

ESTABLISHED in wisdom

In a world filled with quick opinions, fleeting trends, and constant noise, true wisdom stands as a rare and steady guide. The book of Proverbs offers more than clever sayings—it invites us into a way of life rooted in reverence, discernment, and godly insight. This devotional plan, *Established in Wisdom*, will walk you through key passages in Proverbs, drawing out the rich, practical truths that shape character, decision-making, relationships, and spiritual maturity.

Each day, you'll explore a different aspect of wisdom—from the fear of the Lord as its foundation to the daily disciplines that help wisdom grow. Whether you're facing a major life decision, seeking healthier relationships, or simply wanting to grow in spiritual depth, this plan will ground you in God's unchanging truth. Allow the ancient words of Proverbs to renew your perspective and establish your life on a solid foundation of divine wisdom.

DAY 1

SEARCHING FOR GOD'S HEART

Reading: Jeremiah 29:11-13

God's invitation to search for Him is a profound act of love. Just as the sermon emphasized the glory of searching out God's heart, today's passage reminds us that God has plans for us and wants us to seek Him wholeheartedly.

Reflect on areas of your life where you may have stopped seeking God. How can you renew your commitment to searching out His heart? Remember, the process of seeking God is often more transformative than finding immediate answers. Take time today to sit in God's presence, opening your heart to His voice and guidance.

DAY 2 THE WISDOM OF GOD

Reading: Proverbs 2:1-6

Solomon, known for his wisdom, understood that true wisdom comes from God. Today's passage echoes the sermon's theme of God concealing matters and our glory in searching them out. As you read, consider how actively pursuing God's wisdom differs from worldly knowledge.

How can you make seeking God's wisdom a priority in your daily life? Remember, wisdom isn't just about having answers, but about developing a deeper relationship with God. Pray for a heart that yearns for God's wisdom above all else.

DAY 3

FINDING PEACE IN GOD'S PRESENCE

Reading: Psalm 46:1-11

This week's message emphasized that sometimes God's presence, not answers, is the true prize. This Psalm beautifully illustrates the peace found in God's presence, even amidst chaos.

As you read, reflect on times when you've experienced God's peace in difficult circumstances. How can you cultivate a greater awareness of God's presence in your daily life? Practice being still before God today, allowing His presence to be your refuge and strength.

DAY 4 TRUSTING GOD'S WAYS

Reading: Isaiah 55:8-11

Today's passage reinforces the sermon's point about God's thoughts and ways being higher than ours. It can be challenging when we don't understand God's plan, but this is where trust grows.

Reflect on situations in your life where you're struggling to understand God's purpose. How can you surrender these to God, trusting in His higher wisdom? Remember, our limited understanding doesn't diminish God's love and care for us. Pray for the faith to trust God even when His ways are beyond your comprehension.

DAY 5 THE TREASURE OF KNOWING CHRIST

Reading: Philippians 3:7-14

The sermon compared searching for God to Indiana Jones seeking treasure, with Jesus being the ultimate treasure. Paul's words in Philippians echo this sentiment, counting everything as loss compared to knowing Christ.

As you read, consider what "treasures" in your life might be competing with your pursuit of Christ. How can you reorient your priorities to make knowing Jesus your highest aim? Spend time today thanking God for the treasure of relationship with Him through Christ, and ask for a renewed passion to pursue Him above all else.