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Psalms 92:5-6

5 O Lord, how great are Your works! Your thoughts are very deep.

6 A senseless man does not know,

Nor does a fool understand this.

Proverbs 1:21-22

21 She cries out in the chief concourses,

At the openings of the gates in the city

She speaks her words:

22 "How long, you simple ones, will you love simplicity?

For scorers delight in their scorning,

And fools hate knowledge.

Proverbs 12:15-16

15 The way of a fool is right in his own eyes,

But he who heeds counsel is wise.

16 A fool's wrath is known at once,

But a prudent man covers shame.

Proverbs 14:3

3 In the mouth of a fool is a rod of pride,

But the lips of the wise will preserve them.

Proverbs 14:16-17

16 A wise man fears and departs from evil,

But a fool rages and is self-confident.

17 A quick-tempered man acts foolishly,

And a man of wicked intentions is hated

Proverbs 15:5

5 A fool despises his father's instruction,

But he who receives correction is prudent.

Proverbs 15:7

7 The lips of the wise disperse knowledge,

But the heart of the fool does not do so.

Proverbs 17:10

10 Rebuke is more effective for a wise man

Than a hundred blows on a fool.

Proverbs 17:16

16 Why is there in the hand of a fool the purchase price of wisdom,

Since he has no heart for it?

Proverbs 18:2

2 A fool has no delight in understanding,

But in expressing his own heart.

Ezekiel 28:11-19

11 Moreover the word of the LORD came to me, saying, 12 "Son of man, take up a lamentation for the king of Tyre, and say to him, 'Thus says the Lord GOD:

"You were the seal of perfection, Full of wisdom and perfect in beauty. 13 You were in Eden, the garden of God; Every precious stone was your covering: The sardius, topaz, and diamond, Beryl, onyx, and jasper, Sapphire, turquoise, and emerald with gold. The workmanship of your timbrels and pipes Was prepared for you on the day you were created.

14 "You were the anointed cherub who covers; I established you; You were on the holy mountain of God; You walked back and forth in the midst of fiery stones. 15 You were perfect in your ways from the day you were created, Till iniquity was found in you.

16 "By the abundance of your trading You became filled with violence within, And you sinned; Therefore I cast you as a profane thing Out of the mountain of God; And I destroyed you, O covering cherub, From the midst of the fiery stones.

17 "Your heart was lifted up because of your beauty; You corrupted your wisdom for the sake of your splendor; I cast you to the ground, I laid you before kings, That they might gaze at you.

18 "You defiled your sanctuaries By the multitude of your iniquities, By the iniquity of your trading; Therefore I brought fire from your midst; It devoured you, And I turned you to ashes upon the earth In the sight of all who saw you. 19 All who knew you among the peoples are astonished at you; You have become a horror, And shall be no more forever.""

Isaiah 14:12-15

12 "How you are fallen from heaven,
O Lucifer, son of the morning!

How you are cut down to the ground,
You who weakened the nations!

13 For you have said in your heart:

'I will ascend into heaven,

I will exalt my throne above the stars of God;

I will also sit on the mount of the congregation

On the farthest sides of the north;

14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds,

I will be like the Most High.'

15 Yet you shall be brought down to Sheol,

To the lowest depths of the Pit.

Psalms 14:1

1 The fool has said in his heart,

"There is no God."

They are corrupt,

They have done abominable works,

There is none who does good.

Proverbs 26:4-5

4 Do not answer a fool according to his folly,

Lest you also be like him.

5 Answer a fool according to his folly,

Lest he be wise in his own eyes.

Proverbs 26:4-5 (ERV)

4-5 There is no good way to answer fools when they say something stupid. If you answer them, then you, too, will look like a fool. If you don't answer them, they will think they are smart.

Proverbs 14:7-8

7 Go from the presence of a foolish man,

When you do not perceive in him the lips of knowledge.

8 The wisdom of the prudent is to understand his way,

But the folly of fools is deceit.

Proverbs 10:8

8 The wise in heart will receive commands,
But a prating fool will fall.

Proverbs 10:8 (AMP)

8 The wise in heart [are willing to learn so they] will accept and obey commands (instruction), But the babbling fool [who is arrogant and thinks himself wise] will come to ruin.

Revelation 3:20

20 Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me.

Luke 12:13-21

13 Then one from the crowd said to Him, "Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me."

14 But He said to him, "Man, who made Me a judge or an arbitrator over you?" 15 And He said to them, "Take heed and beware of covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of the things he possesses."

16 Then He spoke a parable to them, saying: "The ground of a certain rich man yielded plentifully. 17 And he thought within himself, saying, 'What shall I do, since I have no room to store my crops?' 18 So he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods. 19 And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry.'" 20 But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul will be required of you; then whose will those things be which you have provided?' 21 "So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

Proverbs 11:2

2 When pride comes, then comes shame;
But with the humble is wisdom.

Proverbs 16:18-19

18 Pride goes before destruction,
And a haughty spirit before a fall.
19 Better to be of a humble spirit with the lowly,
Than to divide the spoil with the proud.

James 4:6-10

6 But He gives more grace. Therefore He says:
"God resists the proud,
But gives grace to the humble."

Matthew 23:11-12

11 But he who is greatest among you shall be your servant. 12 And whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.

Romans 12:16

16 Be of the same mind toward one another. Do not set your mind on high things, but associate with the humble. Do not be wise in your own opinion.

Proverbs 22:4

4 By humility and the fear of the LORD
Are riches and honor and life.

Proverbs 3:7-8

7 Do not be wise in your own eyes;
Fear the LORD and depart from evil.

8 It will be health to your flesh, And strength to your bones.

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