

Persons in Proverbs: Part I

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Introduction

Proverbs among the Writings

Persons in Proverbs: The Game Plan

Setting the Stage: Proverbs 1:1-7

The Significance of Solomon (1:1)

The Possibilities of Proverbs (1:1, 6)

The Muchness of *Musar* (1:2, 3, 7, 8)

Instruction – 4:1; 8:33; 13:1; 15:32; 16:22; 19:20, 27; 23:23; 24:32

Discipline – 3:11; 5:12, 23; 6:23; 7:22; 10:17; 12:1; 13:18, 24; 15:5, 10; 19:20; 22:15; 23:13

“The fear of the Lord is *musar* in wisdom...” (15:33)

A Never-Ending Beginning (1:7)

Like Father, Like Son: Proverbs 2

Wisdom Cometh by Hearing (2:1-2, 6)

And Hearing Speaketh (2:3-5)

May This Strengthen and Preserve You in the One True Faith (2:7-11)

But Deliver Us from Evil (2:12-19)

Thy Kingdom Come (2:20-22)

Like Father, Like Son: Proverbs 3

Wisdom for the Wilderness

Prov. 3:1 with Deut. 5:29; 8:2

Prov. 3:2 with Deut. 30:20

Prov. 3:3 (see also 6:21 and 7:3) with Deut. 6:8-9

Prov. 3:5 with Deut. 6:5; 13:3; 30:6

Prov. 3:7 with Deut. 6:2, 13, 24 (and many others)

Prov. 3:11-12 and Deut. 8:5

“Wisdom” in Deut. 4:5-6!

You Promised! (3:2, 4, 8, 16-17, 22-26, 35)

Yoked with Yahweh (3:3-4)

Straightened Out (3:5-6)

Faith like a Child (3:8)

Wise Stewardship? (3:9-10)

Fatherly Delight? (3:11-12; see Heb. 12:5-11)

Resting in Thee (3:13-17)

The Tree of Life (3:18; see also 11:30; 13:12; 15:4)

Conclusion

Like Father, Like (Only-Begotten) Son

Like Son, Like Sons