

Wisdom That Works

Proverbs #61

Wisdom's Good Advice Pt. 9

Proverbs 4:7 *Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding*

Wisdom is the ability to apply God's truth to life.

REVIEW

6. Working hard is never bad for you and is the way to have the provisions you need.

Proverbs 14:23 *In all labour there is profit: but the talk of the lips tendeth only to penury.*

THIS WEEK'S LESSON

7. The greatness of a _____ is measured by the _____ of its people.

Proverbs 14:34 *Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.*

- It's a comparison of opposites
 - **Righteousness vs. Sin** = _____ and actions.

- **Exaltation vs. Reproach** = _____ or consequences.

Proverbs 11:10-11 *When it goeth well with the righteous, the city rejoiceth: and when the wicked perish, there is shouting. 11 By the blessing of the upright the city is exalted: but it is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked.*

- These verses tell us four reasons why a nation is either blessed or cursed.

How are the _____ treated?

When it goeth well with the righteous, the city rejoiceth ...

How are the _____ punished?

... and when the wicked perish, there is shouting.

Are the _____ righteous?

By the blessing of the upright the city is exalted ...

Is wicked _____ accepted?

... but it is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked.

- So, what can we do?

Let's raise the next _____ right.

Make sure that we live and act like _____.

Let's reach our area with the _____.

Make sure you are not _____ by our culture.

Let's back the right people in _____.