Indian Time, GMT+5:30). Spirit filled, anointed worship, Word and ministry for healing, miracles, and deliverance.

**YOUTUBE:** <https://youtube.com/allpeopleschurchbangalore>

**WEBSITE:** <https://apcwo.org/live>

Our other websites and free resources:

**CHURCH:** <https://apcwo.org>

**FREE SERMONS:** <https://apcwo.org/resources/sermons>

**FREE BOOKS:** <https://apcwo.org/books/english>

**DAILY DEVOTIONALS:** <https://apcwo.org/resources/daily-devotional>

**JESUS CHRIST:** <https://examiningjesus.com>

**BIBLE COLLEGE:** <https://apcbiblecollege.org>

**E-LEARNING:** <https://apcbiblecollege.org/elearn>

**WEEKEND SCHOOLS:** <https://apcwo.org/ministries/weekend-schools>

**COUNSELING:** <https://chrysalislife.org>

**MUSIC:** <https://apcmusic.org>

**MINISTERS FELLOWSHIP:** <https://pamfi.org>

**CHURCH APP:** <https://apcwo.org/app>

**CHURCHES:** <https://apcwo.org/ministries/churches>

**WORLD MISSIONS:** <https://apcworldmissions.org>