



## Dictionary

### Proverbs

<b>anger (God's anger)</b>	God's attitude and response to sin.
<b>anger (Man's anger)</b>	feelings of hostility toward a person or something that has wronged or injured you.
<b>attitude</b>	what someone feels inside about a person or idea; typically reflected in their manner or behavior.
<b>authority</b>	the power or right to control, command or dictate people or events; Jesus is the ultimate authority in any Christian's life.
<b>believe</b>	to accept as true or real; trust; have confidence in; have faith in; make a commitment to. Faith.
<b>Bible</b>	God's autobiography; God's plan for the world; a love letter to us; an instruction manual on how to act and live.
<b> blessing</b>	an affirmation of God's love and approval. It is a deep, abiding sense that we are secure in His presence.
<b>Christ</b>	Jesus Christ; anointed Son of God; the Savior of the world. Paid the complete penalty for sin for the whole world.
<b>confess</b>	acknowledge your sins before God.
<b>disciple</b>	"student"; a learner. Disciples of Jesus Christ want to think and live like Him.
<b>discernment</b>	the ability to decide between truth and error, right and wrong; to think biblically.
<b>endurance</b>	withstanding hardship; strength to continue or last. See perseverance.
<b>envy</b>	feelings of discontent and resentment over the desire for possessions or qualities of another.
<b>eternal life</b>	life that begins when a person turns from sin in commitment to Jesus. Supreme quality of life on earth as well as unending life with God.
<b>exalt</b>	to raise someone to a higher level; to praise someone highly; to present someone in a way that is too favorable.
<b>faith</b>	trust, loyalty, belief; accepting God's Word as fact; deciding to surrender and live your life to follow Jesus.
<b>fear of the Lord</b>	to respect who God is, what He says, and what He does; a respect that leads to obedience and love of God; profound reverence and awe toward God; true honor, devotion, obedience and love of God.
<b>forgiveness</b>	to pardon sins.

<b>glory</b>	divine quality; splendor, beauty and radiance of God's presence.
<b>God</b>	The One who is all-powerful; all-knowing; present everywhere at once; unchanging; above the bounds of time; absolutely right to govern His creation; Holy.
<b>Godly</b>	fearing, loving and obeying God, desiring His presence and fellowship.
<b>Godly character</b>	recognizing God's right way from the wrong, and to voluntarily surrender one's own will to do what is right in God's sight and, with the Holy Spirit's help, to resist the wrong even under pressure and temptation.
<b>Good News/ gospel</b>	"good news"; story of Jesus' birth, life, death, and resurrection. The message that God sent His Son Jesus to take away our sins by dying on the cross and resurrecting to life again to save all who trust in Him
<b>grace</b>	God's free and undeserved love toward sinful humans that never quits. God's favor. God's power to help us do whatever we need to do.
<b>guard your heart</b>	keeping your heart pure and safe by protecting it from evil and focusing on God.
<b>haughty</b>	arrogantly superior and condescending.
<b>heart</b>	inner thoughts and feelings; the real me living inside that thinks, feels, and decides; my character or personality.
<b>heaven</b>	God's home and where those who have believed in Jesus as their Savior go when they die.
<b>hell</b>	a place of punishment for those who die without believing in Jesus Christ as their personal Savior.
<b>His will</b>	what God wants us to be doing, which includes His commandments and our obedience to them.
<b>holy</b>	set apart for use by God; a continual work by the HS in the lives of Christians. A life like God wants you to live.
<b>Holy Spirit (HS)</b>	God's Spirit. Lives within all Christians to help them, communicate God's truth to them, convict them of sin, convince them that God's ways are right, empower them to obey Jesus and comfort them when sad.
<b>honor</b>	show highest respect for.
<b>hope</b>	believe with confidence that God will accomplish what He has promised; that God will be faithful to do what He said He would do; that we trust God even if we never find out why something happens.
<b>humility</b>	a modest view of one's own importance; seeing ourselves as God sees us; recognizing that all we have comes from God.
<b>hypocrisy</b>	pretending to be something you are not and have no intention of being.
<b>jealous</b>	feeling of wanting something someone else has; feeling of being angry at someone because they have what you want.
<b>Jesus</b>	The Christ; anointed Son of God; true Messiah; Savior of the world. Paid the complete penalty for sin for the whole world.
<b>joy</b>	deep feeling of contentment; evidence of a Holy Spirit filled life.
<b>judgment</b>	act or process of judging - only God's to decide and carry out.

<b>Kingdom of God</b>	Jesus' reign now and a future time when Jesus will rule over all humanity. Jesus has come but He will come again.
<b>law</b>	God's rules for living; commandments; makes people aware of sin and their sinfulness.
<b>mercy</b>	deep caring, loving, forgiveness, and kindness when it is not deserved.
<b>motive</b>	the feelings inside a person that causes him/her to think or act in a certain way; the reason for our behavior.
<b>obey/obedience</b>	believing and doing what God says; living like Him; pleasing Him; serving Him; getting to know Him better. Obeying God shows our trust in Him and His will.
<b>Omniscient</b>	all knowing nature of God; God's quality of knowing all things at once; universal knowledge.
<b>Omnipotent</b>	all powerful nature of God; God's almighty power; unlimited or infinite power.
<b>Omnipresent</b>	God's ability to be everywhere at all times; God's presence in every place at the same time.
<b>patience</b>	the ability to bear problems, annoyances, or pain without getting angry.
<b>peace</b>	God-given contentment which results in total confidence in God for everything.
<b>persecution</b>	treating someone in a cruel way because he/she is different; mistreatment of an individual or group by another group.
<b>perseverance</b>	the ability to endure difficulties with calmness and patience.
<b>pride (selfish)</b>	consumed with self (both an attitude and a type of conduct); a desire to run our own lives; shifting ultimate confidence from God to self; leading to a disregard, disrespect and disobedience of God; arrogance; conceit.
<b>redeem/ redemption</b>	buy back; to rescue with a ransom; Jesus paid the price for our release from sin - He redeemed us.
<b>relationship(s)</b>	the way in which two or more people talk to, behave toward, and deal with each other.
<b>repent</b>	regret something you have done; ask God to forgive you; and want to change your ways; turn away from sin.
<b>righteous/ righteousness</b>	being in a right relationship with God; without guilt or sin. God declares believers not guilty/righteous because of their faith in Jesus.
<b>right with God</b>	see righteous/righteousness.
<b>salvation/saved</b>	rescued or delivered from the penalty and power of sin in your life because you believe that Jesus, God's Son, came to earth and died on the cross to pay the penalty for your sins. He resurrected to life again to save all who trust in Him. Saved.
<b>Satan</b>	God's enemy; powerful angel who rebelled against God and was cast out of heaven; tempts people to sin.
<b>Savior</b>	Jesus Christ is "The Savior" because He delivers us from being punished for our sins.
<b>Scripture</b>	God's Words; the Bible.
<b>sin</b>	any action or attitude that falls short of God's perfect standard; separates us from a holy God. When we sin we show contempt for God. Sin keeps the world from working as God originally intended it to.

<b>slander</b>	to make an evil, false statement about someone that could hurt his/her reputation.
<b>sovereign</b>	having complete power and authority.
<b>submit</b>	to submit to others means respecting a person's authority; to submit to God means surrendering our own will to His; submitting is ongoing with every choice.
<b>temptation</b>	anything that attracts a person to do something unwise, wrong, or opposed to God's will.
<b>trials/troubles</b>	struggles or hard times that all Christians go through. God can use these hard times as opportunities to strengthen and mature our faith by causing us to depend more fully on Him.
<b>Truth</b>	God's Word is truth. It comes from God and can be trusted; genuine; honest; reliable; Jesus is called the Truth.
<b>vice</b>	moral behavior; moral depravity.
<b>virtue</b>	moral excellence; moral goodness; God is the absolute virtue.
<b>wisdom</b>	God-given understanding; the ability to distinguish between right and wrong; comes from God.
<b>worship</b>	giving reverence and honor to God; expressing our love and praise to Him.
<b>world</b>	the values and ways of life found in the world that oppose the ways of God. People who live as though there is no God.