Hebrews 4:12 (NKJV) For the word of God *is* living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

John 1:14 (NKJV) And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 10:27 (NKJV) My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me.

I'm finding myself at a loss for words
And the funny thing is, it's okay
The last thing I need is to be heard
But to hear what You would say
Word of God speak
Would you pour down like rain
Washing my eyes to see
Your majesty

Psalm 46:10 (NKJV) Be still, and know that I *am* God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!

Proverbs 26:12 (NKJV) Do you see a man wise in his own eyes? *There is* more hope for a fool than for him.

THE FOOL IS UNRIGHTEOUS. The fool hates what is holy, righteous, and good, and he loves evil.

THE FOOL IS UNWISE, does not seek wisdom, and would reject wisdom if he could acquire it.

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James 1:5-8 (NKJV) ⁵ If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him. ⁶ But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind. ⁷ For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord; ⁸ *he is* a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.

James 3:13-16 (NKJV) ¹³ Who *is* wise and understanding among you? Let him show by good conduct *that* his works *are done* in the meekness of wisdom. ¹⁴ But if you have bitter envy and self-seeking in your hearts, do not boast and lie against the truth. ¹⁵ This wisdom does not descend from above, but *is* earthly, sensual, demonic. ¹⁶ For where envy and self-seeking *exist*, confusion and every evil thing *are* there.

Knowledge can be memorized.

Wisdom must think things through.

Wisdom enables you to use knowledge correctly.

Proverbs 1:7 (NKJV) The fear of the LORD *is* the beginning of knowledge, *But* fools despise wisdom and instruction.

The Bible says "Fear not, be at peace.

We have not been given a spirit of fear."

Yet . . . commands us to fear God!

Proverbs 2:1-6 (NKJV) ¹ My son, if you receive my words, And treasure my commands within you, ² So that you incline your ear to wisdom, *And* apply your heart to understanding; ³ Yes, if you cry out for discernment, *And* lift up your voice for understanding, ⁴ If you seek her as silver, And search for her as *for* hidden treasures; ⁵ Then you will understand the fear of the LORD, And find the knowledge of God. ⁶ For the LORD gives wisdom; From His mouth *come* knowledge and understanding;

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Proverbs 3:19-20 (TLB) ¹⁹ The Lord's wisdom founded the earth; his understanding established all the universe and space. ²⁰ The deep fountains of the earth were broken open by his knowledge, and the skies poured down rain.

Proverbs 4:5-6 (NIV) ⁵ Get wisdom, get understanding; do not forget my words or swerve from them. ⁶ Do not forsake wisdom, and she will protect you; love her, and she will watch over you.

Proverbs 8:11 (NKJV) For wisdom *is* better than rubies, And all the things one may desire cannot be compared with her.

Proverbs 8:12-14 (NIV) ¹² "I, wisdom, dwell together with prudence; I possess knowledge and discretion. ¹³ To fear the LORD is to hate evil; I hate pride and arrogance, evil behavior and perverse speech. ⁴ Counsel and sound judgment are mine; I have understanding and power.

Proverbs 9:10(NKJV) "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, And the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.

John 17:3(NIV) Now this is eternal life: that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.

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Proverbs 2:6-12 (NKJV) For the Lord gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding; He stores up sound wisdom for the upright; He is a shield to those who walk uprightly; He guards the paths of justice, And preserves the way of His saints. **Then** you will understand righteousness and justice, Equity and every good path. When wisdom enters your heart, And knowledge is pleasant to your soul, Discretion will preserve you; Understanding will keep you, To deliver you from the way of evil, From the man who speaks perverse things,

James 1:5-6(NKJV) If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him. But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind.