

**What does
it mean to
be wise?**

DAY 4

There are two parts to wisdom. The first part is finding out what you should do. You might talk to God. You might read your Bible to see what God says in His Word. You might talk to someone further along in his or her walk with God that can point you in the right direction. However you do it, God wants you to search for His will.

The second part is just as important as the first! Once you have figured out what God wants you to do in a situation, you should do it. If you know what God wants from you, but choose not to do it, that is showing the opposite of wisdom: foolishness.

**ASK GOD TO HELP YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT TO DO
AND THEN TO HAVE COURAGE TO DO WHAT HE IS
ASKING!**



**LIVE
FOR GOD**



WISDOM
**FINDING OUT WHAT
YOU SHOULD DO
AND DOING IT**

DAY 1

What do you think of when you hear the word “wisdom?” Let’s figure out what wisdom means by reading Luke 2:41-52.

Even though Jesus was fully God, He still searched for wisdom during His time on earth. He spent time in God’s house talking with wise men who knew God’s word.

HE ASKED QUESTIONS.

HE LEARNED FROM OTHERS.

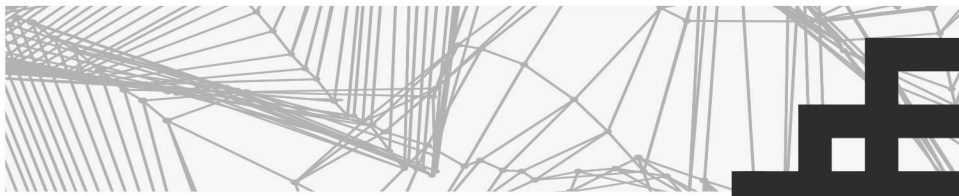
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WEEK 1

**HEAR
FROM GOD**

PRETEEN



DAY 2

Have you looked at your memory verse for this month yet? If you haven't, read James 1:5 and highlight it in your Bible.

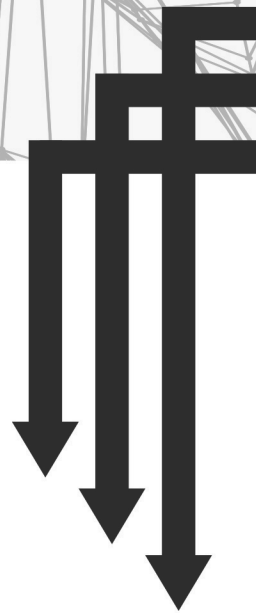
This verse says that if we ask God for wisdom, He will give it to us. Not maybe.

IT SAYS HE WILL!

HOW EXCITING IS THAT?!

WE HAVE NO REASON NOT TO ASK GOD FOR WISDOM.

Start today. What is happening this week that you may need wisdom? Get alone with God and ask Him to give you wisdom in all situations this week, especially the tough ones.



PRAY
TO GOD

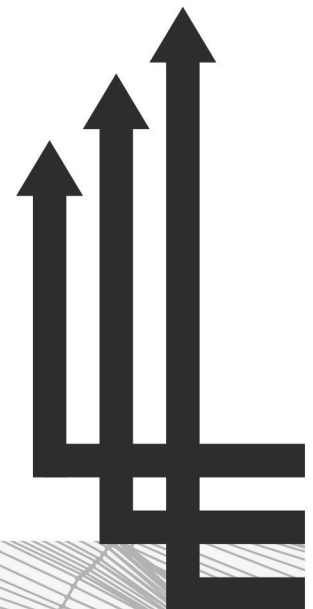


DAY 3

Ride your bike around your neighborhood and find the tallest tree you can. Then, look at that tree's roots. The taller the tree, the bigger and deeper the roots must be in the ground. Just like strong and tall trees, the more we want to grow in wisdom, the more deeply rooted in God's Word we must be.

HOW DO YOU STAY ROOTED IN GOD'S WORD?

Reading your GodTimes, like you are doing now, is a great way to do that! Talk to a trusted adult about how Jesus grew in wisdom as He got older. Ask him/her to share specific examples of ways to grow in wisdom throughout life.



TALK
ABOUT GOD