

God's Wisdom - IN HIS WORD!

Dan is sitting at his desk at the computer. He is working. Nancy and Beth walk through the office discussing whatever comes into their heads.

SCENE 1

NARRATOR: Monday at the office

(Beth and Nancy walk past Dan, talking)

Beth: Nancy, how is your pregnancy going? You're looking good!

Nancy: O, pretty good I guess, the doctor says I'm doing fine.

Beth: You don't sound so sure.

Nancy: You know Beth, raising a child is a big responsibility. And things in the world around us don't always help a parent in raising a child. There are drugs, and sex on the internet, and gangs. It's tough

Beth: What do you think, Dan?

Dan: **Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it. (Proverbs 22:6)**

Nancy: That makes sense. We raise our children to the best of our ability and place them in the Lord's hand. They may have some bumps along the way. But if we raise them with good values and faith, they will remember that when they're grown. Thanks, Dan.

SCENE 2

NARRATOR: Wednesday at the office

Nancy: Hi Beth, how are you doing with packing to move to your new house.

Beth: We've got too much stuff, Nancy. I don't know what to do with it all.

Nancy: Well, if you don't want to move it, you could have a yard sale.

Beth: Yeah, but some of this stuff nobody else would want to buy either, I don't know what to do with it all.

Nancy: What do you think, Dan?

Dan: **"Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moth and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal. (Matthew 6:19-20)**

Beth: That's pretty good, Dan. I guess if I have my priorities with God in order, it helps me to make decisions about the things of this life as well.

NARRATOR: Friday at the office

Beth: What a mess our government has gotten us into this time.

Nancy: I know, I'd like to just throw them all out of office.

Beth: But, if we get rid of these leaders, who will take their place.

Nancy: I know, it seems no one has all the answers. Where do we find some good leaders?

Beth: What do you think, Dan?

Dan: **I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone -- ²for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. (1 Timothy 2:1-2)**

Nancy: That's pretty smart, Dan. Instead of complaining about our leaders, we should pray for them.

Beth: They could surely use some of God's wisdom too. . . Dan, you seem to have some good ideas, some wisdom, in lots of different areas. Where did you go to school? Where did you get these ideas.

Dan: God says, **"Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path."** (Psalm 119:105)

Nancy: So, God's word has some wisdom for us even today. I do need to read my Bible more.

Beth: And my church is offering some new Bible classes.

Dan: I go to Bible class with other adults on Sunday, after/before worship. You're welcome to attend class with me.

Nancy: That might not be a bad idea.