

## **Talking Points**

**Discussion Guide** 

Wisdom: Direction, Not Intention
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Scripture: Proverbs 3:1-3, 5-6 NIV

**Summary:** We get God's wisdom in our life by asking ourselves the right question: "What's the wise thing for me to do?" But we don't stop there—once we ask and have an answer, we act.

## Talk It Over:

- -Our direction determines our destination. What are some of the paths that you have taken in life? Where did they lead you?
- -What is your desire when it comes to your career? Finances? Marriage? Kids? Relationships?
- What path are you on when it comes to those areas (i.e. career, finances, kids, relationships)? Where do you see it headed? How is it different than your desired destination?
- Pick an area of your life and think about your desired destination. With that goal in mind, ask yourself the following questions:
  - "What is the wise thing for me to do in this area in light of my past life experiences?"
  - "What is the wise thing for me to do in this area in light of my current situation?"
  - "What is the wise thing for me to do in this area in light of my future dreams and desires?"
- What is one practical way you can start submitting to God's will? Write it down on a Post-It and put it where you will see it. Start small by committing to following God's wisdom in that area.

Asking, "What is the wise thing for me to do?" is just the start of implementing God's wisdom into our daily life. Wisdom is a two-step recipe. We ask the right questions, and then we act.

## Talk It Over with Kids:

- Have you ever been lost before? Or have your parents got lost? How did you (or they) get lost?
- What do you want to be when you grow up? What will you have to do to make that happen?
- Remember! We can only get to where we want to go if we are going the right way. How can you make sure you're going the right way in your life?