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Solomon's Proverbs Lesson 3: Character and Community

Read Proverbs 11:1-15

Discussion Questions:

1. Choose one proverb that you like.

2. In that proverb, highlight any words you do not know. Look up their definitions.

3. What lesson is this proverb trying to teach?

4. Do you agree or disagree with this lesson?

5. If you agree, why is this lesson good for people?

6. If you disagree, why do you disagree?

7. Does your home culture have a similar proverb or saying? What is it?

8. Does your home culture have an opposite proverb or saying? What is it?

9. Repeat questions 1 through 8 for other proverbs you choose!

10. Looking at all the proverbs, are there any main themes that you notice?

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Theological Insights:

1. God cares about honesty and justice in our daily choices and actions.
2. Pride leads to shame, while humility opens the door to true wisdom.
3. Doing what is right brings life and peace, but wicked choices destroy a person.
4. Wealth cannot save anyone from God's judgment, but righteousness brings eternal safety.
5. The words we speak have the power to build up or destroy our neighbors.
6. God protects and delivers good people when they face trouble.
7. Wise choices and good leaders bring safety, peace, and joy to an entire community.

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Read Proverbs 11:1-15 (ERV)

10 Vocabulary Words:

1. **City** (noun): A large town where many people live together.
2. **Die** (verb): To stop living.
3. **Happy** (adjective): Feeling or showing joy and pleasure.
4. **Honest** (adjective): Telling the truth and not lying or stealing.
5. **Joy** (noun): A very strong feeling of happiness.
6. **Leader** (noun): A person who guides or rules a group of people.
7. **Lie** (verb): To say something that is not true.
8. **Neighbor** (noun): A person who lives near you or around you.
9. **Safe** (adjective): Free from danger or harm.
10. **Wise** (adjective): Having good judgment and knowing what is right.

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Read Proverbs 11:1-15 (ERV)

20 Vocabulary Words:

1. **City** (noun): A large town where many people live together.
2. **Death** (noun): The end of life.
3. **Destroy** (verb): To break something completely so it cannot be fixed.
4. **Die** (verb): To stop living.
5. **Escape** (verb): To get away from a dangerous or bad place.
6. **Evil** (adjective): Very bad, harmful, or morally wrong.
7. **False** (adjective): Not true or not real.
8. **Happy** (adjective): Feeling or showing joy and pleasure.
9. **Hate** (verb): To dislike someone or something very much.
10. **Honest** (adjective): Telling the truth and not lying or stealing.
11. **Humble** (adjective): Not thinking you are better than other people.
12. **Joy** (noun): A very strong feeling of happiness.
13. **Leader** (noun): A person who guides or rules a group of people.
14. **Lie** (verb): To say something that is not true.
15. **Neighbor** (noun): A person who lives near you or around you.
16. **Proud** (adjective): Thinking you are better or more important than others.
17. **Safe** (adjective): Free from danger or harm.
18. **Save** (verb): To rescue someone from danger or death.
19. **Wicked** (adjective): Bad, sinful, and doing wrong things.
20. **Wise** (adjective): Having good judgment and knowing what is right.

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Vocabulary Match

Instructions:
Match the word or phrase on the left with the correct definition on the right.
Write the letter of the definition on the line.

	Word		Definition
1.	_____ city	A.	To tell something that is not true
2.	_____ die	B.	Free from danger, harm, or worry
3.	_____ happy	C.	A person who lives close to your home
4.	_____ honest	D.	A large town where many people live and work
5.	_____ joy	E.	Having good judgment and knowing what is right
6.	_____ leader	F.	Feeling or showing great pleasure and gladness
7.	_____ lie	G.	A very strong feeling of happiness and delight
8.	_____ neighbor	H.	To stop living or pass away
9.	_____ safe	I.	A person who guides, directs, or rules a group
10.	_____ wise	J.	Telling the truth and refusing to cheat or steal

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Grammar

Part 1: Countable and Uncountable Nouns

Instructions: Write **C** if the noun is countable (things we can count) or **U** if it is uncountable (things we cannot count).

1. _____ city
2. _____ money
3. _____ neighbor
4. _____ advice
5. _____ leader

Part 2: Simple Past Tense

Instructions: Choose the correct past-tense verb in parentheses to complete each sentence.

6. King Solomon (ask / asked) God for wisdom.
7. The wicked people (try / tried) to hide their plans.
8. Good people (speak / spoke) kind words to help others.
9. The proud man (fall / fell) into shame.
10. She (refuse / refused) to make a bad promise.

Part 3: Comparative Adjectives

Instructions: Fill in the blank with the correct comparative form of the adjective in parentheses (adding -er or using more).

11. An honest life is _____ than getting rich by cheating. (**good**)
12. Wise leaders are _____ than foolish ones. (**wise**)
13. Speaking kindly is _____ than shouting at others. (**helpful**)
14. A humble person is _____ than a proud person. (**modest**)
15. Doing right is _____ than doing evil. (**safe**)

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Read Proverbs 11:1-15 (ERV)

Opposites

Instructions:
Read each word on the left. Find its opposite word in the word bank and write it on the line.

Word Bank:

death	**destroy**	**false**	**happy**	**hate**
humble	**lie**	**safe**	**wicked**	**wise**

1. **life** is the opposite of _____
2. **truth** is the opposite of _____
3. **foolish** is the opposite of _____
4. **proud** is the opposite of _____
5. **true** is the opposite of _____
6. **save** is the opposite of _____
7. **good** is the opposite of _____
8. **sad** is the opposite of _____
9. **love** is the opposite of _____
10. **dangerous** is the opposite of _____

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Fill in the Blank

Instructions: Use the words in the word bank to complete the story.

Word Bank:

city	**destroy**	**die**	**evil**	**false**
happy	**honest**	**humble**	**joy**	**lie**

The book of Proverbs teaches us how to make wise choices every day. God cares deeply about fairness and truth. For example, God hates when people use (1)_____ scales to cheat others. Proverbs 11 shows us that proud people will eventually be shamed, but true wisdom stays with those who are (2)_____.

Good people are guided by their (3)_____ behavior, but crooks who (4)_____ and cheat will ruin themselves. Money cannot save anyone from death, and when wicked people (5)_____, all their selfish hopes are completely lost. Furthermore, the actions of bad people can (6)_____ their own communities.

On the other hand, good choices bring great rewards. When good people are successful, the whole (7)_____ is (8)_____, and the people shout with (9)_____ when (10)_____ is stopped.

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My Prayer Journal (ACTS Method)

Bible Verse:
Write a verse to think about.

Adoration:
Tell God he is great!

Confession:
Tell God you are sorry.

Thanksgiving:
Thank God for good things.

Supplication:
Ask God to help you.

Supplication:
Ask God to help others.

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Bible Verses: _____

Bible Translation Comparison Journal

First Version Analysis

Translation: _____

Important or New Words:

Main Idea:

Second Version Differences

Translation: _____

Word Differences:

Sentence Structure Differences:

Tone Differences:

Notes

What does this passage teach you about God or life?

What questions do you still have?

Reflection

Which version was easier for you to understand? Why?

Did reading both versions help you notice anything new?

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Answer Keys

Vocabulary Match

1. D
2. H
3. F
4. J
5. G
6. I
7. A
8. C
9. B
10. E

Grammar:

Part 1: Countable and Uncountable Nouns

1. C
2. U
3. C
4. U
5. C

Part 2: Simple Past Tense

6. asked
7. tried
8. spoke
9. fell
10. refused

Part 3: Comparative Adjectives

11. better
12. wiser
13. more helpful
14. more modest
15. safer

Opposites:

1. death
2. lie
3. wise
4. humble
5. false
6. destroy
7. wicked
8. happy
9. hate
10. safe

Fill in the Blank:

1. false
2. humble
3. honest
4. lie
5. die
6. destroy
7. city
8. happy
9. joy
10. evi

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