

WISDOM ON THE WAY

James 1:5-8

Context (2-4)

Promise: The stretching of your faith produces spiritual staying power.

Process: trials → testing of faith → steadfastness → spiritual maturity

Response:

1. Count ... _____
2. Let ... _____
3. Ask ... _____

Promise:

WISDOM (sophia)

What is it?

Who values it?

The opposite of the wise person, the fool, is not a moron or an oaf. The fool is the person who does not live life God's way. Wisdom is knowing God and doing as He commands. Foolishness, on the other hand, is turning from God and listening only to yourself. When we talk about wisdom, we are talking about a profoundly God-centered approach to life.

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need - *If any of you lacks ...*

pursuit - *let him ask*

source - GOD

character of God: _____

generously -

to all -

without reproach -

confidence - *in faith*

not double-minded

Lord, I believe! Help my unbelief! Mark 9:24

Promise: God gives wisdom (_____)
during trials to those who ask.

Application: