FEAR, WORRY, AND ANXIETY

LESSONS FROM PROVERBS

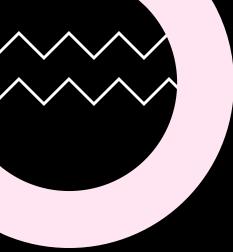






LESSON #1: AWARENESS





Like a muddied spring and a corrupted well Is a righteous man shaking before the wicked.

Proverbs 25:26



Trembling before man brings a snare, But he who trusts in Yahweh will be set securely on high.

Proverbs 29:25

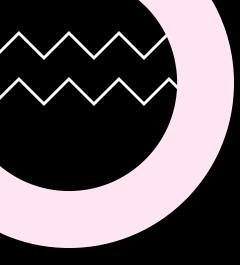




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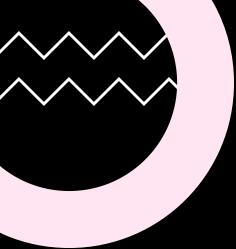
• Fear of <u>Man</u>





The thoughts of the diligent lead surely to profit, But everyone who is hasty comes surely to poverty.

Proverbs 21:5



Do not weary yourself to gain wealth, Because of your understanding, cease!

Proverbs 23:4–5

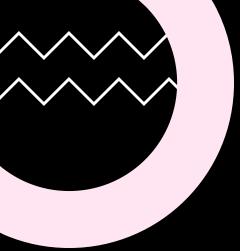




LESSON #1: AWARENESS

• Fear of <u>Man</u>

• Fear of <u>Financial Ruin</u>



Do not be afraid of sudden dread Nor of the storm of the wicked when it comes.

Proverbs 3:25



But he who listens to me shall dwell securely And will be at ease from the dread of evil.

Proverbs 1:33





LESSON #1: AWARENESS

- Fear of Man
- Fear of <u>Financial</u> <u>Ruin</u>
- Fear of <u>Insecurity</u>



LESSON #2: DIAGNOSIS





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a lying tongue,
And hands that shed innocent blood,
A heart that devises wicked thoughts,
Feet that hasten to run to evil,
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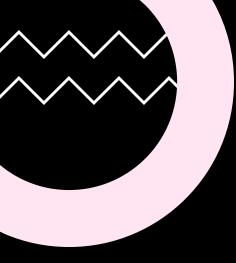
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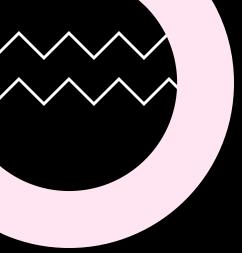
• A **Guilty** Conscience





What the wicked dreads will come upon him, But the desire of the righteous will be granted.

Proverbs 10:24



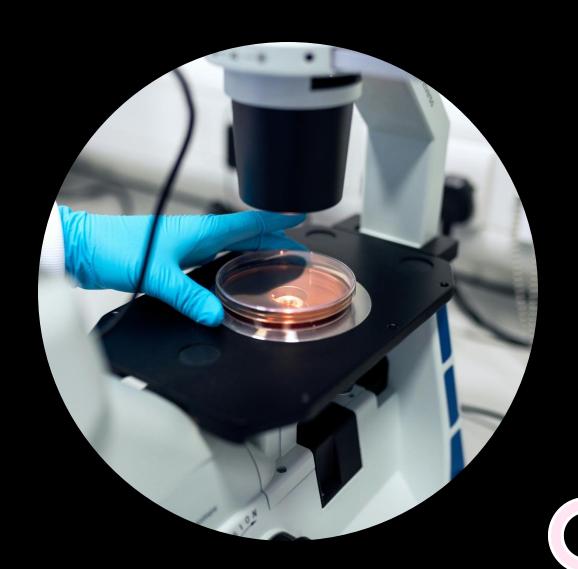
The wicked flee when there is no one pursuing, But the righteous are secure as a lion.

Proverbs 28:1



LESSON #2: DIAGNOSIS

- A **Guilty** Conscience
- Pride





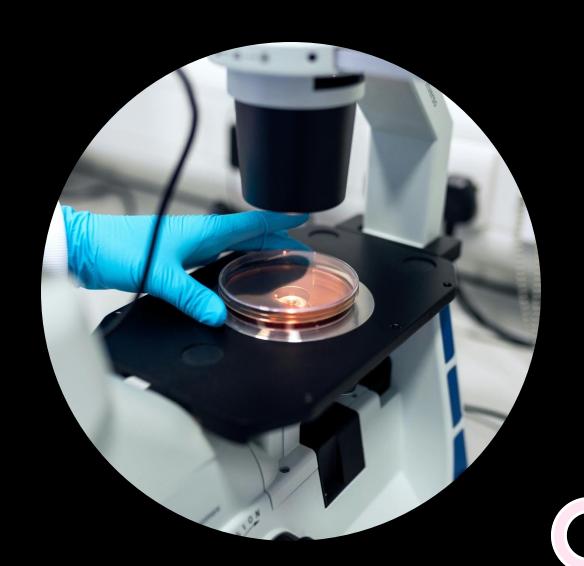
Do not go out hastily to plead your case; Lest, what will you do in the end, When your neighbor humiliates you?

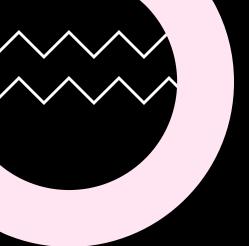
Proverbs 25:8



LESSON #2: DIAGNOSIS

- A **Guilty** Conscience
- Pride
- Control





The heart of man plans his way, But Yahweh directs his steps.

Proverbs 16:9



The steps of a man are from Yahweh, How then can man understand his way?

Proverbs 20:24



He who trusts in his own heart is a fool, But he who walks wisely will escape.

Proverbs 28:26

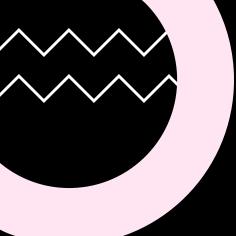




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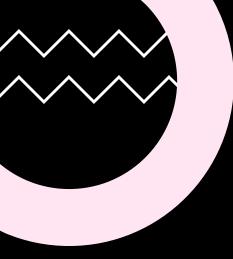
• Learn to <u>Fear</u> God





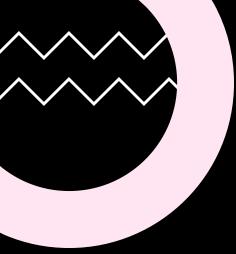
Do not be wise in your own eyes; Fear Yahweh and turn away from evil.

Proverbs 3:7



How blessed is the man who is always in dread, But he who hardens his heart will fall into calamity.

Proverbs 28:14



In the fear of Yahweh there is strong security, And his children will have refuge.

Proverbs 14:26

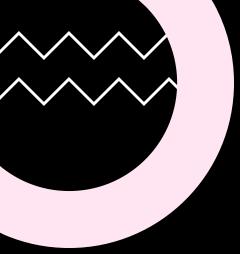




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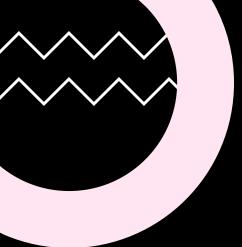
- Learn to <u>Fear</u> God
- Lean on God's <u>Sovereignty</u>





Yahweh has made everything for its own purpose, Even the wicked for the day of evil.

Proverbs 16:4



The horse is set for the day of battle, But salvation belongs to Yahweh.

Proverbs 21:31

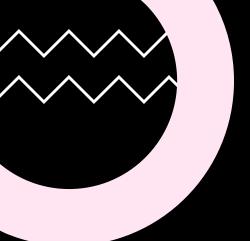




LESSON #3: TREATMENT

- Learn to Fear God
- Lean on God's **Sovereignty**
- Look to God's Word





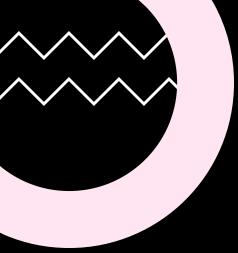
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Proverbs 12:25



The one who despises the word will be in debt to it, But the one who fears the commandment will be rewarded.

Proverbs 13:13



Every word of God is tested; He is a shield to those who take refuge in Him.

Proverbs 30:5





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Trust in Yahweh with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight. Do not be wise in your own eyes; fear Yahweh and turn away from evil. It will be healing to your body and refreshment to your bones.

PROVERBS 3:5-8

