# WISDOM FROM PROVERBS SCHEME: WISE IN OUR OWN EYES

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Do you see a man wise in his own eyes?
There is more hope for a fool than for him. - Prov 26:12

**Primary Point:** A scheme of the devil is to get us to be wise in our own eyes

#### **DEFINE WISE IN OUR OWN EYES**

Thinking I know all I need to in a situation Thinking I am better than someone else Thinking I do not need God

### **EXAMPLES OF WISE IN OUR OWN EYES**

What we know (Prov 3:5-7)
What we do (Prov 16:2, Prov 26:13-16)
What we have (Prov 28:11)

### **SOLUTION TO BEING WISE IN OUR OWN EYES**

Realize that boasting in ourselves is beyond foolish (Prov 26:1-12) Be willing to say, "I think", instead of "I know" Boast in how well we know God (Jer 9:23-24) Memorize Exodus 34:6

## LIFE GROUP DISCUSSION?'S

What is something that you learned from the message? Give an example when you have been tempted to be "wise in your own eyes" Read Prov 26:1-12. What does verse 12 mean? Read Jer 9:23-24. What can you do to get to know God better?