



THE WISDOM OF GOD WILL GUIDE YOU

KENNETH COPELAND AND JEREMY PEARSONS

JANUARY 17-21, 2022

DAY 1 – COURSE CORRECTION

The wisdom of God is the principal thing. This is the year of correction, direction, protection and perfection. Everything has to first come in the spirit. It's all wrapped up in following what God already knows.

STUDY IT

- I. The wisdom of God is the principal thing (see Proverbs 4:7).
 - How do you know what to do?
 - Take the step that's right in front of you. That's the entire walk of faith in one statement.
 - No one can walk more than one step at a time.
- II. This is the year of correction, direction, protection and perfection.
 - We are called to teach people how to prosper—spirit, soul and body.
 - What is prosperity? Most people answer, "Money."
 - Solomon asked for wisdom, not money. Because of his priorities, he became the wealthiest man in the world.
- III. Everything has to first come in the spirit.
 - The rich man thought within himself—that was his problem. He didn't seek God first and obey His direction.
 - His big vision was to have storage units.
 - His plan was to tear down his barns. That's not wise. Even though the barns were not big enough, he could have built on, expanded them. Why destroy what you have already built? That doesn't make sense.
 - He planned to take his ease. Do nothing. That's a pathetic lack of vision.
 - He was a fool. He never got outside of himself. He didn't prosper spiritually. He had no successor.
 - Oral Roberts had a successor to guide Oral Roberts University—Richard Roberts.
 - Kenneth Copeland Bible College® is training people to extend the faith message and take it places Brother Copeland will never go.



- IV. It's all wrapped up in following what God already knows.
- Jeremy and Sarah Pearsons received the direction about pastoring and moving to Colorado.
 - The first day in their own ministry, September 2010, they were driving in Colorado asking God, "Where is the place of our ministry?" They didn't hear an answer.
 - The LORD spoke one word to them: *Legacy*.
 - There are two kinds of legacy: the one you keep and the one you leave. You serve as a bridge between one generation and the next.
 - In 2018, the Colorado vision came back again. They knew they were going to Colorado.
 - What about all they had built in Texas? The LORD said, *Course correction*.
 - When piloting an airplane, you must first determine where you are going and how to get there using maps, very high-frequency (VHF) omnidirectional range (VOR) and/or satellite navigation.
 - The same is true in the Christian life. We must be ready to make course corrections when impressed by The LORD.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Do you have a vision for your future? Ask The LORD what He has for you. Then, ask for the first step. Take it. Ask for the next step and take it. If you run into obstacles, refuse to be discouraged. God is leading you to your abundant life!

Write the vision God has given you for your future. Then write what steps you have taken toward that future. Be open to the voice of wisdom and the voice of the Holy Spirit.



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DAY 2 – WISDOM IN THE INTERSECTION

Everything you receive from God has to be received by faith. Brother Copeland received from The LORD that 2022 will be the year of correction, direction, protection and perfection. Wisdom tells us to turn from simplicity and go in God's direction. Some people miss their turn. They don't follow wisdom's direction. Whom The LORD loves, He corrects.

STUDY IT

- I. Everything you receive from God has to be received by faith.
 - Speak the end result, and speak those things that are not as though they were (see Romans 4:17).
 - God's wisdom is not hidden *from* us, but *for* us.
 - God chose to give us wisdom, righteousness, sanctification and redemption (see 1 Corinthians 1:27-30).
 - The LORD is our wisdom, and He is right inside us, in our spirits.
- II. Brother Copeland received from The LORD that 2022 will be the year of correction, direction, protection and perfection.
 - Wisdom cries aloud in the streets at the market and at the noisy intersection (see Proverbs 1:20-21, *AMPC*). There is nothing sacred about these places.
 - Wisdom is precious, high and lofty; yet God didn't put it in a holy place separate from life. He made His wisdom accessible to everyone.
 - He put His wisdom in the streets where you live.
 - God put His wisdom at the intersection—a place where choices are made about the direction you will go.
 - You are at an intersection: life or death, BLESSING or cursing (see Deuteronomy 30:19).
 - There is a grace deposit of wisdom in your spirit, and faith brings it up for your use.
 - Seek God for His wisdom in every decision.



- III. Wisdom tells us to turn from simplicity and go in God's direction.
- You're at an intersection. You're making a decision about what direction to go.
 - You don't have to make the decision by yourself. The wisdom of God is crying out, making herself available to you.
 - Wisdom rebukes us and instructs us to turn, to change (see Proverbs 1:23). That's correction.
- IV. Some people miss their turn. They don't follow wisdom's direction.
- Don't set aside wisdom's counsel and reproof (see Proverbs 1:25).
 - Brother Copeland knew he needed to control his diet.
 - He looked up the word *glutton* in Scripture. It is coupled with the word *drunkard* (see Proverbs 23:21).
 - He realized he was addicted to certain foods and coffee.
 - He put the can of coffee, the pot, etc., on a plate and made his confession of deliverance.
 - "Coffee, I have no need of thee again forever, in the Name of Jesus."
 - He called those things that were not as though they were. He spoke to it according to the wisdom of God.
 - Brother Copeland took Communion over his decision. He has not had any coffee since that time.
- V. Whom The LORD loves, He corrects (see Proverbs 3:12).
- God gave Jeremy and Sarah the words, *course correction*. The ministry assignment was the same; it would just be done in another location.
 - Be willing to correct your direction, so you won't end up lost and out of gas.
 - If we're not receiving correction on a regular basis, there's a whole facet of God we are not accessing.
 - It's wonderful when you accept correction. It puts you in the right place, at the right time, doing the right thing, with the right people.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Gear up your faith. God wants to correct your course, give you direction that will protect you and bring you to perfection (maturity). Humble yourself, and receive what He has for you! You are BLESSED!



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DAY 3 – DON'T DESPISE A DELAY

The wisdom of God is the wisdom of Love. People were astounded by Jesus' ministry because He spoke as one having authority. Never underestimate a delay. One reason you might miss wisdom's direction is because you are moving too quickly. In 2022, you'll know what to do. If you don't know what to do, trust The LORD, who does.

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- I. The wisdom of God is the wisdom of Love.
 - Keep your mind on the Love of God all the time. Perfected love casts out fear because God is Love (see 1 John 4:18).
 - Paul prayed and desired that the Church would be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding (see Colossians 1:9).
 - The revelation of God's WORD is essential to receive His wisdom.
- II. People were astounded by Jesus' ministry because He spoke as one having authority (see Matthew 7:29).
 - They were accustomed to hearing commentary on the scripture; not the authority of God's WORD.
 - You need to read the Bible for yourself.
 - You can read God's WORD and speak it with authority because you are filled with the same Spirit of wisdom and revelation that Jesus had.
- III. Never underestimate a delay. Don't force it.
 - Jeremy and Sarah were seeking property in Colorado for their ministry.
 - They waited on the Spirit of God to give them direction. They set themselves aside to seek God and pray. They found another property for sale—it was the one!
 - Jeremy and Sarah's ministry purchased property in Green Mountain Falls, Colo.
 - It has 150 acres in the mountains right off the highway, an existing building that needed a lot of love, and cabins.
 - This property checked every box that was in their hearts for all those years.



- By June 2019, they had moved to their new ministry headquarters. In one way, it was quick, but it was actually 10 years in the making.

IV. One reason you might miss wisdom's direction is because you are moving too quickly.

- There is a time to be patient and slow down. There's another time to go fast.
- The Dallas-Fort Worth area is a high-density air traffic area. The controller said to Kenneth, "Turn left and climb to 11,000 feet."
 - The LORD asked Kenneth, *Why aren't you upset about new instructions?*
 - Kenneth answered, "Because the air traffic controller can see air traffic I can't see."
 - The LORD replied, *Would you please give Me that much respect? I can see what you can't see.*
- God's instructions will protect us.

V. In 2022, you'll know what to do. If you don't know what to do, trust The LORD, who does.

- You should fly low and slow on your landing approach. That is a critical phase of flight.
 - Right now, we are in a critical phase of flight. It's the time to know what to do with confidence and clarity, and listen to the voice of wisdom.
- The Pharisees pressed Jesus to answer quickly when they caught a woman in adultery (see John 8:6-7).
 - Jesus bent down and started writing on the ground.
 - Jesus was waiting on the inner witness of the Holy Spirit—the direction of the Father.
- Wait for the witness of the Spirit. Wait on the wisdom.
- When Jesus got the news about Lazarus' death, He didn't automatically know what to do. He waited until He knew. Then He raised Lazarus from the dead (see John 11:6, 43-44).

MAKE IT PERSONAL

What do you do when you hear God's WORD and know what to do, but you're stopped by a delay? Repent, forgive and allow God to teach you patience. The Holy Spirit will guide you as you seek Him.

Let's pray:

"Heavenly Father, help me as I seek Your way and Your wisdom. I trust You and I determine to listen and follow You. Thank You, Sir. In Jesus' Name. Amen."





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DAY 4 – WHY DO PEOPLE MISS THEIR TURN?

Thank You, LORD, for being our wisdom. You have given us Your knowledge, Your power and Your Spirit. The LORD told Brother Copeland to go on daily television, but he didn't want to make that commitment. One reason some people miss their turn, is because they follow bad directions. You have the written WORD of God; follow it. Here is *the* basic intersection: life or death, BLESSING or curse.

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- I. Thank You, LORD, for being our wisdom. You have given us Your knowledge, Your power and Your Spirit.
 - The phone rang at Brother Copeland's parents' house. Aunt Ilee was on her deathbed. On the inside, Kenneth felt panic. On the outside, he kept himself calm. On the way to the hospital, he heard The LORD say, *Touch her breastbone and say, "Aunt Ilee, open your eyes, now."*
 - At the hospital, she had been moved to another room waiting for the doctor to sign the death certificate. Her daughter was on the phone making funeral arrangements.
 - Brother Copeland obeyed and spoke to her. She lived two more years in her own home.
 - Brother Copeland was with Oral Roberts when he shared this wisdom: "People will always tell you that you can't do it."
 - "Do these three things and you will always be a success. 1. Find out the will of God; 2. Confer no longer with flesh and blood; 3. Get it done at any cost."
- II. The LORD told Brother Copeland to go on daily television, but he didn't want to make that commitment.
 - He was praying about something else and remembered the scripture, "If you are willing and obedient, you will eat the good of the land" (Isaiah 1:19).
 - The LORD said, *You don't qualify for that promise. You are obedient but not willing.*
 - Brother Copeland adjusted right then. He began to say, "I love daily television."



- III. One reason some people miss their turn is because they follow bad directions.
- Read these directions out loud and emphasize the capitalized words. "My son, attend to MY WORDS; incline thine ear unto MY SAYINGS. Let THEM not depart from thine eyes; keep THEM in the midst of thine heart. For THEY are life unto those that find THEM, and health to all their flesh" (Proverbs 4:20-22).
 - In a noisy intersection, there are many voices to hear. Wisdom is not the only voice talking.
 - Make sure you are listening to the wisdom of God. Listen, incline your ear for God's WORD in those noisy places of choice.
- IV. You have the written WORD of God; follow it.
- When you know the Source, you can trust the directions.
 - "How long, simple ones..." (Proverbs 1:22).
 - A "simple one" is open to evil, wide open to the wrong thing.
 - Be open to God's directions. Be open to anything you find in Scriptures.
 - Don't be open to what you hear from the news desk.
- V. Here is *the* basic intersection: life or death, BLESSING or curse (see Deuteronomy 30:19).
- Words release power: fear or faith, doubt or belief.
 - Jesus said, "The words I speak unto you are spirit and life" (John 6:63). God's WORD is spirit and life.
 - The Bible *is* truth. Not *a* truth or *the* truth, it *is* truth. It *is* wisdom. It *is* knowledge. It *is* the Father. It *is* His Son, Jesus. It *is* His Spirit.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Going through life requires turning the right way at every intersection. Read God's WORD and discover His wisdom for direction in your life.

Don't miss your turn! Seek God's wisdom, and you'll be right!

What decisions are you facing? Pray, listen and obey God's instructions. It will work for you every time!



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DAY 5 – HOW TO GET FROM HERE TO THERE

The WORD of God—*He* is alive and sharper than a two-edged sword. It's good to identify when one thing is ending and another thing is beginning. One result of seed time and harvest is judgment. People miss their turn because they think they know a better way.

STUDY IT

- I. The WORD of God—*He* is alive and sharper than a two-edged sword (see Hebrews 4:12).
 - God's WORD is His wisdom and there is no wisdom apart from it.
 - The wisdom of God is found crying out in the streets. God wants you to have it (see Proverbs 1:20-21).
 - These are decision-making days. It's the end of one thing and the beginning of another.
- II. It's good to identify when one thing is ending and another thing is beginning.
 - Jeremy expected a big moment when he was to change from what he was doing to being a pastor.
 - Everything he had been doing was leading up to the next assignment. There had been a long preparation time.
 - You have to grow into a place that you feel the passion of what you are to do.
 - For about 10 years, Jeremy and Sarah traveled and preached, knowing there would be a time they would pastor a church.
 - It's a big key when searching for the will of God: listen to your elders. They know things you may not know.
 - Third John was written by *the elder John*. Read and listen to what he said.
 - Get a voice in your life that you can trust as you follow The LORD.
 - God corrects by His WORD, His Spirit and His people.
- III. One result of seed time and harvest is judgment.
 - Judgment is not always a bad thing.
 - Judge yourself: Are you going to condemn or love?
 - Stay in faith, stay in Love, and keep walking before God.





- Listen! The elder, Kenneth Copeland, has just spoken to you. You can put your trust in this direction.
- IV. People miss their turn because they think they know a better way.
- That's where we need to listen and obey our elders. We are assigned to listen and obey specific voices. Get what they've got.
 - Think about it! Who has The LORD put you under? Who are you assigned to follow?
 - Obey God. Allow Him to change your plans.
 - Say to The LORD: "Your will is my will and my will is submitted to You."

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