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La Jolla Christian Fellowship

Learning Curve: A Study of Proverbs: Ep. 2 Do What You Know
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NIV 1984 Version Proverbs 3:5-10

- Vs. 5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart
and lean not on your own understanding;
⁶ in all your ways acknowledge him,
and he will make your paths straight.
⁷ Do not be wise in your own eyes;
fear the Lord and shun evil.
⁸ This will bring health to your body
and nourishment to your bones.
⁹ Honor the Lord with your wealth,
with the firstfruits of all your crops;
¹⁰ then your barns will be filled to overflowing,
and your vats will brim over with new wine.

ALL Wisdom Is Ancient

Series Premise

God is always speaking.

Series Question

How do we hear what he is saying?

Main Point: Many people want to know what God is saying about the unknowns in their lives while **failing to obey** what God has told them about the “known” areas of their lives.

Proverbs 3:5-10 is a passage of **faithful action** and **divine promise**.

- 1. Acknowledgement = Straight Paths**
- 2. Fear = Health**
- 3. Honor = Provision**

THE ACTION AND THE PROMISE

Clear Direction/Health/Provision

1. **Acknowledge: Vs. 5** Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; **6 In all your ways acknowledge him, (AND) he will make your paths straight.**
 - a. Action: **REMEMBER**

 - b. (And he will make your paths straight)
 - i. TILLING THE GROUND

2. **Fear:** Do not be wise in your own eyes; **fear the Lord and shun evil. 8 (This will)** bring health to your body and nourishment to your bones.
 - a. **ACTION:** Reverent Respect
 - b. **PROMISE:** Health

3. **Honor: Vs. 9** Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; **10 (then)** your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine.
 - a. Pay Tribute
 - i. ACTION: Giving away the first fruits
 - ii. Promise: Your barns will be filled.

THIS WEEKS CHALLENGE: