

What does the bible teach us about human wisdom in relation to God's wisdom?

1 Corinthians 1:20-21, "Has not God made foolish the wisdom of this world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world through wisdom did not know God, it pleased God through the foolishness of the message preached to save those who believe."

As such:

Proverbs 14:12, "There is a way *that seems* right to a man, but its end *is* the way of death."

1 Corinthians 2:13, "These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual."

Why?

1 Corinthians 1:18, "For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God."

What's more?

James 3:17, "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."

And as Jesus said:

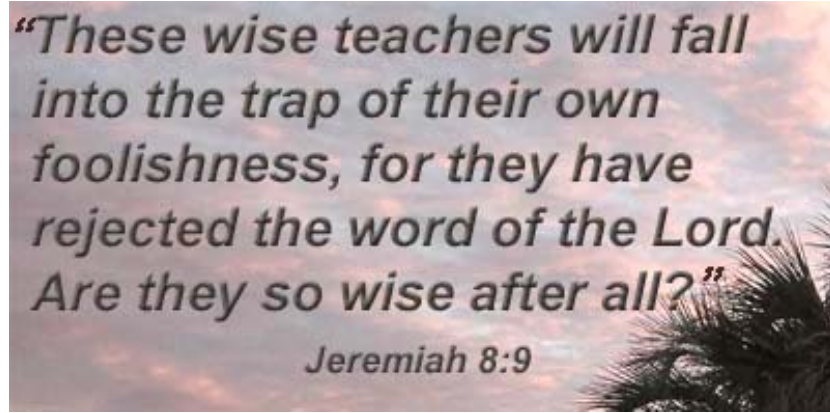
Matthew 24:35, "Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away."

Therefore:

Ephesians 5:17, "Do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord is."

Have I adopted the world's foolish philosophies of life, or do I rather seek God's wisdom?

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How does the Word of God describe the world’s foolish wisdom?

Romans 1:20-22, “Since the creation of the world His invisible *attributes, that is*, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, being understood by what has been made, so that they are without excuse. For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks, but they became futile in their reasonings, and their senseless hearts were darkened. Claiming to be wise, they became fools.”

As such:

1 Corinthians 1:27, “God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to put to shame the things which are mighty.”

Psalms 49:12-13, “Man in *his* splendor will not endure; He is like the animals that perish. This is the way of those who are foolish, and of those after them who approve their words.”

Jeremiah 17:9, “The heart *is* deceitful above all *things*, and desperately wicked; who can know it?”

Therefore:

Romans 1:18-19, “The wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them.”

Which side am I on right now?

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***“The fear of the LORD
is the beginning of wisdom;
a good understanding
have all those who do His
commandments. His praise
endures forever.” Psalm 111:10***

Where is the source of God’s wisdom found?

2 Peter 1:3, “His divine power has given to us all things that *pertain* to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue.”

Why?

1 Corinthians 3:19, “For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God.”

The reason Jesus said:

Matthew 11:25, “I thank You, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that You have hidden these things from *the* wise and prudent and have revealed them to babes.”

What’s more?

1 Corinthians 1:30, “Of Him you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God—and righteousness and sanctification and redemption.”

As such:

Proverbs 9:10, “The fear of the LORD *is* the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One *is* understanding.”

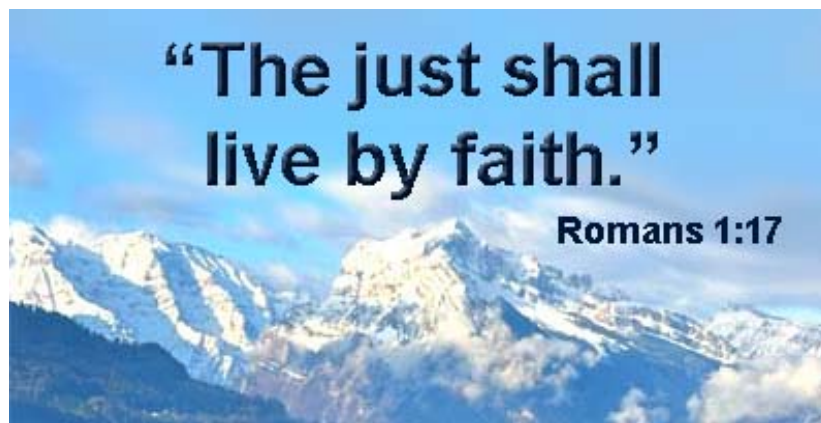
James 1:5, “If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him.”

Therefore:

Romans 14:7-9, “None of us lives to himself, and no one dies to himself. For if we live, we live to the Lord; and if we die, we die to the Lord. Whether we live or die, we are the Lord’s. For to this end Christ died and rose and lived again, that He might be Lord of both the dead and the living.”

Am I living for the Lord right now?

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How must we seek and apply God's wisdom to our life?

Proverbs 3:5-6, "Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths."

Why must we trust God?

Hebrews 11:6, "Without faith *it is* impossible to please *Him*, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and *that* He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him."

What is faith?

Hebrews 11:1, "Faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen."

How do we build and strengthen our faith?

Romans 10:17, "Faith *comes* by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God."

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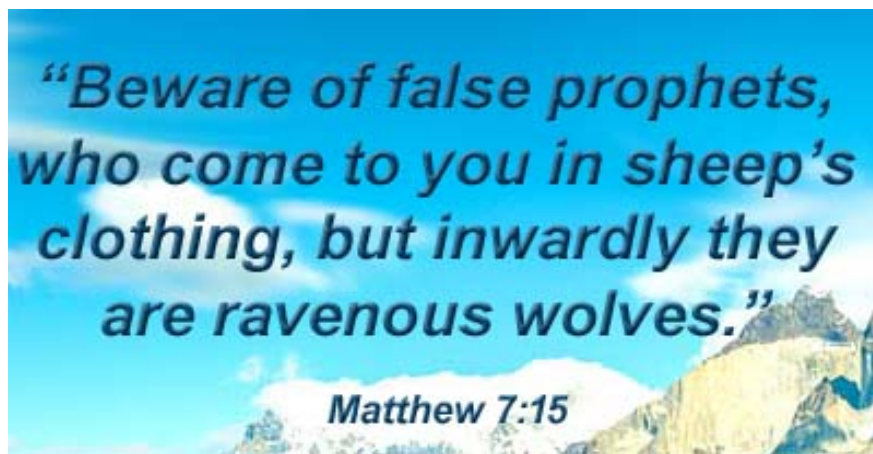
Colossians 3:16, "Let the Word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom."

Therefore:

James 1:5-8, "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. But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do."

Do I trust God with all my heart, so as to follow His Word and abide in Christ wholeheartedly?

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Are there warnings against adopting the world's philosophies rather than follow Christ?

1 John 4:1, "Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world."

Ephesians 5:6, "Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience."

Colossians 2:8, "Beware lest anyone cheat you through philosophy and empty deceit, according to the tradition of men, according to the basic principles of the world, and not according to Christ."

What's more?

Matthew 24:4-5, "Take heed that no one deceives you. For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will deceive many."

The reason why:

1 Timothy 4:1, "The Spirit expressly says that in later times some will depart from the faith by devoting themselves to deceitful spirits and teachings of demons."

Therefore:

2 Peter 3:17, "Since you know *this* beforehand, beware lest you also fall from your own steadfastness, being led away with the error of the wicked."

1 Timothy 6:20, "Guard what God has entrusted to you. Avoid godless, foolish discussions with those who oppose you with their so-called knowledge."

Where do I stand right now?

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