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Proverbs 13:3 (GWT)

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We all make many mistakes. If there were a person who never said anything wrong, he would be perfect. He would be able to control his whole body, too.

James 3:2 (ICB)

"But the things that come out of the mouth come from the heart, and those things defile the person."

Matthew 15:18

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How's your light?

(v. 9)

The light of righteous people beams brightly, but the lamp of wicked people will be snuffed out.

Proverbs 13:9 (GWT)

"You are the light of the world.... Your light must shine before people in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven."

Matthew 5:14, 16

...so that you will prove yourselves to be blameless and innocent, children of God above reproach in the midst of a crooked and perverse generation, among whom you appear as lights in the world, holding firmly the word of life...



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Proverbs 13:9 (GWT)

How's your light?

(v. 9)

What do you really want?

(v. 12)

Hope delayed makes the heart sick, but desire fulfilled is a tree of life.

Proverbs 13:12 (CSB)

What do you really want?

(v. 12)

Who do you spend time with?

(v. 20)

Whoever keeps company with the wise becomes wise, but the companion of fools suffers harm.

Proverbs 13:20 (ISV)

Do not be deceived: "Bad company corrupts good morals."

1 Corinthians 15:33

Whoever keeps company with the wise becomes wise, but the companion of fools suffers harm.

Proverbs 13:20 (ISV)

Who do you spend time with?

(v. 20)

Do you love your children?

(v. 24)

Whoever does not discipline his son hates him, but whoever loves him is diligent to correct him.

Proverbs 13:24 (ISV)

Do you love your children?

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How careful are you when you speak? How's your light? What do you really want? Who do you spend time with? Do you love your children?