

# A TRUST THAT'S NEEDED

Proverbs 3:1-15

## I. A Trust that Obeys Even if You Don't Understand. (1-4)

- The priority of obedience sets the stage for many years lived well.
- Delayed obedience is distrust.

## II. A Trust that is Void of Self-reliance. (5-8)

- If God has to explain everything – he is not Lord – he is a consultant.
- Your biggest obstacle on your path might be the mirror.

## III. Trust that is Seen Through Radical Generosity. (9-10)

- Solomon is qualified to speak on this subject.
- What you honor 1st - reveals what you trust most.

(cf. I Sam. 2:30)

## IV. A Trust that Welcomes Gods Discipline as Proof that He Loves Us. (11-12)

- Correction is confirmation that he adores you.
- God disciplines his children – not strangers.

Wisdom is a hidden treasure. (13-15)

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