

# The Value Of UNDERSTANDING

Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it:  
(Proverbs 16:22)



I have filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, and in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship...to devise cunning works... (Exodus 31:3-4)

Take you wise men, and understanding, and known among your tribes, and I will make them rulers over you. (Deuteronomy 1:13)

And of the children of Issachar, which were men that had understanding of the times, to know what Israel ought to do; (1 Chronicles 12:32)

Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people? (1 Kings 3:9)

For they are a nation void of counsel, neither is there any understanding in them.

O that they were wise, that they understood this, that they would consider their latter end! (Deuteronomy 32:28-29)

## The Value of Understanding How To Get Understanding

### Discovering The Value

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Unto him that loved us, and washed us from our sins in his own blood, and hath made us kings and priests unto God and his Father; to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. (Revelations 1:5-6)

Now the name of the man was Nabal; and the name of his wife Abigail: and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings; and he was of the house of Caleb. (1 Samuel 25:3)

And God gave Solomon wisdom and understanding exceeding much, and largeness of heart, even as the sand that is on the sea shore.

And Solomon's wisdom excelled the wisdom of all the children of the east country, and all the wisdom of Egypt.

For he was wiser than all men; (1 Kings 4:29-31)

Only the LORD give thee wisdom and understanding, and give thee charge concerning Israel, that thou mayest keep the law of the LORD thy God.

Then shalt thou prosper... (1 Chronicles 22:12-13)

...caused the people to understand the law: and the people stood in their place.

So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading. (Nehemiah 8:7-8)

And all the people went their way to eat, and to drink, and to send portions, and to make great mirth, because they had understood the words that were declared unto them. (Nehemiah 8:12)

Let men of understanding tell me, and let a wise man hearken unto me. (Job 34:34)

Counsel in the heart of man is like deep water; but a man of understanding will draw it out. (Proverbs 20:5)

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The LORD looked down from heaven upon the children of men, to see if there were any that did understand, and seek God. (Psalm 14:2)

Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle, lest they come near unto thee. (Psalm 32:9)

For God is the King of all the earth: sing ye praises with understanding. (Psalm 47:7)

My mouth shall speak of wisdom; and the meditation of my heart shall be of understanding. (Psalm 49:3)

Man that is in honour, and understandeth not, is like the beasts that perish. (Psalm 49:20)

The man that wandereth out of the way of understanding shall remain in the congregation of the dead. (Proverbs 21:16)

Deliver the poor and needy: rid them out of the hand of the wicked.

They know not, neither will they understand; they walk on in darkness: all the foundations of the earth are out of course. (Psalm 82:4-5)

O LORD, how great are thy works! and thy thoughts are very deep.

A brutish man knoweth not; neither doth a fool understand this. (Psalm 92:5-6)

Hast thou not known? hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? there is no searching of his understanding. (Isaiah 40:28)

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Make me to understand the way of thy precepts: so shall I talk of thy wondrous works. (Psalm 119:27)

Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart. (Psalm 119:34)

Thy hands have made me and fashioned me: give me understanding, that I may learn thy commandments. (Psalm 119:73)

I am thy servant; give me understanding, that I may know thy testimonies. (Psalm 119:125)

The righteousness of thy testimonies is everlasting: give me understanding, and I shall live. (Psalm 119:144)

Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it: but the instruction of fools is folly. (Proverbs 16:32)

Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite. (Psalm 147:5)

When wisdom entereth into thine heart, and knowledge is pleasant unto thy soul;

Discretion shall preserve thee, understanding shall keep thee:

To deliver thee from the way of the evil man...

To deliver thee from the strange woman, even from the stranger which flattereth with her words; (Proverbs 2:10- 16)

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding. (Proverbs 3:13)

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**The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints... (Ephesians 1:18)**

