

Proverbs 3:19-35

Proverbs 3 – Security (Lesson 8 KJV)

¹⁹ The LORD **by wisdom** hath founded the earth; **by understanding** He hath established the heavens. ²⁰ **By His knowledge** the deeps are broken up, and the clouds drop down the dew.

²¹ My son, let not **them** depart from thine eyes: keep **sound wisdom** and **discretion**. ²² So shall **they** be life unto thy soul, and grace to thy neck.

²³ Then shalt thou walk in thy way safely, and thy foot shall not stumble.

²⁴ When thou liest down, thou shalt not be afraid: yea, thou shalt lie down, and thy sleep shall be sweet.

²⁵ Be not afraid of sudden fear, neither of the desolation of the wicked, when it cometh. ²⁶ For the LORD shall be thy confidence, and shall keep thy foot from being taken.

The Offense

²⁷ **Withhold not** good from them to whom it is due, when it is in the power of thine hand to do it.

²⁸ **Say not** unto thy neighbor, "Go, and come again, and to morrow I will give;" when thou hast it by thee.

²⁹ **Devise not** evil against thy neighbor, seeing he dwelleth securely by thee.

³⁰ **Strive not** with a man without cause, if he have done thee no harm.

³¹ **Envy thou not** the oppressor, and choose none of his ways.

God's response to the disobedient

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³² For the froward is abomination to the LORD:	but his secret is with the righteous.
³³ The curse of the LORD is in the house of the wicked:	but He blesseth the habitation of the just.
³⁴ Surely He scorneth the scornors:	but He giveth grace to the lowly.
but shame shall be the promotion of fools .	³⁵ The wise shall inherit glory,