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DIVINE WISDOM



> DEFINITION:

Wisdom is the application of knowledge (acquired information)

Divine wisdom is the application of God's word

It is hearing and doing God's word – Matt. 7: 24

Wisdom directs your steps: Eccl. 10: 5 – 7, 10

>> 6 HEBREW WORDS FOR WISDOM:

1. HOKMAH – wisdom
2. BINA – discernment (ability to perceive)
3. LEB – a wise heart
4. ARMAH – shrewdness, subtlety, cunning
5. SAKAL – Good sense
6. SEKEL – insight, prudence (ability to interpret circumstances)

>> DIVINE WISDOM IN PRACTICAL TERMS—PROV. 12:8,23:9

- It is the act of being successful, of forming the correct plan to gain the desired results.
- It is the seat of the heart, the center of morals and intellectual decisions
- It possesses technical skills

- It is the guiding light of leaders of all sorts: examples – Joshua (Deut. 34: 9), David (2 Sam. 14: 20), Solomon (1 Kings 3: 9)
- Jesus is the Wisdom Of God 1 Cor. 1: 23 – 24; Col. 2: 3; Luke 2: 46 – 47, 52;
- We have the mind of Christ: 1 Cor. 2: 15 – 16
- Divine Wisdom is a spirit: Prov. 3: 13 – 19; Isa. 11: 2; Deut. 34: 9; Eph. 1: 17
- Divine Wisdom is a spirit and she speaks: Prov. 8: 1 - 36

> > **THERE ARE 3 KINDS OF WISDOM IN THE WORLD:**

1. Earthly Wisdom: James 3: 13 – 18

It is from the devil. Examples:

Gen. 3: 1 – 5 the devil was cunning and subtle.

1 Chron. 21: 1 the devil stood up against Israel.

Matt. 4: 1 – 11 the devil tempted Jesus.

Matt. 16: 21 – 23 the devil resisted Jesus' death.

John 13: 1 – 4 Satan filled Judas to betray Jesus.

Acts 5: 1 – 4 Satan filled Ananias and Saphira to lie.

2. Man's wisdom: 1 Cor. 3: 19 – 20

Daniel 1: 4, 5 Science and other disciplines are man's wisdom.

Romans 1: 22 people appear wise but they are foolish

1 Cor. 2: 13 – 15 Man's wisdom cannot grasp the things of God

Romans 8: 6 – 8 Man's wisdom is against God.

3. Wisdom of God: Eph. 3: 10

Isaiah 11: 2 Wisdom of God is a spirit

Prov. 3: 13 – 19 the wisdom of God in the OT

1 Cor. 1 : 23 – 24 Christ is the Wisdom of God

1 Cor. 2: 7 – 9 the hidden wisdom of God

Eph. 3: 8 – 10 it is a many sided kind of wisdom

James 3: 17 wisdom of God is perfect

> > HOW TO RECEIVE THE WISDOM OF GOD:

1. We receive wisdom from God by asking:

1 Kings 3: 5 – 15 and James 1: 5 – 8 Wisdom is to be asked by faith from God.

James 3: 17 Wisdom comes from above

Eph. 3: 14 – 19 We interceded for others

Prov. 2: 2 – 7 – God gives wisdom to the righteous.

Psalms 111: 10 – Only the Fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.

2. Wisdom of God comes by studying the Word of God

2 Tim. 3: 15 – Scriptures make us wise

2 Tim. 2: 15 – We should study the scriptures in order to know what to do

Prov. 3: 13 – 26 – Wisdom is found from God's word

Daniel 1: 17 – 20 – God's wisdom comes to us as we study other material

3. Christ is the wisdom of God:

Matt. 7: 24 – Wisdom comes from the words of Jesus

Matt. 10: 16 – Jesus releases into us wisdom for ministry

John 2: 5 – Wisdom comes when we do whatever he tells us to do.

Luke 24: 30 – 31 – Wisdom comes when we have fellowship with Jesus Christ.

4. Wisdom comes through good company and laying on of hands:

Prov. 13: 20 and Prov. 27: 17 – Keeping company with the wise makes you wise

Acts 4: 13 – The disciples of Jesus talked like him

Num. 27: 18 and Deut. 34: 9 – Laying on of hands imparts wisdom.



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