

**February 4, 2021**

**Ps. 25:4-5, “Show me Your ways, LORD, teach me Your paths. Guide me in Your truth and teach me, for You are God my Savior, and my hope is in You all day long.”**

The Hebrew word for *show me* is **hovdieni** which means *to know, acknowledge, comprehend or find wisdom*. When we call upon the LORD and ask Him to show us what we are to do, we are calling upon the One Who knows everything in every way. To ask Him to show us His ways is to ask Him to give us wisdom.

The greatest definition I’ve heard of wisdom is - seeing things from God’s perspective. When God looks at this world and at the people of this world, He sees it from a perspective of Lordship. Everything is always in His purview and His plan. To ask Him to show us His ways is to ask to see things the way He sees them; not just from a worldly view, but from His view. We need to see things from a broader perspective rather than a narrow look, based on our own feelings and desires. As an example, when we look at the people around us, do we see them like He sees them? Everyone has struggles, heartaches, distractions and problems in their lives, but we tend to see them from our own perspective. We might think that no one is hurting like us or that no one is struggling like we are. The fact is, most people are just like you and me.

Knowing this can help us see things from the eyes of Jesus rather than through our own eyes. We need to see the hurt. We need to realize the lost-ness. We need to call upon Him to give us His wisdom.

**Dear LORD, please give us Your eyes to see what You see. Help us to understand that there is a deeper level that is not seen by human eyes. We need Your wisdom and Your help. In Jesus Name, Amen**