

Lady Wisdom: Your Life Coach

Proverbs 8:22-36



Call to the Word Psa 119:33-40



introduction



"Who Can Become a Life Coach? Anyone. That Might Be the Problem"

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"The single biggest reason most Life Coaches fail is because they lack commitment — It's really hard to be a great coach without commitment."



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"Wisdom is the right use of knowledge (and truth). To know is not to be wise. Many men know a great deal and are all the greater fools for it. There is no fool so great a fool as a knowing fool. But to know how to use knowledge is to have wisdom." (Spurgeon)



Lady Wisdom's
Opening Statement
Proverbs 8:14



opening statement

Pro 8:15-17

"Good counsel and common sense are my characteristics; I am both Insight and the Virtue to live it out." (Msg)



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Pro 8:15-17

"I have strength..."

"Speaking still of wisdom (right use of knowledge), as communicating rays of its light to man, it enables him to bring everything to his aid...all these can produce prodigies of power, far surpassing all kinds of animal energy, and all the effects of the utmost efforts of muscular force."



"I have strength..."

opening statement

Pro 8:15-17

"The blessing is that He will be found. He reveals Himself more and more clearly to our search. He gives Himself up more fully to our fellowship. Happy are men who seek One who, when He is found, remains with them forever, a treasure growingly precious to their hearts and understandings."



Lady Wisdom's Earnings Portfolio

Proverbs 8:18-21



"riches, honor, gold, silver, wealth..."

"Paradoxically when wealth is sought it corrupts, but when wisdom is sought, edifying wealth is given."

Earnings Portfolio



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Pro 8:22-31

"Intelligent design, as one sees it from a scientific point of view, seems to be quite real. This is a very special universe: it's remarkable that it came out just this way. If the laws of physics weren't just the way they are, we couldn't be here at all."

(Charles Townes)



V31. Man - the Purpose of Creation

Gen 1:26

Jesus was the architect of creation

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Eph 3:9

Heb 1:2

Col 1:16

Pro 8:22-31



It was at and for His pleasure man was created

Rev 4:11

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Pro 8:22-31

Therefore, we fulfill the very reason for our creation when we bring pleasure to Him.



Plea for Our Attention

Pro 8:32-36

"Wisdom is represented as having a school for the instruction of men; and seems to point out some of the most forward of her scholars coming, through their intense desire to learn... that they might hear every word that was uttered, and not lose one accent of the heavenly teaching. Blessed are such." (Clarke)



Jer 29:13 And you will seek Me and find Me when you search for Me with all your heart.

Plea for Our Attention

Pro 8:32-36

"Not until we have become humble and teachable, standing in awe of God's holiness and sovereignty. Acknowledging our own littleness, distrusting our own thoughts, and willing to have our minds turned upside down, can divine wisdom become ours." (J.I. Packer)



Lady Wisdom's Former Employer & Work History

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