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*Proverbs 28:13 (NCV)*

***“This verse is unique in the book of Proverbs; it captures the theology of forgiveness...”***

**NET Commentary**

*In Him we have redemption through His blood,  
the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the  
riches of God's grace that He lavished on us.*

*Ephesians 1:7-8a (NIV)*

*If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous, so that He will forgive us our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

*1 John 1:9*

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*If you don't confess your sins, you will be a failure. But God will be merciful if you confess your sins and give them up.*

*Proverbs 28:13 (CEV)*

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*Those who trust in themselves are foolish,  
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*...will be delivered.*

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*A person who will not bend after many warnings  
will suddenly be broken beyond repair.*

*Proverbs 29:1 (GWT)*

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*For He makes His sun rise on the evil  
and on the good, and sends rain on the  
just and on the unjust.*

*Matthew 5:45 (ESV)*

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*“The LORD, the LORD God, compassionate and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in faithfulness and truth...”*

*Exodus 34:6*

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*Proverbs 29:13*

*“Behold, God does all these things for a man two or three times, to bring back his soul from the pit, so that he may be enlightened with the light of life.”*

*Job 33:29-30*



*The precepts of the LORD are right,  
rejoicing the heart; the commandment of  
the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes.*

*Psalm 19:8*

*In Him was life, and the life was the Light  
of mankind.*

*John 1:4*

*“I am the Light of the world; the one who  
follows Me will not walk in the darkness,  
but will have the Light of life.”*

*John 8:12*

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*Proverbs 29:18a (KJV)*

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