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“WHERE THE WISE GET WISDOM”

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1 Kings 2:10

King James Version	New International	New Living Trans.
So David slept with his fathers, and was buried in the city of David.	Then David rested with his fathers and was buried in the City of David.	Then David died and was buried with his ancestors in the City of David.

Exodus 25:39

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Of a talent of pure gold shall he make it, with all these vessels.	A talent of pure gold is to be used for the lampstand and all these accessories.	You will need seventy-five pounds of pure gold for the lampstand and its accessories.

SCRIPTURE STORY - Dan. 2:1-23

Daniel 2:1-3 “**One night during the second year of his reign, Nebuchadnezzar had such disturbing dreams that he couldn’t sleep. He called in his magicians, enchanters, sorcerers, and astrologers, and he demanded that they tell him what he had dreamed. As they stood before the king, he said, “I have had a dream that deeply troubles me, and I must know what it means.”**

Job 7:14-15 “**but then you shatter me with dreams and terrify me with visions. I would rather be strangled—rather die than suffer like this.”**

V.4 “**Then the astrologers answered the king in Aramaic, ‘Long live the king! Tell us the dream, and we will tell you what it means.’”**

V.5 “**I am serious about this. If you don’t tell me what my dream was and what it means, you will be torn limb from limb, and your houses will be turned into heaps of rubble!”**

V.9 “**tell me the dream, and then I’ll know that you can tell me what it means.”**

Vs.10-11 “**No one on earth can tell the king his dream! And no king, however great and powerful, has ever asked such a thing of any magician, enchanter, or astrologer! The king’s demand is impossible. No one except the gods can tell you your dream, and they do not live here among people.”**

V.12 “**The king was furious when he heard this, and he ordered that all the wise men of Babylon be executed.”**

Proverbs 21:1 **“The king’s heart is like a stream of water directed by the Lord; he guides it wherever he pleases.”**

V.20-21 **“Praise the name of God forever and ever, for he has all wisdom and power... He gives wisdom to the wise and knowledge to the scholars.”**

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1ST - ALL TRUE WISDOM COMES FROM GOD

Daniel 2:21 **“He gives wisdom to the wise.”**

Proverbs 2:6 **“The Lord grants wisdom! From his mouth come knowledge and understanding.”**

James 1:5 **“If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.”**

2ND - THE WISDOM OF THE WORLD IS USELESS

1 Corinthians 3:19 **“For the wisdom of this world is foolishness.”**

Genesis 3:6 **“The woman ... saw that the tree was beautiful and its fruit looked delicious, and she wanted the wisdom it would give her. So she took some of the fruit and ate it. Then she gave some to her husband, who was with her, and he ate it, too.”**

3RD - WISDOM COMES FROM HUMILITY

Proverbs 11:2 **“Pride leads to disgrace, but with humility comes wisdom.”**

4TH - WISDOM COMES FROM DISCIPLINE.

Proverbs 29:15 (Msg) **“Wise discipline imparts wisdom.”**

1 John 5:11-13 **“And this is what God has testified: He has given us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have God’s Son does not have life. I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.”**