

QUESTIONS FOR THE MAIN THEMES FROM PROVERBS

1. Does my life revolve around God as it should? If not, in what ways do you suspect it might not?
2. Do you feel I live life from the starting point, “not my will but yours be done”? How so? Do you feel I hold on to my agenda?
3. Does my life show evidence that I fear the Lord? If not, why would you say this?
4. Do you feel I fear sin? What sin do you suspect I do not fear (both it’s root and it’s affect on my life)?
5. Do you believe I value wisdom, knowledge, understanding and good judgment? What could I do to obtain and treasure these more?
6. How would you rate my pursuit of wisdom, knowledge, understanding and sound judgment from you? Where do you think I could grow?
7. Do I spurn your correction, counsel, warnings and direction? How so? How could I grow in this area? Do you detect evidences of being what Proverbs calls a “mocker” in my life? One who presumes on God’s goodness and wisdom?
8. Do I value your perspective, input, warnings, direction? Do I pursue it as I should? Do I display an initiative in drawing you out and receiving wisdom from your experience and maturity? Do I receive with gratefulness?
9. Do you believe I am proud in my heart? What evidences of arrogance to you perceive in my life? What counsel would you have for me to nurture greater levels of humility in my life?
10. Do you believe I am impressed with myself? Does my life reflect lowliness, meekness, humility and gentleness, as our Lord described himself? Are you concerned at what I seem to admire?
11. How would you rate me in making wise choices for my life? What would be some examples of decisions I have made or am considering making that you do not think are wise and discerning? Or, that you think are motivated by my own self interests and desires?
12. What area under “Miscellaneous aspects of character” concerns you the most when you look at my life? What counsel or guidance would you have for me so I can grow in Christlikeness in this area over the next year?