PROVERBS 9-10

- **REVIEW…**
  - Be Wise…
    - Solomon was a wealthy man but the greatest inheritance he had give - was WISDOM…
    - But it was not enough to KNOW - his SON had to make sure write WISDOM on his HEART…
    - Because that it was the only thing that would keep him safe from the IMMORAL woman!
  - Immoral Woman…
    - Perhaps looking back on his life - Solomon saw regretful choices…
    - A young man sneaking down the street - to meet with a MARRIED woman…
    - She met him at CHURCH [sacrifices] - and come home to prepare her BED…
    - But he did not he was like cow being led to slaughter - her door led to DEATH!
  - Call of Wisdom…

- Solomon described WISDOM as a woman YELLING to get our attention…
- Calling to EVERYONE - desiring to show them what is MOST important in life [Jesus]
- Anyone who answers will find TRUE wealth - the RIGHTEOUSNESS of God…
- Because WISDOM was there BEFORE the beginning - **John 1:1**
- Therefore if we LISTEN to her - we will get INSTRUCTIONS from our creator…
- But the CHOICE is ours: LISTEN to her and be blessed - REJECT her and DIE!

Way of Wisdom…

- **1st – Way of Wisdom … vs. 1-18**
  - 1st – The Invitation… vs. 1-6
    - The House… vs. 1
      - Wisdom has built her house - she has hewn out her seven pillars!
      - Solomon continued to describe WISDOM [plural] as a woman…
      - A woman who built [perfect] her house on SEVEN pillars [foundation]
      - We are given the list of what those PILLARS are in the book of James!
      - **James 3:7** - "The WISDOM that is from above is first pure - then peaceable - gentle - willing to yield - full of mercy and good fruits - without partiality and without hypocrisy."
      - PURE [ἁγνός] - HOLY - this WISDOM is NOT from men but from God…
      - PEACEABLE - this WISDOM brings us PEACE [εἰρήνη] with God - **John 14:27**
      - GENTLE - this WISDOM is not harsh - it is PATIENT for us to learn…
      - YIELD [submit] - this WISDOM teaches us to put our TRUST in the LORD…
      - MERCY - this WISDOM gives us GRACE - causing us to have LOTS of FRUIT - **Galatians 5:22**
      - No PARTIALITY - this WISDOM is available to EVERYONE - **Romans 2:11**
      - No HYPOCRISY – this WISDOM is the TRUTH [ultimately describing Jesus]!
    - The Meal… vs. 2
      - She has slaughtered her meat. She has mixed her wine. She has also furnished her table.
      - She has sent out her maidens. She cries out from the highest places of the city.
      - Whoever is simple let him turn in here! As for him who lacks understanding - she says to him:
      - Come! Eat of my bread and drink of the wine I have mixed.
      - WISDOM prepared a FEAST at her HOUSE - with meat and wine - the table was all SET…
      - All that was missing was the GUESTS - so the INVITATION was sent…
      - From the center of the CITY [highest place] - the CALL went out…
      - WHOEVER needs HELP [fool] - and WANTS [jussive] a new HEART [לֵב]
      - COME [imperative] eat and drink from the FEAST [bread and wine]!
      - Just like the PARABLE of a WEDDING feast - **Matthew 22:1-10**
      - God wants His HOUSE to be filled - and calls EVERYONE to come!
      - **Matthew 22:9** - "Go into the highways - and as many as you find - invite to the wedding!"
      - Because God wants EVERYONE to be SAVED - **II Peter 3:9**
      - ALL are welcome to come and partake of the BREAD and WINE [communion] - **Luke 22:19**
      - But we have to RESPOND to the INVITATION…
      - God will not force anyone to be SAVED - He simply gives us ALL the choice!
    - The Choice… vs. 3-6
      - Forsake foolishness and live - and go in the way of understanding!
      - Responding to the INVITATION means we must [imperative] reject being FOOLISH…
      - FOOLISH - from the root word [פָּתָה] - meaning the WIDE [path]
      - Instead we need [imperative] to walk down the WAY of WISDOM [narrow] - **Matthew 7:14**
      - Usually when people have a wedding - they send out INVITES…
      - But just because someone responds - does not guarantee they will SHOW up…

- The only way to be SURE to get in - is to come to the CELEBRATION!
- If we want to ATTEND the MARRIAGE supper of the Lamb - **Revelation 19:9**
- We need to respond to the INVITATION - and we also need to follow the narrow PATH…
- Because choosing Jesus is done just with WORDS - it is seen in our WALK!

o 2nd - The Scoffer… vs. 7-8
- He who corrects a scoffer gets shame for himself.
- He who rebukes a wicked man harms himself. Do not correct a scoffer - lest he hate you!
- We WANT people to come to the FEAST of the LORD - walk the NARROW path…
- But for a SCOFFER [mocks the truth] - there is NOT much we can do to help…
- Because anyone who tries to CORRECT him - we only get MOCKED and ATTACKED [harmed]
- Therefore - do NOT [jussive] rebuke a SCOFFER - he will only HATE you for your effort!
- I was sitting at the coffee shop the other day - waiting for Hallel to get out of school…
- I KNOW that sugar filled ice blended coffees are NOT good for me - but I WANTED one…
- So I ordered it - and then Jen came and gave me a disapproving LOOK…
- I was NOT happy - not that she was WRONG - I just did NOT want to hear it!
- The reason why we cannot correct a SCOFFER - is they do NOT want to be helped…
- They KNOW their choice is WRONG - but they WANT their SIN - **John 3:19**
- And until they are BROKEN - there is NOTHING we can do to CHANGE their mind!

o 3rd - The Wise man… vs. 8-12
- Rebuke… vs. 8-9
  - Rebuke a wise man - and he will love you.
  - Give instruction to the wise and he will be wiser. Teach the just - he will increase in learning!
  - In CONTRAST - if we CORRECT [imperative] a wise man - he will LOVE us…
  - Because when we CORRECT the WISE man - it makes him WISER…
  - We show [יָדַע] him how to be RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - so he can GROW [hiphil] in the LORD!
  - The FIRST step to overcoming any SIN - is admitting we need HELP…
  - Thought it HURTS to hear the TRUTH - we are NOT good - **Psalm 14:1**
  - Until a person is willing to admit the PROBLEM - they are not open to the SOLUTION!
- Teach… vs. 10-11
  - Fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom - knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.
  - For by me your days will be multiplied - and years of life will be added to you!
  - The FIRST [beginning] thing we need to KNOW - is we should FEAR the LORD [יְהוָה]
  - We need to UNDERSTAND - that He is HOLY [קָדֹשׁ] - and we are NOT…
  - If we do - then we will cry out for GRACE - and have [hiphil] a eternal [long] life!
  - There are over a HUNDRED different shades of WHITE…
  - It is easy to MISTAKE one of those SHADES for being true WHITE…
  - That is until you compare it to the REAL thing - then it becomes obvious!
  - People think they are GOOD - because they do NOT compare themselves to the REAL thing…
  - They look at people around them - and think since they are BETTER - they are GOOD…
  - But the STANDARD for being GOOD - is to be like God - **Matthew 5:48**
  - And compared to Him - NONE of us are PURE - **Isaiah 64:6**
  - Knowing that causes us to run to Jesus for the GRACE to make us WHITE!
  - **Isaiah 1:18** - "Though your sins are like scarlet - they shall be as white as snow."
- Contrast… vs. 12
  - If you are wise you are wise for yourself - and if you scoff you will bear it alone!
  - For those who are WISE - who SEE their need for God…
  - They will be receive from God WISDOM [Jesus] - who will bear our SIN - **I Corinthians 1:24**
  - But those who MOCK - reject God - will be left to bear their SIN alone!

- We will all have to one day stand before the Great White Throne - **Revelation 20:13**
- But for those who are WISE - they will NOT have to answer for their SINS…
- Because Jesus bore their SINS for them - and NAILED them to the CROSS!
- **Colossians 2:14** - "He canceled the charges against us… by nailing [them] to the cross." [NLT]

o 4th - The Fool… vs. 13-18

- Call of sin… vs. 13-15
  - A foolish woman is clamorous. She is simple and knows nothing.
  - For she sits at the door of her house - on a seat by the highest places of the city.
  - To call to those who pass by - who go straight on their way!
  - The FOOL - from the verb [כָּסַל] - to have NO common sense…
  - Is like WOMAN who knows NOTHING - but is always TALKING…
  - She sits at the DOOR - calling out to ALL who walk [piel] the NARROW path - **Matthew 7:14**
  - It is not enough to REJECT the WISDOM of God - NOT believe in Jesus…
  - The FOOL wants to convince others to follow them in their FOOLISH choice…
  - They try and get those who DO believe - to SIN with them!
  - **Romans 1:32** - "They encourage others to [sin] too!" [NLT]
- The Lie… vs. 16-17
  - Whoever is simple let him turn in here. As for him who lacks understanding she says to him:
  - Stolen water is sweet - and bread eaten in secret is pleasant!
  - ONLY the NAÏVE will listen [turn] to what the FOOL says…
  - Because the FOOL does NOT have [lacks] a new HEART [לֵב]
  - That is why they think that FORBIDDEN sin [water - bread] is sweet and pleasant!
  - The world is always trying to convince us that God got it wrong…
  - All those things the LORD tells us we are NOT allowed to do - are the BEST things…
  - As if God is a like a mean Dad - who just wants to keep us from having FUN!
- Death… vs. 18
  - He does not know that the dead are there - that her guests are in the depths of hell!
  - What the FOOL who encourages others to SIN does not SEE [יָדַע]
  - Is that the path they are going down leads to DEATH - and HELL [שְׁאוֹל]
  - God does NOT tell us to stay away from SIN because to keep us from having FUN…
  - He tells us because He knows that in the end - that kind of life brings DEATH…
  - The LORD is trying to keep us from the things that would HARM us…
  - The WAY of WISDOM is to realize - this world has nothing to offer us - we want Jesus!

- **2ND - WISE SAYINGS… VS. 1-32**

o The Proverbs… vs. 1

- The proverbs of Solomon:
  - **Proverbs 1-9** - was an introduction to the WISDOM of God…
  - **Proverbs 10:1 - 22:16** - is the SECOND section of the book…
  - A collection of sayings - laid out as individual truths [verses]
  - Often the statements are NOT connected – there is not much context or organization…
  - So we will look at and interpret each PROVERB individually!
- Hebrew Poetry…
  - Proverbs s a book of Hebrew POETRY - which does not rhyme WORDS but IDEAS…
  - We will see a lot of this style of RHYMING as we come into the SECOND section…
  - Proverbs that will COMPARE or CONTRAST ideas - BUT [וּ] is used 244x in the book [NKJV]
  - Proverbs that will COMPARE ideas - LIKE or AS [כְּ] - are used 105x in the book [NKJV]
  - Proverbs that will BUILD on ideas - AND [וּ] is used 488x in the book [NKJV]!
  - NOTE - the word AND as well as BUT - are the same word in Hebrew [וּ]

- The only way to know which to use is by the CONTEXT of the verse!

o 1st - Wise Son… vs. 1
- A wise son makes a glad father - BUT a foolish son is the grief of his mother!
- If a CHILD is WISE - choses to walk the NARROW path - it brings JOY [piel] to their FATHER…
- But if a CHILD is a FOOL - it is HEAVY on the heart of their MOTHER!
- **III John 1:4** - "I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth."
- It is true that DADS are proud when their kids make GOOD [wise] choices…
- And it is often the MOMS who have to carry [heavy] their KIDS when they FAIL…
- But DADS - we need to remember we are the ones called to TRAIN our kids - **Ephesians 6:4**
- Godly KIDS do not happen by ACCIDENT - they are the result of a LOVING father!

o 2nd - Wise Treasure… vs. 2-5
- Righteousness… vs. 2
  - Treasures of wickedness profit nothing - BUT righteousness delivers from death!
  - All of the MONEY in the world cannot SAVE us in the END…
  - The ONLY thing that will save us from DEATH - is the RIGHTEOUSNESS [צְדָקָה] of God!
  - People CHASE after MONEY their whole lives - never stopping to ask WHY…
  - What good will their MONEY do when they stand before God!
  - **Mark 8:36** - "What will it profit a man if he gains the whole world - and loses his own soul."
- Provision… vs. 3
  - LORD will not allow the righteous soul to famish - BUT casts away the desire of the wicked!
  - God will NOT allow those who are RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] to go HUNGRY…
  - But He will IGNORE [imperfect] the prayers [desire] of the WICKED!
  - The world CHASES after MONEY because they have no promise God will provide…
  - But we do NOT need to WORRY - God will take care of all our NEEDS!
  - **Luke 12:31** - "Seek first the kingdom of God… and all these things shall be added to you."
- Diligent work… vs. 4-5
  - He who has a slack hand becomes poor - BUT the hand of the diligent makes rich!
  - He who gathers in summer is a wise son. He who sleeps in harvest causes shame!
  - A man makes [עָשָׂה] himself POOR - because he refuses to WORK…
  - A man makes [עָשָׂה] himself RICH - because he never stops WORKING…
  - The SON who WORKS during the summer [when others take a break] - is WISE…
  - The SON who does not WORK during the harvest [required work] - is SHAME!

  - God promises to provide for us - give us food to eat - **Matthew 6:26**
  - God can - and does at times - miraculously provide for our needs [manna from heaven]
  - But that does not mean we get to sit down and wait for the feast to arrive...
  - The most common way God provides - is we WORK to put food on the table…
  - We are NOT to be a burden to others - we are to be accountable for our own needs!
  - **II Thessalonians 3:10** - "If anyone will not work - neither shall he eat."

o 3rd - Wise Man… vs. 6-7
- Blessings are on the head of the righteous - BUT violence covers the mouth of the wicked.
- The memory of the righteous is blessed - BUT the name of the wicked will rot!
- God BLESSES every THOUGHT [head] of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] man…
- As a RESULT - people will always REMEMBER the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] man…
- But the WICKED man uses his words [mouth] - to try and HIDE his destroyed [חָמָס] life…
- And even the NAME of the WICKED will disappear [rot]!
- Having a BLESSED life is not about what we DO - it is about who we KNOW…
- Because when we KNOW the LORD - He will make everything we do PROSPER!

- **Psalm 1:3** - "Whatever he does shall prosper."

o 4th - Wise Walk… vs. 8-10
- The wise in heart will receive commands - BUT a prating fool will fall.
- He who walks with integrity walks securely - BUT he who perverts his ways will become known.
- He who winks with the eye causes trouble - BUT a bold rebuke promotes peace [NLT]!
- Wise man…
  - The man with a WISE heart [לֵב] - LISTENS to the WORD [commands] of God…
  - He will WALK on the NARROW [integrity] way - and will be SAFE!
- Foolish man…
  - But the FOOL [אֱוִיל] - LISTENS to his own words and therefore FALLS down…
  - He WALKS down the WIDE [perverted] path - and EVERYONE will SEE [יָדַע] his folly…
  - He WINKS at SIN - as it is NOT a big deal - NOT dangerous…
  - Which is why the FOOL should be REBUKED - so he can have PEACE [from LXX]!
  - There is a WAR inside of all of us - between our FLESH and our SPIRIT…
  - They BATTLE to control our MIND - dictating how we live our lives - **Galatians 5:17**
  - The FOOL listens to his FLESH - WALKING according to his own ideas…
  - But the WISE man listens to the WORD of the LORD - WALKING in the SPIRIT!

o 5th - Wise Message… vs. 11-14
- The mouth of the righteous is a well of life - BUT violence covers the mouth of the wicked.
- Hatred stirs up strife - BUT love covers all sins.
- Wisdom is found on the lips of him who has understanding.
- BUT a rod is for the back of him who is devoid of understanding.
- Wise people store up knowledge - BUT the mouth of the foolish is near destruction!
- Wise man…
  - The WORDS [mouth] of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - refresh [well] those who listen to him…
  - He SPEAKS the words of LOVE [Jesus] - who takes away ALL [כָּל] of our SIN…
  - His KNOWLEDGE [of Jesus] brings [niphal] WISDOM to those who listen…
  - And those who are WISE - will TREASURE what SAYS [knowledge]!
- Foolish man…
  - But the WORDS [mouth] of the WICKED - are only used to HIDE their destroyed [חָמָס] lives…
  - They are full of BITTERNESS [hatred] - and can only bring DIVISION…
  - They have NO heart [לֵב] - therefore they need to be BROKEN [rod]
  - Because their WORDS have the potential to DESTROY others as well!
  - We are going to give one of TWO messages to the world…
  - We can try and HIDE our SIN - and spread a MESSAGE that brings BITTERNESS [hatred]
  - Or we can give ADMIT we are NOT good - so we see we NEED help…
  - Then we can share the MESSAGE of LOVE - Jesus who takes away our SIN!

o 6th - Wise Wealth… vs. 15-17
- The rich mans wealth is his strong city. The destruction of the poor is their poverty.
- The labor of the righteous leads to life. The wages of the wicked to sin.
- He who keeps instruction is in the way of life - BUT he who refuses correction goes astray!
- The RICH…
  - The STRENGTH [city] of a RICH man - is found in his WEALTH…
  - And the WORK of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - is seen in how they LIVE…
  - Because he LISTENS [keeps] to the instructions of the WAY to LIFE!
- The Poor…
  - But the RUIN of the POOR - is their lack of WEALTH [poverty]
  - And the FRUIT of the WICKED - is seen in their SIN…

        - Because they refuse to be CORRECTED - causing [hiphil] them to go the wrong way!
        - God knows how to get our attention - one of the best ways is MONEY...
        - When we have LOTS of MONEY - we tend to ignore God..
        - Therefore - God will allows our lives to be RUINED - no money...
        - The question is do we LISTEN - so we can find the WAY of life…
        - Or do we REFUSE to be corrected - and end up going the WRONG way!
- 7th - Wise Words… vs. 18-21
    - Whoever hides hatred has lying lips - AND whoever spreads slander is a fool.
    - In the multitude of words sin is not lacking - BUT he who restrains his lips is wise.
    - The tongue of the righteous is choice silver. The heart of the wicked is worth little.
    - The lips of the righteous feed many - BUT fools die for lack of wisdom!
    - Lying lips…
        - The person who hides their HATRED - makes them a LIAR…
        - It causes [hiphil] them to spread RUMORS about others - making them a FOOL…
        - But no matter how many WORDS they use - it will not take away their hatred [sin]
        - Making the HEART of the WICKED worth very little…
        - In fact their lack of HEART [לֵב] - is what is KILLING [imperfect] them!
        - When we are HURT - and do NOT forgive - it plants seeds of BITTERNESS in our heart…
        - We can try and HIDE it - but it will come out in what we SAY [gossip]
        - It will act like a POISON - that slowly kills our heart…
        - And the only SOLUTION - is to take it to the Lord and FORGIVE - **Matthew 6:15**
    - Righteous lips…
        - The man who CLOSES his mouth [lips] - is WISE…
        - When he does use his WORDS [tongue] - they are VALUABLE [silver]
        - The WORDS of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] are a blessing [feed] to MANY!
        - **James 3:5** – "The tongue is a small thing - but what enormous damage it can do…"
        - We need to be aware of the weight of our WORDS – they are POWERFUL…
        - Wounds can heal over time - but WORDS leave scars that NEVER go away…
        - Better to think first about what we are going to say - the consequence of our words...
        - It is easy to say something - it is almost impossible to take our words back!
        - **Ephesians 4:29** – "Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth - but what is good for necessary edification - that it may impart grace to the hearers."

- 8th - Wise Lord…. vs. 22
    - The blessing of the LORD makes one rich - AND He adds no sorrow with it!
    - It is the BLESSING [בָּרַךְ] of the LORD that causes [hiphil] someone to be RICH…
    - But it is NOT the only way to get RICH - there is a WORLDLY way!
    - **I Timothy 6:10** - "The love of money is a root of all kinds of evil - for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness - and pierced themselves through with many sorrows."
    - People who seek MONEY - will STRAY [passive] from God…
    - As a result of their GREED [ὀρέγω] - to stretch for something that is out of reach…
    - They will be PIERCED through with MANY sorrows…
    - Because these people make MONEY their god – instead of Jesus - **Matthew 6:24**
    - But if we DESIRE Jesus - He will BLESS us - and there will be NO sorrow!
- 9th - Wise Dreams… vs. 23-24
    - To do evil is like [fun] to a fool - BUT a man of understanding has wisdom.
    - The fear of the wicked will come upon him - AND the desire of the righteous will be granted!
    - The Fool…

- Planning EVIL is fun for those who are FOOLS…
- But in the end - the NIGHTMARE [terror] of the WICKED will come true!

- The Righteous…
  - WISDOM is given to the those who UNDERSTAND [they need Jesus]
  - And the DREAM [desire] of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] will be given [imperfect] to him!
  - What a contrast - the worst thing a fool can think of - is what will happen to him…
  - Yet the best thing that that a Godly person can dream of - God will give to him!

o 10th - Wise Foundation… vs. 25
- When the whirlwind passes the wicked is no more.
- BUT the righteous has an everlasting foundation!
- When the STORM comes - the WICKED are wiped [אַיִן] out…
- But it does NOT move the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - because they are on an IMMOVABLE foundation!
- **Matthew 7:25** - "[He] did not fall - for [he] was founded on the rock."
- EVERYONE will have to go through STORMS in life - TOUGH times…
- The question of whether or not we make it through – depends on our FOUNDATION…
- I love that powerful New Testament truths - are first found in the Old Testament!

o 11th - Wise Help… vs. 26
- As vinegar to the teeth and smoke to the eyes - SO is the lazy man to those who send him!
- VINEGAR - is very acidic - and can irritate sensitive teeth…
- SMOKE - is always very irritating when it blows into our eyes…
- In the same way - the LAZY man is irritating to the person who hires him!
- Jesus gave a parable of TWO brothers - both were asked to WORK - **Matthew 21:28-31**
- One said YES but did NOT go - the other said NO but went and did the work!
- Good HELP is not the person who says they will do the WORK…
- The person who is faithful to do the WORK - are a blessing!

o 12th - Wise Hope… vs. 27-28
- The fear of the LORD prolongs days - BUT the years of the wicked will be shortened.
- The hope of the righteous will be gladness - BUT the expectation of the wicked will perish!
- The Righteous…
  - Those who FEAR the LORD - will add [hiphil] DAYS to their LIFE…
  - And the HOPE [יָחַל] of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - will be given to them [gladly]!
- The Wicked…
  - But the YEARS of the WICKED - will be very SHORT…
  - And the HOPE [קָוָה] of the WICKED - will die with them!
  - **Hebrews 11:1** - "Faith is the substance of things HOPED for- the evidence of things not seen."
  - HOPE – carries the idea of expectation – what we EXPECT to happen…
  - The WICKED hope for a GOOD life - but LIFE is very short…
  - The WICKED hope they will not be JUDGED - but that hope will die with them…
  - The Godly hope for HEAVEN - and will be given everlasting LIFE…
  - The Godly hope for FORGIVENESS - and it will be given to them GLADLY!

o 13th - Wise Life… vs. 29-30
- Way of the LORD is strength for the upright.
- BUT destruction will come to the workers of iniquity.
- The righteous will never be removed - BUT the wicked will not inhabit the earth!
- The Righteous…
  - The LORD will give STRENGTH to those who look to the END [תֻּמַּם]
  - And the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] will NEVER be shaken!
- The Wicked…

- But the WICKED will come to an END - they will be destroyed…
- God will NOT let them ABIDE on the EARTH!
- People tend to live without an ETERNAL perspective…
- They look at TODAY - and never think about what will happen in the END…
- But it only those who LIVE for HEAVEN - will have a GOOD life here on EARTH!

o 14th - Wise Truth… vs. 31-32
  - The mouth of the righteous brings forth wisdom - BUT the perverse tongue will be cut out.
  - Lips of the righteous know what is acceptable - BUT the mouth of the wicked is perverse!
  - The Righteous…
    - The WORDS [mouth] of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] bear the FRUIT of WISDOM…
    - And the WORDS of the RIGHTEOUS [צַדִּיק] - KNOW [יָדַע] what is the TRUTH!
  - The Wicked…
    - But the TONGUE [words] of the WICKED - will be cut off [not last]
    - Because the WORDS [mouth] of the WICKED are not the TRUTH [perverse]!
    - The world has sold a LIE – go to SCHOOL for TWENTY years - to get a good JOB…
    - So we can make a lot of MONEY – buy a nice HOUSE – then RETIRE - and DIE…
    - The whole purpose of this LIE is to keep us busy - till we have no TIME left…
    - Because the TRUTH life has only one purpose - to CHOSE where will we spend ETERNITY…
    - And the WISDOM is to live our lives with HEAVEN as the goal!