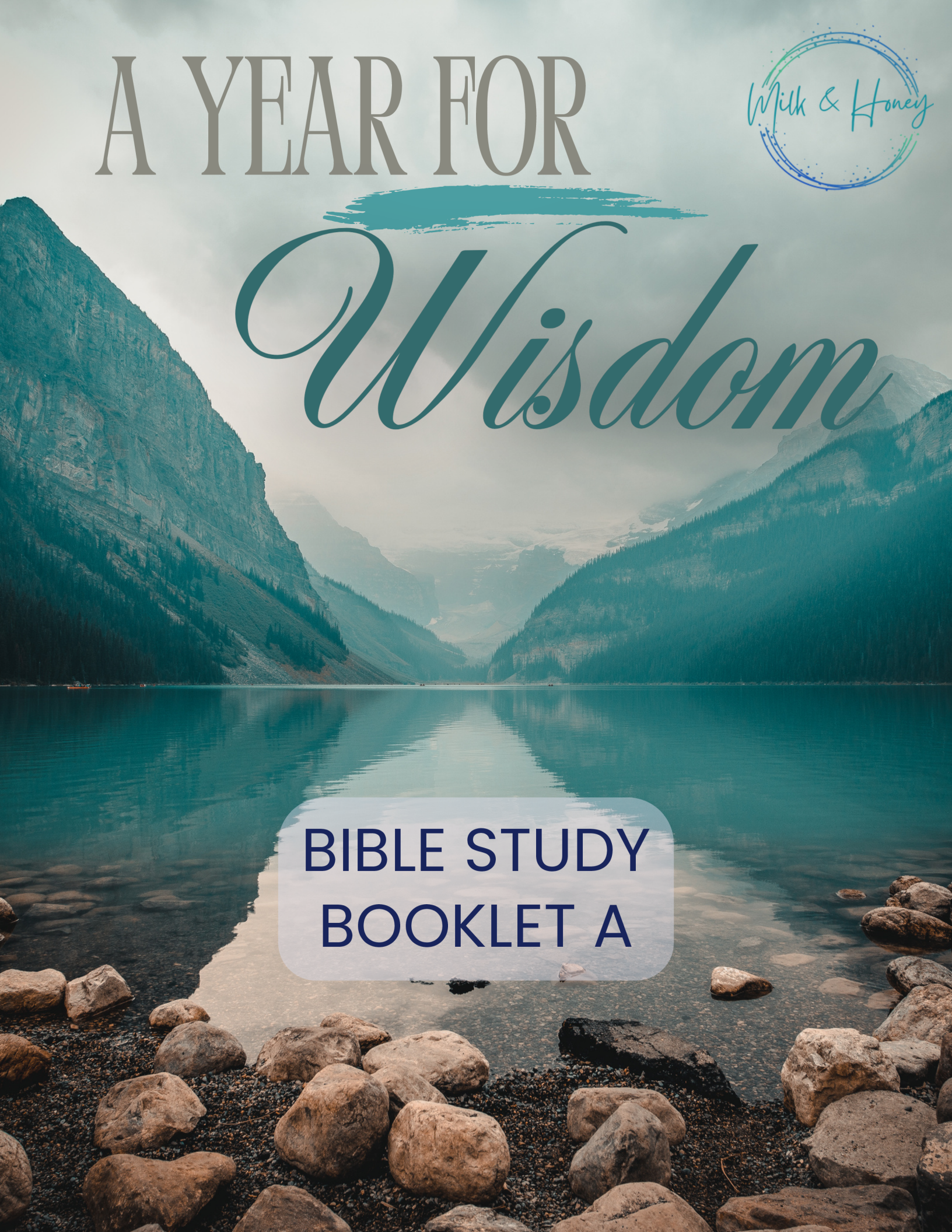




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BIBLE STUDY
BOOKLET A

Bible Study Booklets A and B are a compliment to the Middle School / Teens and Adult Studies.

The Bible reading and discussion points are the same, but the answers are single words / drawings or activities.

Young children will learn a lot from being in the room while the family discusses biblical principles, while being occupied with their own activity when the older members of the family are writing down their answers.

You may like to give younger children, just the pages for that nights study rather than the whole booklet. Young children can learn to sit and listen as the bible passages are read and then to add their answers to the questions that are asked.

Keep these pages in a file or folder, as some you will need for more than one night.

If your child is not much of a drawer/colourer, a great idea is to have some play dough, paint set or other material, that they can create the scenes with.

It is also recommended to have a special set of colours/textas/pens that are only used for family bible study.

Remember, the goal for very young children (Booklet A users) is to get into a routine of sitting down and discussing the bible as a family on a regular basis. Their participation in the discussion will grow as they do, and they may or may not do some of the activities. But they are learning a vital skill.



My suggestion is to read and explain the activity to the youngest children first, then they can be colouring or creating as the rest of the family participates in answering the questions.

Suggestion:

- Read through the bible passage as a family. Child who have their own bibles should be following along or taking turns reading depending on the length of the passage
- Read the instructions in Booklet A, and get the youngest family members started on their activity.
- The rest of the family goes through that days questions together.
- Pray together at the end
- Pack away all the colours ready for next Bible Study



Week 1: The Value of Wisdom

Day 1 – Study Questions:

James 1:5

"If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you".

1 – How do you feel when you make a good choice? Circle the feelings you have when you make a good choice. Colour or decorate them.

HAPPY

SAD

ANGRY

GOOD

FORGETFUL

JOYFUL

SHY

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2 – Draw a picture of yourself praying for God’s help with a hard situation you are in. Tell you family about it.

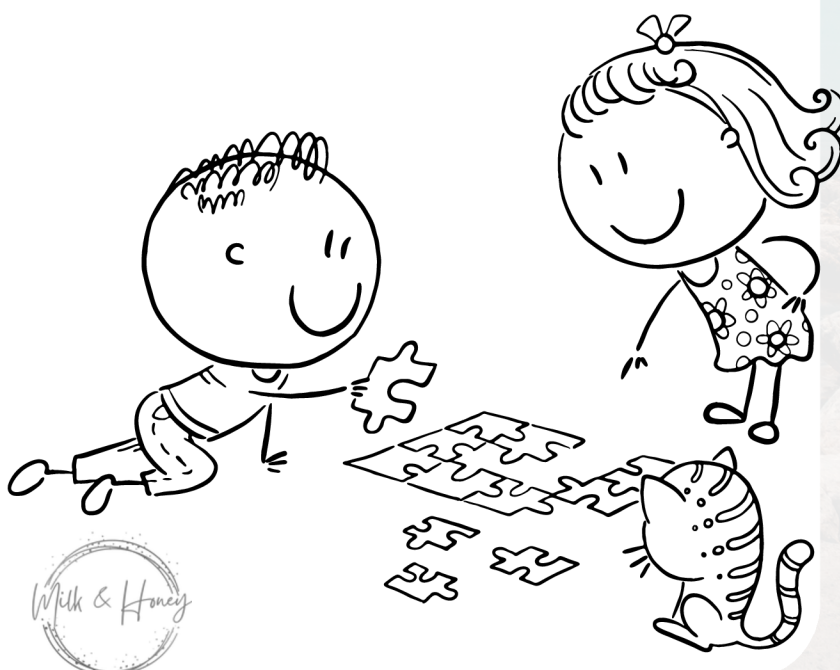


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Day 2 - Study Questions:

"How much better to get wisdom than gold, to get insight rather than silver!" (Proverbs 16:16)

1 - Colour in all the children who are being helpful and showing wisdom.
Cross out all the children who only want money and things.



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Day 3 – Study Questions:

"Blessed are those who find wisdom, those who gain understanding."
(Proverbs 3:13)

1 – Draw a picture of someone who you think is wise. Trace around the words at the bottom of the page that describes them.

trustworthy

safe

Christian

thoughtful



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Week 2: Attitude in Gaining Wisdom

Day 1 - Study Questions:

"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding." (Proverbs 3:5)

1 - Be wise today and help your friend find their lost toy. Trace the line to the toy, and when you have helped them, colour the picture and trace over the word wise.



wise



wise



wise

wise

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2 – Sometimes it is hard to do what we know God would want. Can you think of 3 things that we can do, that help us to grow our trust in God?

Ask an adult to write them on the lines.

1

2

3

3 – Draw a picture of you doing one of these things.

A large white rounded rectangle with rounded corners, intended for a child to draw a picture of themselves doing one of the three things listed above. The rectangle is empty and occupies the bottom half of the page.

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Day 2 – Study Questions:

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding." (Proverbs 9:10)

1 – Ask an adult to read these two sentences to you.

Then colour and decorate the next page. Ask an adult to read it to you each night so you can remember it.

Worldly knowledge teaches me to think about myself, take the biggest cookies and that money is more important than anything else.

Spiritual knowledge teaches me to have patience, tell the truth and love God above everything else.

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Day 3 – Study Questions:

"When pride comes, then comes disgrace, but with humility comes wisdom." (Proverbs 11:2)

1 – Ask an adult to read the sentence at the bottom of the page. Colour or collage the picture. (Choose the page you like most)



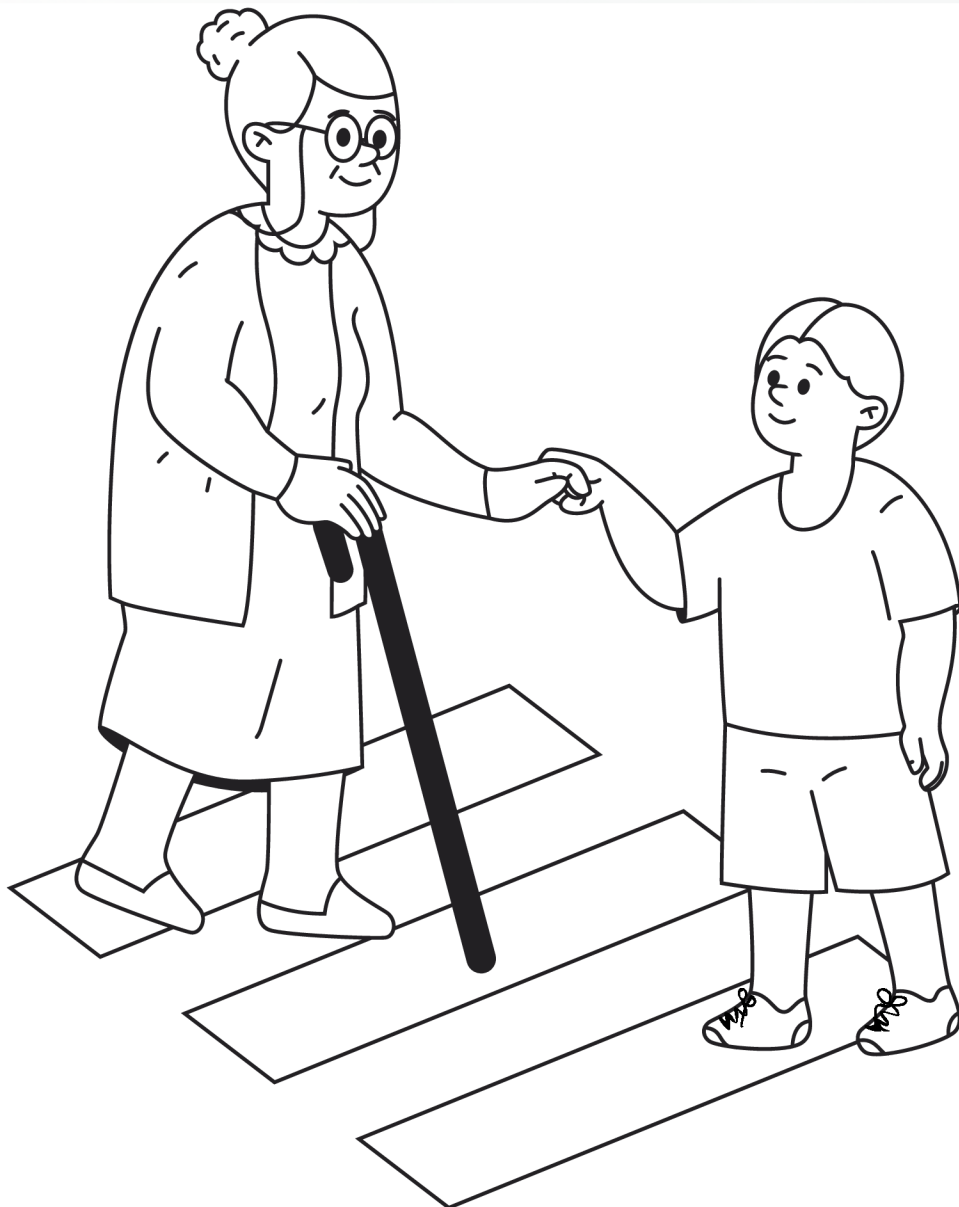
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Week 3 - Actions that Lead to Wisdom

Day 1 - Study Questions:

"Listen to advice and accept discipline, and at the end you will be counted among the wise."
(Proverbs 19:20)

1 - Colour in and decorate this cards. Cut them out. Ask an adult to read them to you and decide which bucket to glue them in on the next page.



Advice that is based on
Scripture.



Advice that comes from
someone I trust.



Advice that hurts other
people.



Advice that helps me to
do better.



Advice that comes from
some who I do not trust



Advice that pushes me
away from God.



Advice that encourages
other people.

Good (Wise)
Advice



*Bad (Unwise)
Advice*

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Day 2 – Study Questions:

"Apply your heart to instruction and your ears to words of knowledge."
(Proverbs 23:12)

1 – Draw a picture of you and your family listening to the Bible. Or colour in the next page.

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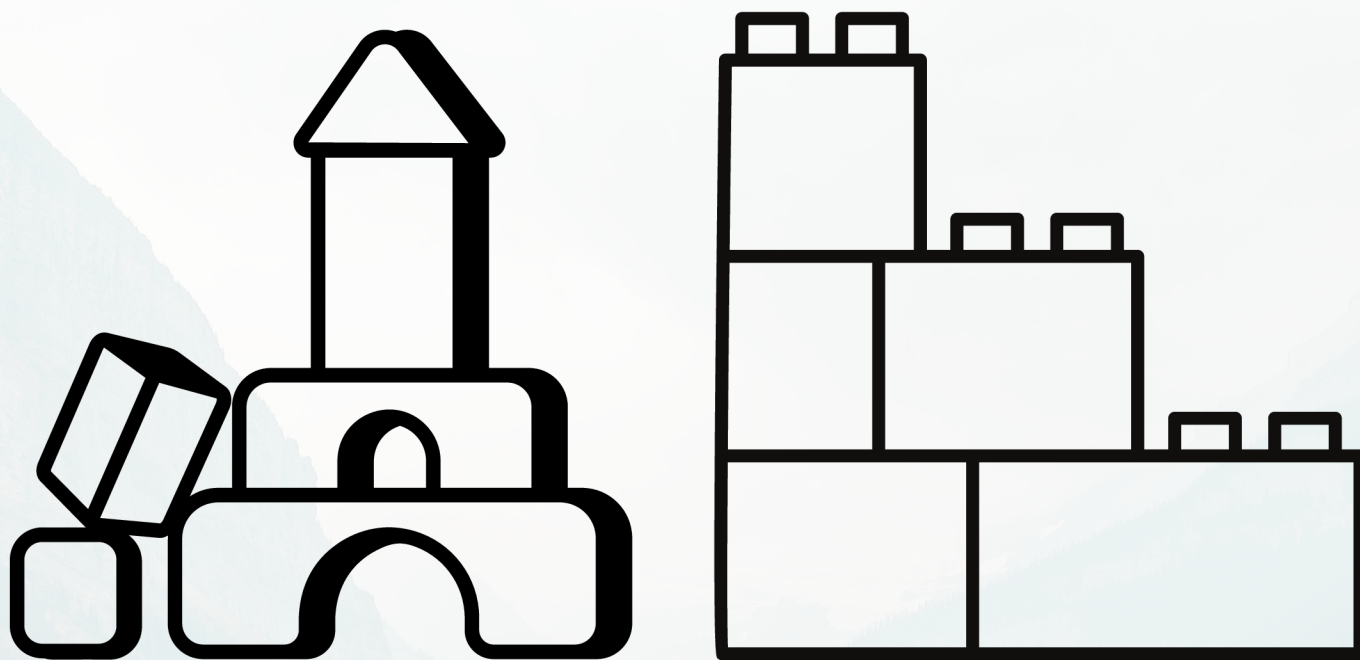
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2 – Using your lego or blocks build the tallest tower you can. When it falls over, try again and again.



It is important to keep trying over and over until we get something right. This is the same with getting God's wisdom. We keep trying to obey, we keep trying be thoughtful of others, we keep trying to be truthful. We never stop trying!

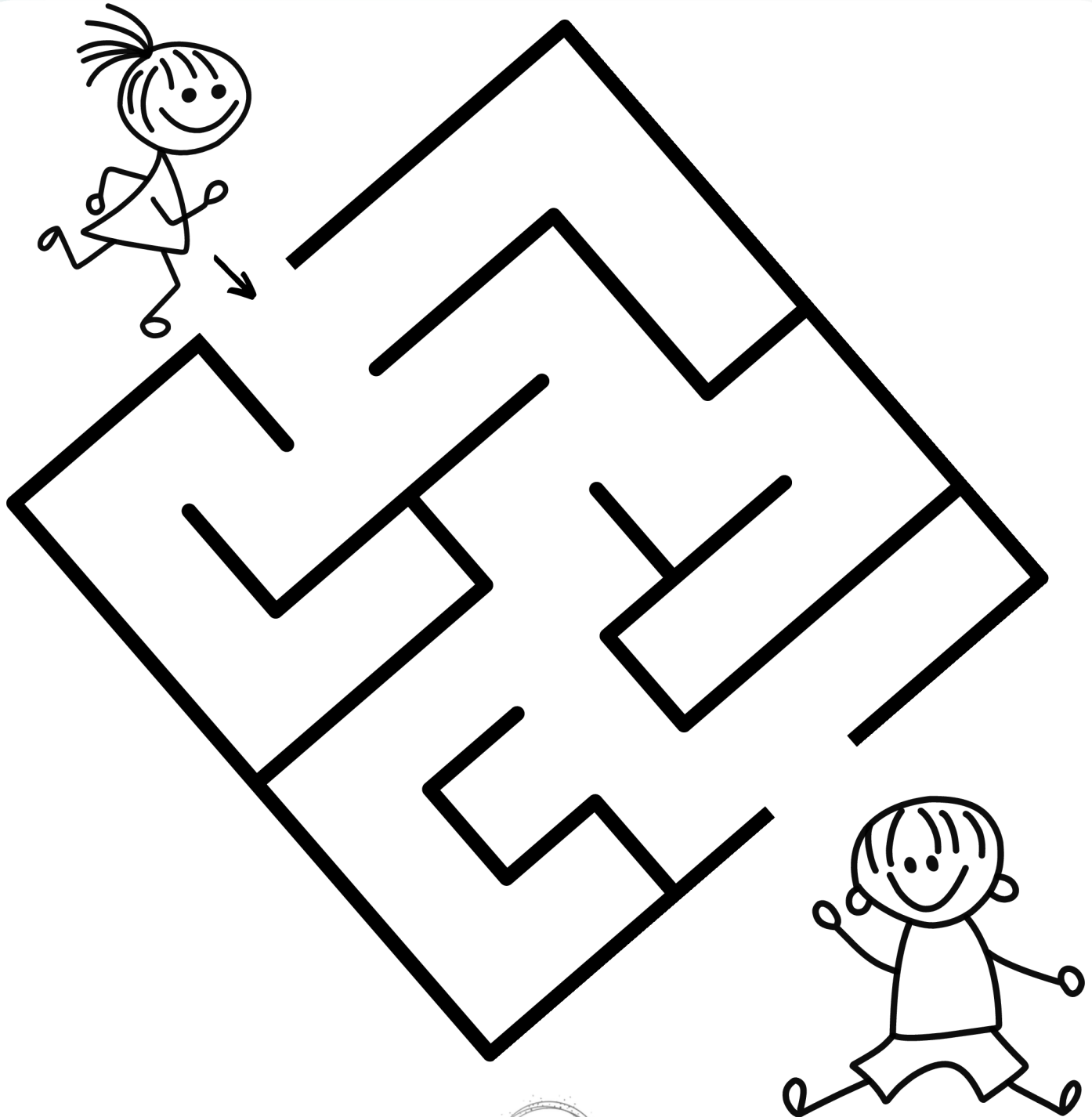


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Day 3 - Study Questions:

"Walk with the wise and become wise, for a companion of fools suffers harm." (Proverbs 13:20)

1 - Your friend needs your help. Can you get to your friend to help them?

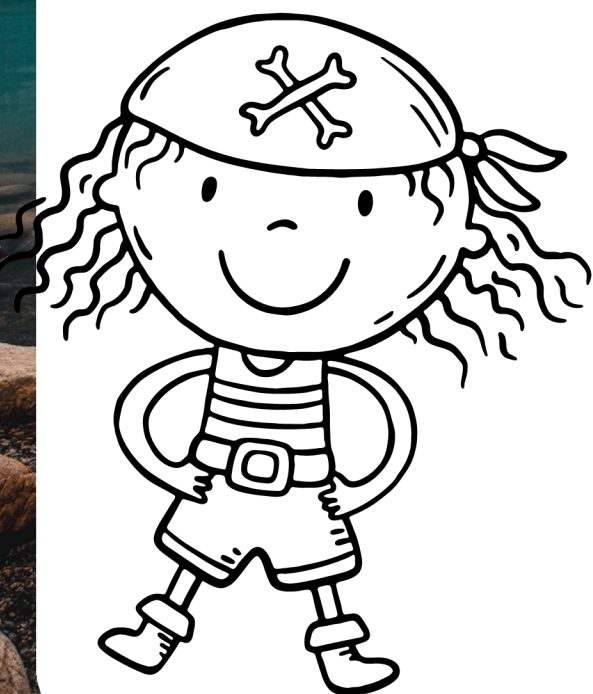
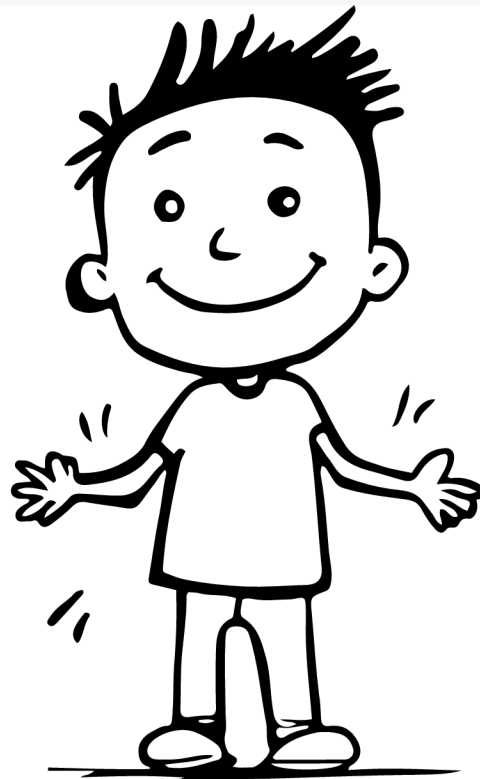


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2 – A good friend will speak to you with kind words, they will be helpful to you and truthful.

Choose 2 friends from this page who look like they are kind, helpful and truthful. Colour them in, cut them out, and glue them on the next page.

Draw yourself in the middle.



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I am kind, helpful and truthful with my friends.

My Friend

ME

My Friend

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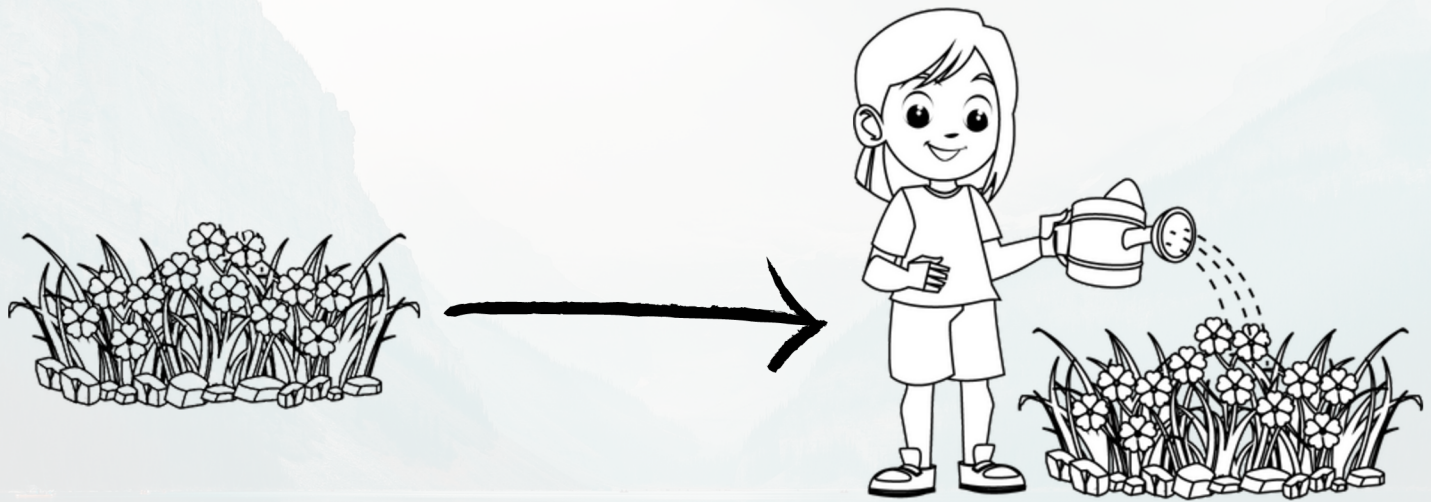
Week 4 - When Wisdom is Gained

Day 1 - Study Questions:

"Wisdom will save you from the ways of wicked men." (Proverbs 2:12)

1 - Knowledge is information, Wisdom is doing the right thing with it.

eg. I know these are flowers. Wisdom tells me they need water.

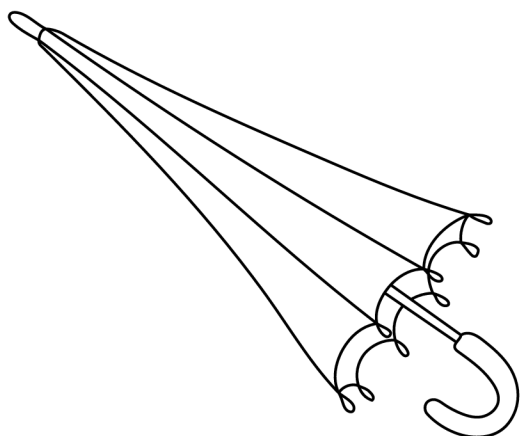
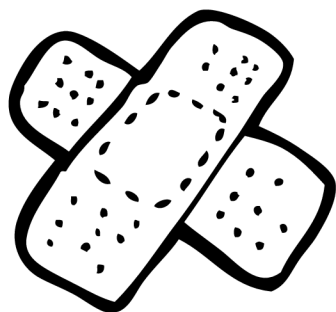
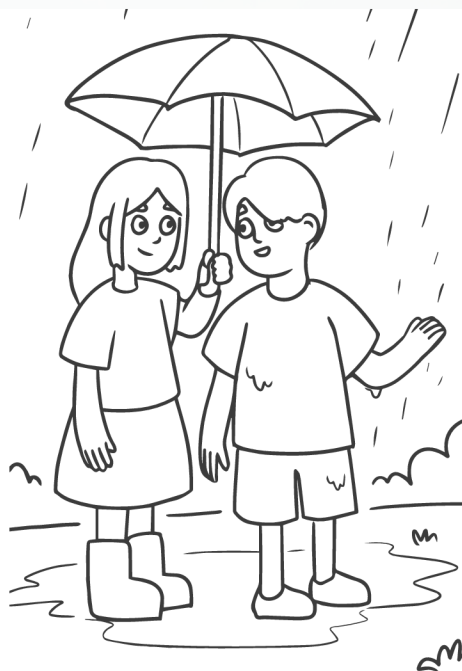


On the next two pages match up the thing that you know with Wisdom.

Remember:

Knowledge is just information that we learn, but Wisdom is how we use that information to make good choices in life.





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Day 2 - Study Questions:

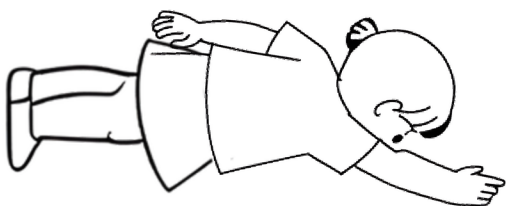
"What makes a person wise is understanding what to do." (Proverbs 14:8)

1 - Sometimes it is easy to know what what wise thing is to do, but sometimes it is hard. Colour in the pictures on the next two pages. Ask an adult to read the description to you, then draw yourself doing the wisest thing you can think of. Tell an adult about the picture and what you would do to help.

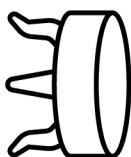
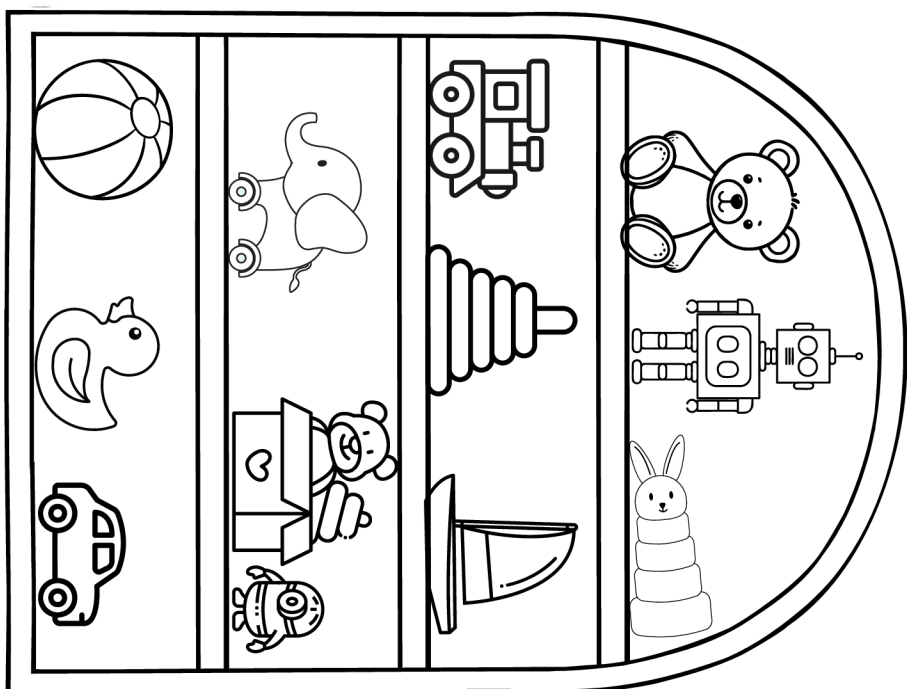


You notice a friends apple rolls off the bench, but you friend did not see it.





You see your little sister trying to get her
Teddy off the top shelf of the toy cupboard.



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James 1:5

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1 – Make a Poster for your wall. On the next page colour or collage around the words of the prayer. Make it bright and fun!

Ask an adult to read it to you every morning.

Parents: After saying the prayer together each morning, spend a few moments talking about situations that might happen that day.



Dear Lord,
please help
me to make
wise choices
today. Amen



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