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Be Wise

A STUDY
OF PROVERBS

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What is the one important thing you will take away from this weekend's message or our community group discussion? Is there any challenge, difficulty or praise that you would like to share with the group for prayer?

What does God want us to hear? What are some of the more factual “takeaways” from this passage for you?



WHAT DOES GOD WANT US TO DO?

While this chapter focuses on the flourishing woman, what is the deeper spiritual truth that applies to everyone?

Think of people you know who already embody the characteristics described in Proverbs 31. How close are they to you? How can you draw more people like this into your inner circle of influence?

WHAT DOES GOD WANT ME TO DO?

Identify two or three people who personify the Proverbs 31 woman's flourishing characteristics. Take the initiative to speak with these people this week; ask them their opinion about an issue with which you struggle.

Pick one the characteristics of the Proverbs 31 woman and write down some practical to put those traits into action this week.

If you are single, and you feel like God has given you the desire to be married, take some practical steps in that direction in the coming weeks.

One way to do this is to ask potential partners to give you his or her opinion about something. Then hold. If that person then asks you what you think, that's the first green flag. If that person treats your opinion with curiosity and respect, that's the second green flag. With those who are willing to reciprocate your genuine interest in this way, keep those conversations going, and see what happens. (By the way, this is also a good exercise for choosing friends).

What does God want ME to do? What is the personal application and action step God is calling you to take in the coming week?