

Concluding Thoughts - Two Banquets (Proverbs 9:1-18)

Proverbs 10:1: "A wise son will make a father happy, and a foolish son - a cause of grief to his mother!"

Lesson Notes:

9:1-6: Wisdom's Delectable Feast

9:7-12: Advanced Instructions for Wisdom's Guests

9:13-18: Folly's Scrappy Leftovers

Key Characters:

Reflections:

① Why do you think the father paints the picture of two banquets here? How does this help us make sense of what is being offered to us?

② How would you put the message of Proverbs 9:1-18 in your own words?

③ What kind of benefits does Lady Wisdom offer her guests? What kind of benefits does Lady Folly offer her guests?

④ Below are the individual messages of each of the 10 lessons in Proverbs. Which ones resonated with you the most? Why?

Lesson 1 - The Allure of Profit (Prov. 1:8-19)

Lesson 6 - The Two Paths (Prov. 4:10-19)

Lesson 2 - Keep to the Good Path (Prov. 2:1-22)

Lesson 7 - Walking Straight (Prov. 4:20-27)

Lesson 3 - Directing our Attention (Prov. 3:1-12)

Lesson 8 - Choosing Your Delights (Prov. 5:1-23)

Lesson 4 - Extending Grace and Kindness (Prov. 3:13-35) Lesson 9 - Choose Companions Carefully (Prov. 6:20-35)

Lesson 5 - Wisdom is Worth It (Prov. 4:1-9)

Lesson 10 - Steer Clear of Seduction (Prov. 7:1-27)