

WISDOM, WISDOM OF MEN VERSES YAHVEH'S WISDOM

In order to gain wisdom and knowledge from Yah we must first humble ourselves. There is nowhere in the Bible where Yah says He will humble us. His intention is for us to humble ourselves before Him, in order to receive everything He offers us. Being humble is a decision, not an emotion. Humble must be your attitude if you want to enjoy the power, wisdom, knowledge, peace, and joy that Adonai has to offer us through His Holy Spirit. Wisdom comes only from Yah the Father. If one takes the time to read the book of Proverbs, you will find Solomon's wisdom was supernatural. A study of the proverbs will give one an understanding and wisdom beyond human comprehension. Throughout this book Solomon teaches how wisdom, knowledge and understanding should all work together in order that we may walk "in Spirit and in truth".

Prov. 1:7 *"The fear of Adonai is the beginning of knowledge; Fools despise wisdom and instruction."*

Prov. 9:8-9 *"Reprove a wiseman and he will love you, Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be still wiser, Teach a righteous man, and he will increase his learning"*

Prov. 10:21 *"The lips of the righteous feed many, But fools die for lack of understanding."*

Prov. 15:2 *"The tongue of the wise makes knowledge acceptable, But the mouth of fools spouts folly."*

Prov. 24:13-14 *"My son, eat honey, for it is good, Yes, the honey from the comb is sweet to your taste; Know {that} wisdom is thus for your soul; If you find {it,} then there will be a future, And your hope will not be cut off."*

In one verse in Proverbs, wisdom is referred to as a female. **Prov. 4:7-8** *"The beginning of wisdom {is;} Acquire wisdom; And with all your acquiring, get understanding. "Prize her, and she will exalt you; She will honor you if you embrace her."*

In some cases wisdom brings grief. **Eccl. 1:17-18** *"And I set my mind to know wisdom and to know madness and folly; I realized that this also is striving after wind. Because in much wisdom there is much grief, and increasing knowledge {results in} increasing pain."*

Eccl. 2:13-14 *"And I saw that wisdom excels folly as light excels darkness. The wise man's eyes are in his head, but the fool walks in darkness. And yet I know that one fate befalls them both."*

1Pet. 5:6 *"Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of Yahveh, that He may exalt you at the proper time,"*

1Cor. 3:18-19 *"If any man among you seemeth to be wise in this world, let him become a fool, that he may be wise. For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with Yahveh."*

The ten points of wisdom from the Book of proverbs are:

- 1) The problem that infuriates you the most, is the problem that Yah will assign you to solve!
- 2) What you are willing to walk away from, determines what Yahveh will bring you to!
- 3) When you want something you've never had, you must do something you've never done! (insanity is: doing the same thing over and over expecting different results).
- 4) Give another what he cannot find anywhere else, and he will keep returning to you!
- 5) Winners are willing to do things they hate, to create something they love!
- 6) Yahveh never consults your past to determine your future!
- 7) Power is the ability to walk away from something you desire, to protect something you love!
- 8) Men decide they're habits, and habits decide your future!
- 9) You cannot correct what you are not willing to confront!
- 10) Loser's focus on what their going through, winners focus on what they're going to!

Those who try to lead an intellectual life don't understand what the Apostle James meant when he wrote in **James 3:15** *"This wisdom is not that which comes down from above, but is earthly, natural, demonic. For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there is disorder and every evil thing. But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, reasonable, full of mercy and good fruits, unwavering, without hypocrisy. "* James, Yeshua's brother, tells us that some wisdom can be demonic. Intellect is the most dangerous of all gifts if it is not completely guided by the Holy Spirit. In this same book James tells us that if you know something is wrong and you continue to go along with it, it is a sin, and we all know there are consequences for our sins. **James 4:17** *"Therefore, to one who knows {the} right thing to do, and does not do it, to him it is sin."*

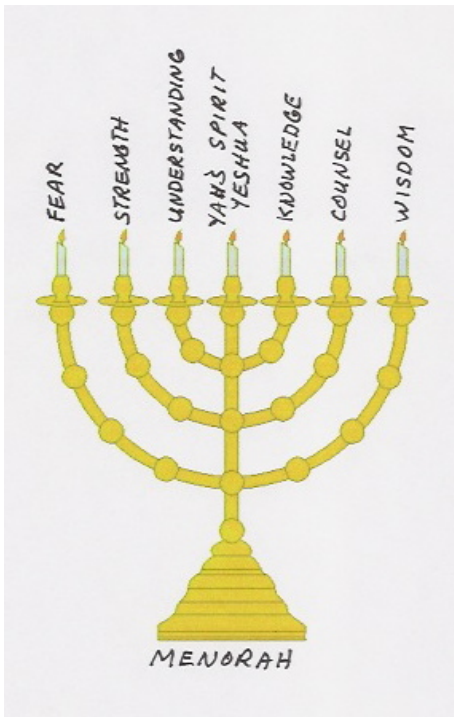
1Cor. 2:1-5 *And when I came to you, brethren, I did not come with superiority of speech or of wisdom, proclaiming to you the testimony of Elohim. 2 For I determined to know nothing among you except Yeshua, and Him crucified. 3 And I was with you in weakness and in fear and in much trembling. 4 And my message and my preaching were not in persuasive words of wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, 5 that your faith should not rest on the wisdom of men, but on the power of Elohim."*

When you study the bible you don't do it from an academic perspective. If you approach the study of torah from an academic study perspective, you will learn nothing. If you try to learn torah from an academic point of view it will not work. Adonai is Spirit, so if you want to learn His Word you must study it from a spiritual perspective as Paul explained in 1Cor. 1:1-5. Paul didn't try to teach them in the same manner a scholarly teacher would. Scholarly teachers teach in a specific way when they build things one upon another in order to

set up the teaching in a specific order to come up with a certain result. This is the teaching based on the wisdom of men. Our faith should be based on the power of God. Paul was teaching them based on the Spirit and Power of Yah, not on the wisdom of academia. When many people get into the Word they are trying to understand it, trying to get a lot of knowledge, but instead they should be asking Yah to change them so they can understand His Word. The frustration of acquiring knowledge is simple; there is no end to it. The moment you think you are starting to understand something, that is the moment you realize you know nothing. And this after you have acquired a lot of knowledge of various things. The real path of learning scripture is allowing the Spiritual words and Spiritual thoughts that come from the text to reach into your soul and change you.

Paul points out the relationship between knowledge and love, he explains true knowledge in

Eph. 3:14-19 *“For this reason, I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name, that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit in the inner man; so that Messiah may dwell in your hearts through faith; {and} that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know **the love of Messiah** which surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled up to all the fullness of Yahveh.”* True wisdom and knowledge come from Elohim and the love of Elohim.



In **Job 32:8** *“But it is a spirit in man and the breath of the Almighty gives them understanding”* Job is saying our knowledge, understanding, and wisdom, comes from Yahveh’s Spirit acting on our spirit. A person who is not born again cannot have near the understanding, knowledge and wisdom of a Believer, because it all comes from Yahveh. Until you give yourself to Yahveh, He will not make available the total understanding, knowledge and wisdom.

Psalm. 119 speaks of the wisdom we receive from Adonai when we follow His ordinances.

Ps. 119:98-104 *“O how I love Thy law! It is my meditation all the day. Thy commandments make me wiser than my enemies, For they are ever mine. I have more insight than all my teachers, For Thy testimonies are my meditation. I understand more than the aged, Because I have observed Thy precepts. I have restrained my feet from every evil way, That I may keep Thy word. I have not turned aside from*

Thine ordinances, For Thou Thyself hast taught me. How sweet are Thy words to my taste! {Yes, sweeter} than honey to my mouth! From Thy precepts I get understanding; Therefore I hate every false way.”

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