

1. Listen without interrupting.

Proverbs 18

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- 1 Through desire a man, having separated himself, seeketh and intermeddleth with all wisdom.
- 2 A fool hath no delight in understanding, but that his heart may discover itself.
- 3 When the wicked cometh, then cometh also contempt, and with ignominy reproach.
- 4 The words of a man's mouth are as deep waters, and the wellspring of wisdom as a flowing brook.
- 5 It is not good to accept the person of the wicked, to overthrow the righteous in judgment.
- 6 A fool's lips enter into contention, and his mouth calleth for strokes.
- 7 A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul.
- 8 The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly.
- 9 He also that is slothful in his work is brother to him that is a great waster.
- 10 The name of the Lord is a strong tower: the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.
- 11 The rich man's wealth is his strong city, and as an high wall in his own conceit.
- 12 Before destruction the heart of man is haughty, and before honour is humility.
- 13 He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him.
- 14 The spirit of a man will sustain his infirmity; but a wounded spirit who can bear?
- 15 The heart of the prudent getteth knowledge; and the ear of the wise seeketh knowledge.
- 16 A man's gift maketh room for him, and bringeth him before great men.
- 17 He that is first in his own cause seemeth just; but his neighbour cometh and searcheth him.
- 18 The lot causeth contentions to cease, and parteth between the mighty.
- 19 A brother offended is harder to be won than a strong city: and their contentions are like the bars of a castle.
- 20 A man's belly shall be satisfied with the fruit of his mouth; and with the increase of his lips shall he be filled.
- 21 Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.
- 22 Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and obtaineth favour of the Lord.
- 23 The poor useth intreaties; but the rich answereth roughly.
- 24 A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly: and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.

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2. Speak without accusing.

James 1:19

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¹⁹ Wherefore, my beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath:



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3.	Give without sparing.	
	Proverbs 21:26	
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	26 He coveteth greedily all the day long: but the righteous giveth and spareth not.	
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4.	Pray without ceasing.	
	Colossians 1:9	
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	9 For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding;	
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5.	Answer without arguing.	
	Proverbs 17:1	
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17 Better is a dry morsel, and quietness therewith, than an house full of sacrifices with strife.



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 6. Share without pretending. Ephesians 4:15 King James Version (KJV) 15 But speaking the truth in love, may grow up into him in all things, which is the head, even Christ: 		
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7. Enjoy without complaint. Philippians 2:14 King James Version (KJV) 14 Do all things without murmurings and disputings: NOTES:		
8. Trust without wavering. 2 Corinthians 13:7 King James Version (KJV) 7 Now I pray to God that ye do no evil; not that we should appear approved, but that ye should do that which is honest, though we be as reprobates.		
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9. Forgive without punishing.

Colossians 3:13

King James Version (KJV) 13 Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, you, so also do ye.	Forbearing one another, and forgiving one another, if any man have a quarrel against any: even as Christ forgave		
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10. Promise without forgetting. Proverbs 13:12 King James Version (KJV) 12 Hope deferred maketh the heart sick: but when the sick of th	the desire cometh, it is a tree of life.		
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