

Sunday, September 5, 2021 Dr. Nathan Neufang

## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR PROVERBS 31:10-31, PROVERBS 8-9**

- 1. As we studied Proverbs 31:10-31, in what way(s) did God use His Spirit and His Word in your life? How were you reproved, corrected, encouraged, or equipped?
- 2. How has Proverbs 31 been taught to you in the past? Who has been the main audience for application from Proverbs 31? Why?
- 3. What are some things that you would consider more precious than jewels? Why?
- 4. Why do you think there is such a high value on character in this passage? Do we place the same value on character?
- 5. Are you challenged by the work ethic of the excellent wife in Proverbs 31? Why or why not? Which description of the excellent wife is the most challenging or convicting?
- 6. The excellent wife provides for her family and her maidens. Why does the passage mention the excellent wife serving those who are supposed to help her? What can we learn from her service to the maidens?
- 7. The writer of Proverbs 31:26 states the importance of opening "her mouth with wisdom," but to do so in kindness. Why is it important for us to share wisdom in kindness?
- 8. In Proverbs 31:10-31, the excellent wife is considered wise because of what she does and what she says; however, there are more descriptions of what she does. Why does the passage focus on so many applications of wisdom?
- 9. Why is the "fear of the LORD" in verse 30 connected with "her works" in verse 31?
- 10. How does Proverbs 8-9 encourage us as we conclude our study in Proverbs?
- 11. How will we live what we've learned in Proverbs? What's been something specific that God has shown you that you want to remember?

LOVING ACCOUNTABILITY	
As we partnered with God this past week to	, what did He do? How did He work in and through us?
<u>APPLICATION</u>	
This week, by God's grace and in His power, we will	