

# REFLECTION QUESTIONS

## For Faith Groups and Further Study

1. Has there been a time in your life when you were working toward a set goal? How was your motivation before you reached the goal, and how did it change after you reached it?
2. When Proverbs 3:3 says these teachings must be written on the “tablet of your heart,” how does it connect with the covenant that God made with Israel?
3. What is the one truth that could boil down the whole of Proverbs?
4. In contrast, what is the root of foolishness? How does it connect back to the garden of Eden?
5. What is the one practical example Solomon gives in Proverbs 3:9 of how inward piety leads to outward obedience to the law? How should this truth affect your life as a disciple of Christ?
6. Does Proverbs teach that we should trust and obey the Lord and in return He will give us health, wealth, and happiness? How does this play out in the short term? How does it play out ultimately?
7. How does the reward for generosity to the Lord in Proverbs 3:10 connect back to the covenant between God and Israel?
8. What are the two types of God’s discipline? How have you seen God use them in your life?

# MESSAGE OUTLINE/NOTES

## Proverbs - The Instruction and Blessing of Pursuing Wisdom

1. Hear the \_\_\_\_\_ of Wisdom. 3:1,3,5,7,9,11
2. Expect the \_\_\_\_\_ of Wisdom. 3:2,4,6,8,10,12
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ that God gives. (3:1-4)
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ that God demands. (3:5-8)
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Wisdom’s pursuit. (3:9-10)
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ of Wisdom’s discipline. (3:11-12)