

# Scripture

## Proverbs 2:1-8 (NLT)

- 1 My child, listen to what I say,  
and treasure my commands.
- 2 Tune your ears to wisdom,  
and concentrate on understanding.
- 3 Cry out for insight,  
and ask for understanding.
- 4 Search for them as you would for  
silver; seek them like hidden  
treasures.

- 5 Then you will understand what it means to fear the Lord,  
and you will gain knowledge of God.
- 6 For the Lord grants wisdom!  
From his mouth come knowledge  
and understanding.
- 7 He grants a treasure of common  
sense to the honest.  
He is a shield to those who walk  
with integrity.

8 He guards the paths of the just  
and protects those who are faithful to  
him.