

## Proverbs: God's Book of Wisdom - Proverbs 29 Part 2

**PROVERB:** A short sentence often repeated, expressing a well known truth or common fact, ascertained by experience or observation; a maxim of wisdom.

**PRINCIPLE:** A general truth;

**Pro 29:13** The poor man and the oppressor have this in common: The Lord gives light to the eyes of both.

1. The Lord gives light to the eyes of \_\_\_\_\_?
2. **What thought is God trying to convey:** *The poor man and the oppressor have this in common: The Lord gives light to the eyes of both?*

**Pro 29:14** The king who judges the poor with truth, His throne will be established forever.

3. **When the king judges the poor with truth, what will be established forever.**
4. **What does it mean to judge someone with truth? Judge with lies?**
5. **What does a throne represent?**

**THRONE:** A royal seat; a chair of state. **GOVERNMENT:** The exercise of authority; direction & restraint exercised over the actions of men in communities, societies or states.

6. **How can a king who dies have a throne that is established forever? Break a leg!**

**1. The Dynasty and Royal Line:** *In the ancient Near East and biblical Hebrew culture, a king's "throne" referred to his dynasty or house. When a ruler governs with justice and defends the vulnerable, he builds political stability, public trust, and social order. This prevents civil unrest, rebellion, and conquest, allowing his lineage to retain the throne for generations rather than being violently overthrown.*

**2. Institutional Continuity:** *A ruler who establishes impartial justice creates enduring laws, institutions, and cultural norms. Even after the individual king dies, the stable governance system he built endures. In this sense, the office and legitimacy of his throne remain firmly established long after his lifespan ends.*

7. **What man has a throne that will actually never end and endures forever?**

**Isaiah 9:6-7** For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the greatness of his government and peace there

will be no end. He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever.

**8. What does it look like if the “king” judges the poor with deceit/lies/falsehood?**

**Proverbs 29:15** The rod and a rebuke give wisdom, But a child who gets his own way brings shame to his mother.

**9. v15a: The rod and a \_\_\_\_\_ give wisdom?**

A) rebuke B) liar C) puppy D) magician

**10. What is a “rod”?**

**11. What is a rebuke?**

**12. How can a rod and a rebuke give wisdom? Guarantee?**

**Proverbs 27:22** Though you grind a fool in a mortar with a pestle along with crushed grain, yet his foolishness will not depart from him.

**Proverbs 29:15** ...But a child who gets his own way brings shame to his mother.

**13. v15b: But a child who gets his own way brings \_\_\_\_\_ to his mother?**

A) cash B) shame C) laughter D) happiness

**14. What does it mean a child who gets his own way?**

**15. Should a child get his/her own way? Why?**

**16. Should you get your own way? Why?**

**Isaiah 55:7-8** Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts;... “For My thoughts are not your thoughts, Nor are your ways My ways,” says the Lord.

**17. Why does a child who gets his own way bring shame to their parents? Example?**

**SHAME:** To disgrace. **DISGRACE:** To bring to shame; to dishonor.

**Proverbs 29:16** When the wicked are multiplied, transgression increases; But the righteous will see their fall.

**18. v16a: When the wicked are multiplied, transgression \_\_\_\_\_.**

A) ends B) increases C) decreases D) ceases

19. Why does sin increase when the wicked increase?

20. How do wicked people increase?

**Proverbs 29:16** When the wicked are multiplied, transgression increases; But the righteous will see their fall.

21. v16b: But the righteous will see their \_\_\_\_\_.

A) fall B) rise C) success D) blessing

22. Give examples (history) of the righteous seeing the wicked fall? Ultimate fall?

**Pro 29:17** Correct your son, and he will give you rest; Yes, he will give delight to your soul.

23. v17a: Correct your son, and he will give you \_\_\_\_\_;

A) headaches B) money C) rest D) grief

**Pro 29:17** Correct your son, and he will give you rest; Yes, he will give delight to your soul.

24. v17b: Yes, he will give delight to your \_\_\_\_\_;

A) socks B) friends C) face D) soul

25. What is necessary for a parent to get rest/peace after correcting their child?

1. Step one correct / discipline.
2. Step two the child must listen [heart] and do the correction/discipline.

26. Rest and delight for parents is directly related to what?

**Proverbs 29:18** Where there is no revelation, the people cast off restraint; But happy is he who keeps the law.

27. v18a: Where there is no \_\_\_\_\_, the people cast off restraint

A) lies B) AI C) food D) mercy

28. What is a revelation?

**REVELATION: 1.** The act of disclosing or discovering to others what was before unknown to them; appropriately, the disclosure or communication of truth to men by God himself, or by his authorized agents, the prophets and apostles. **2.** Act of making a hidden fact or secret known to others, or a surprising piece of information that is newly disclosed

29. Why do people who have no revelation, cast off restraint?

**30. Why does having revelation help people navigate their decision making?**

**Proverbs 29:18** Where there is no revelation, the people cast off restraint; But happy is he who keeps the law.

**31. v18b: But \_\_\_\_\_ is he who keeps the law.**

A) miserable B) happy C) sad D) angry

**32. Why is a person happy who keeps the law? Person unhappy keeping the law?****33. What does it mean to keep the law (following rules)?**

**Pro 29:19** A servant will not be corrected by mere words; For though he understands, he will not respond.

**34. v19a: A servant will not be corrected by mere \_\_\_\_\_...**

A) christianity B) genius C) words D) bribes

**35. Why is a servant not corrected by mere words? What else do you need? Why?**

**Pro 29:19** A servant will not be corrected by mere words; For though he understands, he will not respond.

**36. v19b: For though he understands, he will not \_\_\_\_\_.**

A) argue B) run C) respond D) fail

**37. Why does the servant not respond even though he understands?**

**Pro 29:20** Do you see a man hasty in his words? There is more hope for a fool than for him.

**38. The man hasty in his words, has less hope than a \_\_\_\_\_?****39. Why does a man hasty in his words, have less hope for him than a fool?****40. What does it mean to be hasty with your words?**

**HASTY: Acting too quickly** : overly eager or impatient.

**41. Why is it wrong to be hasty with your words?****42. What damage can happen when someone is hasty with their words?**

**Pro 29:21** One who pampers his slave from childhood Will in the end find him to be rebellious.

**43. v21a: One who \_\_\_\_\_ his slave from childhood Will in the end find him to be rebellious.**

A) pampers B) beats C) loves D) hates

**44. Why does the slave become rebellious?**

**45. What does it mean to pamper?**

**PAMPER: 1.** To feed to the full; **to glut**; to saginate; to feed luxuriously.

**2.** To give someone or something **extreme** care, comfort, and attention.

**Proverbs 29:22** An angry person stirs up strife, And a hot-tempered person abounds in wrongdoing.

**46. v22a: An angry person stirs up \_\_\_\_\_.**

A) righteous B) strife C) upright D) godly

**47. How does an angry person stir up strife? Why?**

**Proverbs 29:22** ...And a hot-tempered person abounds in wrongdoing.

**48. v22b: And a hot-tempered person abounds in \_\_\_\_\_.**

A) goodness B) righteousness C) peace D) wrongdoing

**49. How does a hot-tempered person abound in wrongdoing? Why?**

**Proverbs 29:23** A man's pride will bring him low, But the humble in spirit will retain honor.

**50. v22a: A man's pride will bring him \_\_\_\_\_.**

A) low B) high C) honor D) love

**51. Why does a man's pride bring him low? Antidote?**

**52. The humble in spirit will retain \_\_\_\_\_? Why?**

**53. Where does the humble's honor come from? Why does God honor the humble?**

**Mat 23:12** Whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted. **James 4:10** Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up.