

## Message Notes

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8. Wisdom as we've learned can be passed on, and the influences we put into our lives are important. It can mean the difference between finding the right path, and falling away into darkness? Read Proverbs 25:14, 27:6, 27:9 and talk about the importance of influence. What does it also teach us about the importance of listening well?
9. Jesus in 10:10 taught that he came to give life "more abundantly" (or more rich and satisfying NLT). How does living a life of wisdom fulfill what Jesus said?



### Making It Personal

1. What are some of the practical ways you can begin to incorporate this study into your life?
2. How does this study challenge you in the way you relate to others?

### Looking Ahead

The Book of Proverbs has much to say about character development. Next week's message will look at the contrast between pride and humility.

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# Life Group Study Notes

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Study  
based on  
Proverbs  
4:11-13

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## This Week's Message

We are celebrating a baptismal service this Sunday. The testimonies that will be heard today will illustrate a key thought that will be given in the message just before the baptisms.



## Study

Read Proverbs 4:11-13

1. What has stuck with you over the course of the first 3 messages?
2. As a review, how do we understand the following?
  - a. Information versus wisdom
  - b. Disposition and how it affects the path we choose?
  - c. The importance of self-control/awareness
3. Was there a key point from the message that you would like to discuss, or expand upon?
4. Read Proverbs 4:11-13. Here a father stresses the importance of a son taking the instruction to heart. Why does the Father stress the need to "guard them?"
5. In the message, what was stated about relationships?
  - a. How have you experienced this in a
    - i. Positive way?
    - ii. Negative way?
6. How many of the testimonies given during the service mentioned the positive impact of a key relationship to their faith in Christ?
7. Why does God place such importance on key relationships? Also, have you ever been influenced by these types of people?
  - a. A Fool
  - b. A Mocker
  - c. A Toxic Individual
  - d. A Saint