

Grace Bible Chapel
Sunday, April 19th, 2026
The Truly Blessed Life
Proverbs 8

Proverbs 8:32–36 (NASB95)

³²“Now therefore, O sons, listen to me, For blessed are they who keep my ways.

³³“Heed instruction and be wise, And do not neglect it.

³⁴“Blessed is the man who listens to me, Watching daily at my gates, Waiting at my doorposts.

³⁵“For he who finds me finds life And obtains favor from the LORD.

³⁶“But he who sins against me injures himself; All those who hate me love death.”

Introduction: _____

I. **Wisdom’s Call:** (vv.1–11)

A. Public Proclamation (1–3): _____

B. Universal Invitation (4–5): _____

C. Perfect Integrity (6–9): _____

D. Incomparable Value (10–11): _____

II. **Wisdom’s Nature:** (vv.12–21)

A. Wisdom Produces Discernment (12): _____

B. Wisdom Hates Evil (13): _____

C. Wisdom Provides Counsel & Authority (14–16): _____

D. Wisdom Rewards Those Who Love Her (17–21): _____

III. **Wisdom’s Authority:** (vv.22–31)

A. Wisdom’s Preeminence Before Creation (22–26): _____

B. Wisdom's Presence in Creation (27–29): _____

C. Wisdom's Delight in God's Creation (30–31): _____

IV. **Wisdom's Promise & Warning:** (vv.32–36)

A. The Path of the Blessed (32–34): _____

B. The Promise of Life (35): _____

C. The Warning of Death (36): _____

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Reflection Questions:

1. Am I truly listening to God's wisdom, or am I allowing other voices to shape how I think and live?
2. Is there evidence in my life that wisdom is shaping me, producing discernment and a growing hatred for sin?
3. Do I truly believe that what wisdom gives is better than what the world offers?
4. Which "blessed life" am I really chasing, the one promised by God's wisdom, or the one promised by the world?

Heart Check

- The blessed life is not found in what we gain from the world, but in receiving and walking in the wisdom of God. Am I truly pursuing the wisdom that leads to life in Christ, or am I still chasing what only appears to satisfy?

"Wisdom is the application of knowledge leading to God's glory and a life of blessings." – Randy Smith