

The purpose of this column is to help you study the Bible on your own. Look up the Bible references and think about them before writing your answers. Do not send this study to us, as this is not a correspondence course.

DISCOVER WHAT THE NEW TESTAMENT HAS TO SAY ABOUT



IN THE GOSPELS

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"The queen of the South will rise up in the judgment with the men of this generation and condemn them, for she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and indeed a greater than Solomon is here."

—Luke 11:31 NKJV

In our past studies, we have been looking at the writings of Solomon in which he was sharing the importance of wisdom and the need we all have to gain wisdom. These writings were found in the Old Testament. In the next few studies in the *Discover* column, we will look at a number of passages speaking about wisdom found in the New Testament. The Gospels bring out some interesting thoughts concerning wisdom. Let's search them out.

1. Read Matthew 11:15-19, Luke 7:29-35. How is wisdom portrayed in
these verses?
2. Read Matthew 12:38-42, Luke 11:29-32. What is said about wisdom
in these verses?
3. Read Matthew 13:53-58, Mark 6:1-6. Whose wisdom did the people
comment on?

Where was the Lord Jesus?
Did they receive Him?
How did Jesus get His wisdom?
4. Read Luke 1:13-17. What kind of wisdom is mentioned in verse 17?
5. Read Luke 2:40. Who is the Child spoken of in this verse?
As a Child, He was with wisdom.
6. Read Luke 2:41-52. How old was Jesus?
When Jesus returned to Nazareth from Jerusalem, He increased in and, and in with God and man.
7. Read Luke 11:45-51. Whose wisdom is found in these verses?
Were those who were sent received by the leaders?
8. Read Luke 21:12-19. What kind of wisdom is given?
If we stand and testify, what will happen to us?
Next month we'll Discover what the New Testament has to say about wisdom.

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