## Lesson 15 Proverbs 14 & 15

Weekly Memory Verses Proverbs 14:12, 15:1, 22

14:12 There is a way which seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death.

15:1 A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.

15:22 Without consultation, plans are frustrated, but with many counselors they succeed.

Week 15 Homework Proverbs 14:1-35, 15:1-33

My friend, this homework is not for cramming.

To get the most out of this study you need to seek to work on it a little bit every day. Keep in mind that you will get out of it what you put into it. So, invest deeply and be deeply blessed by an increase in the wisdom of our Savior!

- 1. Read Proverbs 14-15 each day this week or 3 days of chapter 14 and 3 days of chapter 15.
- 2. Work each day this week on memorizing Proverbs 14:12, 15:1, 22
- 3. Mark your key words as you encounter them in the text of Chapter 14-15 (see bookmark.)
- 4. Chapter 14 starts us off with a verse on wise women. Copy out the verse below. Notice its relationship to Proverbs 9:1.

Look up the following verses in Proverbs and the parable in Matthew on the "house." Note what you learn next to each.

Proverbs 11:29

Proverbs 14:11

Proverbs 17:1

Proverbs 24:3

Proverbs 31:27

Matthew 7:24-27

A house-home-family-life is not really about the pillars, walls and rooms but about:
How are you, as a woman seeking to be excellent for the Lord Jesus Christ: pursing building up your "house" and not tearing it down? List below several areas that need <b>change</b> and <b>growth</b> and several areas God <i>has helped</i> you obey the command to build it up: (single gals this still applies to you)
5. There is much more insight into the heart in chapters 14-15. Add to your previous list made on all verses on the Heart.
Look up the following verses on the heart and write out what else you learn about it:
Jeremiah 17:9-10
Mark 7:21-23
Romans 1:24-32
1 Corinthians 6:9-11
Galatians 5:19-21
Proverbs 28:26
In light of these verses, go back and meditate on Proverbs 4:23-27. List out the actions specified to guard your heart.
And from Luke 21:34-36, jot down what else we are to be avoiding as we guard our heart

6. List below all you learn about the LORD and the fear of the LORD in these chapters:
7. Notice the <i>last</i> verse of Chapter 15. How does this verse weave in with our key verse 1:7 and it's sister verse 9:10?
Have you grown in the past 15 weeks in understanding what the fear of the LORD is? What truths have you grown to understand better?
Has the path of your feet changed at all?
8. Use an orange pencil to color in a circle around all of the words like <i>joy</i> and <i>happy</i> and synonyms of joy in these two chapters. What overarching truths can you summarize from these Proverbs? Be prepared to share at Study.
<ol> <li>Work on your topical index with the verses in Chapter 14-15 in your notebook or on notebook paper if you aren't doing <u>Hidden Treasures</u>.</li> </ol>
Optional Hidden Treasures Homework:
<ul> <li>As you read Proverbs chapter 14-15 every day this week, read it to your children at least 3 times. Perhaps, now that we're doing 2 chapters a week you will do three days of the first chapter and 3 days of the second chapter. There are 3 pictures for Chapter 14 and 5 for Chapter 15! Enough for more than one per day!!</li> </ul>

Make copies for your kids to color as you read or put it on display for them to look at while you read and have them listen for the words that depict the drawing.

HT page		Verse
Page 36	is	14:1
Page 67	is	14:11
Page 140	is	14:27
Page 37	is	15:15
Page 68	is	15:17
Page 141	is	15:17also
Page 142	is	15:13
Page 143	is	15:19

- Fill out an "Advice in Proverbs" sheet (page 92) for chapter 14-15 Fill in the chart alone or with your kids.
- Fill out a "Verse Topics in Proverbs" sheet for all the verses in chapter 14-15. (page 93)

## **Teaching Notes**

## Proverbs 14:1-35 and 15:1-33 Living in Wisdom

Proverbs 14:1-32 Living in Wisdom

Verses 1-7 Walking in Wisdom

Verses 8-15 Walking by Faith, not Sight

Verses 15-18 Wisdom and Morality

Verses 9-24 Morality and Consequences

Verses 25-32 Life and Death

Proverbs 14:33-35, 15:1-4 Righteousness Found in the Gentle Tongue

Proverbs 15:5-19
The Importance of Instruction

Verses 5-12 Consequences of How You Receive Instruction

Verses 13-17	A Righteous	Heart in	Light of	Circumst	ances

Verses 18-19 Two Righteous Paths That Overcome

## Proverbs 15:20-29. More Consequences for the Wicked

Verses 20-23 Joy in Learning Instruction

Verse 24 Hinge

Verses 25-29 Futures of Righteous and Wicked

Proverbs 15:30-33 The Lord and His King