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PROVERBS OVERVIEW BIBLE CHART

	PROLOGUE TO WISE LIVING	PRINCIPLES FOR WISE LIVING	PERSONIFICATION OF WISE LIVING
	Proverbs 1:1–9:18	Proverbs 10:1–31:9	Proverbs 31:10–31
	"Fear of the LORD is the foundation of true knowledge." <i>(Prov. 1:7)</i>	"Fear of the LORD teaches wisdom; humility precedes honor." <i>(Prov. 15:33)</i>	"Charm is deceptive, and beauty does not last; but a woman who fears the LORD will be greatly praised." <i>(Prov. 31:30)</i>
EMPHASIS	Wisdom especially for youth	Wisdom for all	
FRAMEWORK	Subjects and statements; people and problems; counseling and correction		
STYLE	Short statements that declare profound truths and provide wisdom for life		
THEME	"Fear of the LORD is the foundation of wisdom." (Prov. 9:10)		
KEY VERSE	Proverbs 9:10		
CHRIST IN PROVERBS	Wisdom is incarnate in Christ, who is "the wisdom of God" (1 Cor. 1:24). He is "wisdom itself" (1 Cor. 1:30), and "in him lie hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge" (Col. 2:3).		