



God Speaks Through Others

FOMO: How to Know God's Plan - Part 8 of 10

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Big Idea: We have a responsibility to *seek* wise counsel from godly people.

Text: Selected Scriptures

For lack of guidance a nation falls, but many advisers make victory sure. – Proverbs 11:14

A wise man listens to advice. – Proverbs 12:15b

Plans fail for lack of counsel, but with many advisers they succeed. – Proverbs 15:22

Listen to advice and accept instruction, and in the end you will be wise. – Proverbs 19:20

The purposes of a man's heart are deep waters, but a man of understanding draws them out.
– Proverbs 20:5

Make plans by seeking advice. – Proverbs 20:18a

For waging war you need guidance, and for victory many advisers. – Proverbs 24:6

As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another. – Proverbs 27:17

I. YOU ARE _____ TO NEED SOUND ADVICE.

Stop listening to instruction, my son, and you will stray from the words of knowledge.

– Proverbs 19:27

II. THE BIGGER _____ THE MORE COUNSEL I SHOULD GET.

For waging war you need guidance, and for victory many advisers. – Proverbs 24:6

All the counsel you have received has only worn you out! – Isaiah 47:13a

III. _____ **YOUR COUNSELORS** _____.

The advice of the wicked is deceitful. – Proverbs 12:5b

Stay away from a foolish man, for you will not find knowledge on his lips. – Proverbs 14:7

Now in those days the advice Ahithophel gave was like that of one who inquires of God. That was how both David and Absalom regarded all of Ahithophel's advice. – 2 Samuel 16:23

He followed the advice of the young men and said, "My father made your yoke heavy; I will make it even heavier. My father scourged you with whips; I will scourge you with scorpions."
– 1 Kings 12:14

Remember those who led you, who spoke the word of God to you; and considering the result of their conduct, imitate their faith. – Hebrews 13:7 (NASV)

Do not quench the Spirit; do not despise prophetic utterances. But examine everything *carefully*; hold fast to that which is good; abstain from every form of evil. – 1 Thessalonians 5:19-22 (NASV)

MEMORY VERSE

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