

Ecclesiastes – Lesson 6 Workbook

The Wise & The Foolish

The Choice is Yours

What would you do if faced with the following dilemmas. Be prepared to defend your choice.

Dilemmas:

1. You inherit \$100,000 from a distant uncle you never knew. What do you do with the money?

2. A friend tells you a secret that might get him or her into trouble if others knew. What do you do?

3. You witness someone stealing someone else's purse in a crowded shopping center. How do you react?

Ecclesiastes 6:1-6

Ecclesiastes 6:7-9

Ecclesiastes 6:10-12

Ecclesiastes 7:1-4

Ecclesiastes 7:5-9

Ecclesiastes 7:10-14

Ecclesiastes 7:15-20

Ecclesiastes 7:21-29

1. What do these scriptures say is foolish?

2. What do these scriptures say is wise?

3. How might you apply these verses to your life today?

MAKING IT REAL

1. Can you control whether or not you make wise choices? How?

2. What is a foolish choice you have made recently?

3. Once you make a foolish mistake, what can you do to avoid making that same mistake again?

4. Who are some wise people that you can trust to hold you accountable to living wisely? Will you commit to asking them to help you sometime this week?

Homework

- Memorize Ecclesiastes 7:5
- Look again at question four above. Talk with at least one person this week who you know well, and who lives a wise life. Ask him or her to help you live wisely too.