

The Righteous and the Wicked
Proverb 11

Proverbs 11:3 The integrity of the upright shall guide them: but the perverseness of transgressors shall destroy them.

Integrity-(Heb. toom-maw' - Strong's Greek & Hebrew Dictionary) _____

Only found here and in the Book of Job only:

Job 2:3 And the LORD said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? and still he holdeth fast his **integrity**, although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.

Job 2:9 Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine **integrity**? curse God, and die.

Job 27:5 God forbid that I should justify you: till I die I will not remove mine **integrity** from me.

Job 31:6 Let me be weighed in an even balance, that God may know mine **integrity**.

Upright-Used _____ times in the OT. The word means one who is _____, or right with God

Guide-Used _____ times in the OT. The word means to lead or _____ someone

Perverseness-The word means _____, dealing with others by crooked means

Pr 15:4 A wholesome tongue is a tree of life: but **perverseness** therein is a breach in the spirit.

Job 9:20 If I justify myself, mine own mouth shall condemn me: if I say, I am perfect, it shall also prove me **perverse**.

Pr 10:9 He that walketh uprightly walketh surely: but he that **perverteth** his ways shall be known.

Pr 28:18 Whoso walketh uprightly shall be saved: but he that is **perverse** in his ways shall fall at once.

Isa 59:8 The way of peace they know not; and there is no judgment in their goings: they have made them **crooked** paths: whosoever goeth therein shall not know peace.

Destroy- to deal _____ with; to take away everything of value; to devastate, _____

Deeds (11:1-31)

The wise person does good deeds that demonstrate righteous character.

How the righteous conduct _____

- Vs 1a A just weight *is* His delight
- Vs 3a The integrity of the upright will guide them
- Vs 15b One who hates being surety is secure

What do the righteous do about the _____? (Prov. 11:24, 25)

- Vs 24a There is *one* who scatters, yet increases more
- Vs 25 The generous soul will be made rich, And he who waters will also be watered himself

What the righteous do with _____ and important information:

- Vs 12b A man of understanding holds his peace
- Vs 13b He who is of a faithful spirit conceals a matter
- Vs 14b In the multitude of counselors *there is* safety

What is said about righteous women; gracious women who are _____:

- Vs 16a A gracious woman retains honor

What is said about exhibitions of _____?

- Vs 10a When it goes well with the righteous, the city rejoices,
- Vs 11a By the blessing of the upright the city is exalted

What are the _____ of righteous living?

- Vs 4 Righteousness delivers from death
- Vs 5 The righteousness of the blameless will direct his way aright
- Vs 6 The righteousness of the upright will deliver them
- Vs 8 The righteous is delivered from trouble
- Vs 9 Through knowledge the righteous will be delivered
- Vs 17 The merciful man does good for his own soul
- Vs 18 He who sows righteousness *will have* a sure reward
- Vs 19 Righteousness *leads* to life
- Vs 20 The blameless in their ways *are* His delight
- Vs 21 The posterity of the righteous will be delivered
- Vs 27 He who earnestly seeks good finds favor
- Vs 28 The righteous will flourish like foliage
- Vs 30 The fruit of the righteous *is* a tree of life, And he who wins souls *is* wise

Deeds (11:1-31)

The unwise person does evil deeds that demonstrate unrighteous character.

How the unrighteous conduct business:

- Vs 1b Dishonest scales *are* an abomination to the LORD
- Vs 3b But the perversity of the unfaithful will destroy them
- Vs 15a He who is surety for a stranger will suffer

What the unrighteous do about the poor:

- Vs 24b There is *one* who withholds more than is right, But it *leads* to poverty

What the unrighteous do with secrets and important information

- Vs 12a He who is devoid of wisdom despises his neighbor
- Vs 13a A talebearer reveals secrets
- Vs 14a Where *there is* no counsel, the people fall

What Proverbs says about women who are immodest or _____:

- Vs 22 As a ring of gold in a swine's snout, *So is* a lovely woman who lacks discretion

What is said about exhibitions of ungodliness?

- Vs 10b When the wicked perish, *there is* jubilation
- Vs 11b The City is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked

What is the _____ of unrighteous living?

- Vs 2 When pride comes, then comes shame
- Vs 5 The wicked will fall by his own wickedness
- Vs 6 The unfaithful will be caught by *their* lust
- Vs 7 When a wicked man dies, *his* expectation will perish, and the hope of the unjust perishes
- Vs 8 The trouble comes to the wicked
- Vs 9 The hypocrite with *his* mouth destroys his neighbor
- Vs 11 The City is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked
- Vs 12 He who is devoid of wisdom despises his neighbor
- Vs 17 *He who is* cruel troubles his own flesh
- Vs 19 He who pursues evil *pursues* it to his own death
- Vs 20 Those who are of a perverse heart *are* an abomination to the LORD
- Vs 23 The expectation of the wicked *is* wrath
- Vs 26 The people will curse him who withholds grain
- Vs 27 Trouble will come to him who seeks *evil*
- Vs 28 He who trusts in his riches will fall
- Vs 29 He who troubles his own house will inherit the wind, And the fool *will be* servant to the wise of heart