# WISDOM'S WAY

"I HAVE TAUGHT YOU THE WAY OF WISDOM...

PROVERBS 4:11a

Key Verse: Proverbs 7:2-3

"Keep my commandments and live; keep my teaching as the apple of your eye; bind them on your fingers; write them on the tablet of your heart."

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#### SIN'S REALITY

**Proverbs 5** 

- A. There is a progression.
  - 1. The 1st step is temptation.
  - 2. The 2nd step is desire.
  - 3. The 3rd step is being dragged away.
  - 4. The 4th step is action.
  - 5. The 5th step is full blown sin.
- B. The end result

#### SIN'S INFIDELITY

Proverbs 6

- A. What is God's attitude toward sin?
  - 1. A very strong word
  - 2. God's proof
- B. The seven abominations
  - 1. Where did it all start?
  - 2. It's not "oops" it is serious!

### COMBATING SIN DELIBERATELY

Proverbs 7

- A. We are to guard with God's Word.
  - 1. We are to take it seriously.
  - 2. Keep it always before you.
- B. We are to guard with vigilance.
  - 1. Be alert!
  - 2. Be practical!
    - a. Be <u>sensitive</u> to the Holy Spirit.
    - b. Be <u>aware</u> of weak spots.
- C. We are to guard with resistance.
  - 1. Be accountable.
  - 2. Be firm in faith.
  - 3. Be comforted that you are not alone.
- D. The good news

#### A CLOSING QUESTION