



Spiritual Wisdom to Grow

*Living as a Christian
In an Unchristian World
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³And this is the way to have eternal life—to know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, the one you sent to earth. *John 17:3*

¹⁵Ever since I first heard of your strong faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for God’s people everywhere, ¹⁶I have not stopped thanking God for you. I pray for you constantly, ¹⁷asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. ¹⁸I pray that your hearts will be flooded with light so that you can understand the confident hope He has given to those He called—His holy people who are His rich and glorious inheritance. *Ephesians 1:15-18*

**Tune into Wisdom from God
Understand _____**

¹⁷asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. *Ephesians 1:17*

⁸Study this Book of Instruction continually. Meditate on it day and night so you will be sure to obey everything written in it. Only then will you prosper and succeed in all you do. *Joshua 1:8*

¹My child, listen to what I say, and treasure my commands. ²Tune your ears to wisdom, and concentrate on understanding. ³Cry out for insight, and ask for understanding. ⁴Search for them as you would for silver; seek them like hidden treasures. ⁵Then you will understand what it means to fear the Lord, and you will gain knowledge of God. ⁶For the Lord grants wisdom! From His mouth come knowledge and understanding. ⁷He grants a treasure of common sense to the honest. He is a shield to those who walk with integrity. ⁸He

guards the paths of the just and protects those who are faithful to him. ⁹Then you will understand what is right, just, and fair, and you will find the right way to go. ¹⁰For wisdom will enter your heart, and knowledge will fill you with joy. *Proverbs 2:1-10*

**Cry Out for Insight from God
_____ of God’s Presence & Actions**

¹⁷asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. *Ephesians 1:17*

¹⁰But it was to us that God revealed these things by his Spirit. For his Spirit searches out everything and shows us God’s deep secrets. ¹¹No one can know a person’s thoughts except that person’s own spirit, and no one can know God’s thoughts except God’s own Spirit. ¹²And we have received God’s Spirit (not the world’s spirit), so we can know the wonderful things God has freely given us. *1 Corinthians 2:10-12*

**Grow in Your Knowledge of God
_____!**

¹⁷asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. *Ephesians 1:17*

**Flood Your Heart with Light
Deepen Your _____ in Christ**

¹⁸I pray that your hearts will be flooded with light so that you can understand the confident hope He has given to those He called—His holy people who are His rich and glorious inheritance. *Ephesians 1:18*

²³Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the course of your life. *Proverbs 4:23*

Live vividly knowing God and deepen your confidence in Him