

Proverbs 2

The Plea for Wisdom

- 1. The plea for wisdom (v.1-4)
 - a. Parent
 - b. Individual
 - c. How to obtain
 - 1. Accept, store up (v.1)
 - 2. Listen, apply your heart (v.2)
 - 3. Cry out (v.3)
 - 4. Seek as treasure (v.4)

Proverbs 2 Overview

- 1. The plea for wisdom (v.1-4)
- 2. The point of wisdom & the fear of the Lord (v. 5)
- 3. The provider of wisdom (v.6)
- 4. The provisions of wisdom (v.7-9)
- 5. The perception of wisdom (v.8-9)
- 6. The protection from immorality (16-19)
- 7. The promise of wisdom (Isaiah 33:6)

The Point of Wisdom

2. The point of wisdom (v.5)

The fear of the Lord & the knowledge of God

Karen's Handout on the Fear of the Lord

The Provider of Wisdom

3. The provider of wisdom (v.6)

"For the Lord gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding."

The Provisions of Wisdom

- 4. The provisions of wisdom (v.7-9)
 - a. sound wisdom, substance (v.7)
 - b. shield & buckler (v.7)
 - c. God guards & preserves (v.8)
 - d. understanding of righteousness & justice (v.9)

5. The Perception of Wisdom (v.8-19)

- a. Ability to see only 2 paths exist: the way of the righteous & the way of the wicked
- b. The way of the righteous
 - 1. the path of justice, the way of His godly ones (v.8)
 - 2. every good course (v.9)
 - 3. the paths of uprightness (v.13)
 - 4. the paths of life (v.19)
 - 5. the way of good men (v.20) the paths of the righteous (v.20)

The Perception of Wisdom (continued)

- c. The way of the wicked
 - 1. the way of evil (v.12)
 - 2. the ways of darkness (v.13)
 - 3. crooked paths, devious ways (v.15)
 - 4. the way of the immoral woman that leads to death (v.18)

- 6. Protection from immorality (v.16-10)
- 7. The promise of wisdom (v. 20)
 The upright shall dwell in the land

Isaiah 33:6 "And He will be the stability of your times, a wealth of salvation, wisdom & knowledge; the fear of the Lord is your treasure."