



Sermon Discussion Questions

Proverbs: The Wisdom of God as a Way of Life
“Our Emotions, Words, and the Healing of Humility” (Prov. 15)
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Sermon Overview

Main Idea

Proverbs 15 shows us that God designed our emotions and words to be powerful forces in the world. He created us to feel and to speak, and the wisdom from Proverbs 15 helps us learn how to use our emotions and words according to God’s design.

Sermon Outline

1. The Value of Our Emotions (vv. 13-23)
2. The Power of Our Words (vv. 1-2, 4-5, 23, 28, 30)
3. The Desire for Correction (vv. 5, 14, 32)
4. The Need for Humility (vv. 3, 11, 33)

Discussion Questions

Initial Engagement

- What is the main idea of the text, or what did the sermon focus on?
- What insight from the text or sermon stood out to you most, and why?

Deeper Reflection

1. How does the text show us that our emotions and character are connected? What does that say about the value and import of our emotions?
2. Do you have any emotions telling you something bigger about your character and the condition of your heart that you need to repent of or confess to others for help? What emotional signals are blinking for you?
3. How is our speech connected to our emotions, our character, and the condition of our heart? Do you have any areas where you are particularly unable to control your tongue that you can seek God’s help in reigning in? How can you use your words to speak life and healing to others this week?
4. How does receptiveness to correction connect to maturity? Are you the kind of person that receives feedback easily? Do you make it easy on others to provide you with correction? Are there any particular areas in your life where it is more difficult for you to accept or receive correction or input from others?
5. How does understanding verse 3 produce humility in us? How does understanding this drive us to the good news of the gospel?

Final Response

- What is one thing you want to remember or one way you hope to change in light of this sermon or discussion?