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CHEAT CODES | MARCH 1 - 7, 2023 GOD GIVES US WISDOM FOR LIFE.

Trust God from the bottom of your heart; don't try to figure out everything on your own. Listen for God's voice in everything you do, everywhere you go; he's the one who will keep you on track. Proverbs 3:5-6 MSG

>> MARCH 1

This verse is perfect to think about when you feel distant from God. It reminds us that everywhere we go, God is there and will keep us on track.

This week, try to memorize this verse using notecards or a Bible Memory App! When we memorize Scripture, it often comes to mind just when we need it most.

To God belong wisdom and power; counsel and understanding are his.

Job 12:13 NIV

>> MARCH 2

Have you ever been in a situation where you didn't know what to do? Moments like that can be difficult. That's why this truth is so important to remember: God's got you. God has all the wisdom and power in the universe. That means God sees and knows everything about every circumstance we may find ourselves in and every situation we may face. Because of that, we can turn to God with confidence in times where we feel unsure, knowing there is wisdom to guide us.

This week, take time to get outside. Look at the moon before bed or notice the sunrise if you're up early. As you do, remember that the same God who made those things is there to guide you in every situation.

How much better to get wisdom than gold, to get insight rather than silver!

Proverbs 16:16 NIV

>> MARCH 3

What's better than having all the money in the world? According to Solomon, the writer of the book of Proverbs, it's wisdom. Wisdom is one of the most valuable things we can have in this world. It will guide us in making the kind of decisions that move us closer and closer to living God's best life for us. When we let wisdom guide us, we can be confident that we have the most valuable and important thing leading our lives.

This week, talk with your family or friends about how they've seen God's wisdom in their lives.

No, we declare God's wisdom, a mystery that has been hidden and that God destined for our glory before time began.

1 Corinthians 2:7 NIV

>> MARCH 4

Think about the many ways you can say something to someone. In a text, a DM on social media, during an in-person conversation at school, or even sending them a GIF! With so many ways to communicate, we all have an opportunity to talk about wisdom with others. What does that mean exactly? Well, we can declare, or announce, God's wisdom by talking about the things we've learned about God, sharing how wisdom has helped us live better lives, giving wise advice from Scripture to our friends, or simply telling those in our lives that we believe God is wise and loving.

How can you declare God's wisdom? Find a way to share it with someone through text, a conversation, or on social media this week.

The beginning of wisdom is this: Get wisdom. Though it cost all you have, get understanding.

Proverbs 4:7 NIV

>> MARCH 5

The best way to get something you don't have is to start working toward it. Think about the way you got a better grade in math, or earned that spot on the team, or even paid for that new video game that just came out. You put in the effort to get it, didn't you? Well, that's how wisdom works! You have to seek it out and apply it to your life. When you seek it, God promises to provide all the wisdom you need to help you navigate any situation in life.

What's one way you can seek out wisdom in your life this week? Maybe by turning to the Bible, talking with your family, or even just asking God to give you more of it.

To acquire wisdom is to love yourself; people who cherish understanding will prosper.

Proverbs 19:8 NLT

>> MARCH 6

This verse tells us exactly what to do in a world where self-love is a big focus. Affirmations are great, but self-love truly happens when we acquire wisdom. How? When we are wise, we make better choices for ourselves and those around us. This creates a ripple effect of positive choices and keeps our focus on what matters most.

This week, ask God to give you wisdom and see how your perspective shifts toward what God is doing in your life.

Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom.

Psalms 90:12 NIV

>> MARCH 7

When was the last time you made a countdown on your calendar for an exciting day? It was exciting to cross off each day as you got closer to the big event, right? Now think about those "in-between days." They are wished away, not being used to their fullest potential because we are just trying to get through them to get where we want to be.

Moving forward, instead of counting down days, challenge yourself to make every day count. See how you can find something meaningful in every day. Maybe that's doing a random act of kindness, enjoying a beautiful sunset, or reconnecting with an old friend.