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WiseUp

Wise up, people of God,
Wise up, sing of His love.
There's no other,
There's no greater than our God.

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- shows people how to live well



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- is honoured



Are you someone who:

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Rebuke = pointing out



Rebuke = pointing out

Correction = putting right



Proverbs 27:5

Better is open rebuke than hidden love

**Go with the grain
of wisdom**



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6:23	For this command is a lamp, this teaching is a light, and correction and instruction are the way to life
9:7-8	Whoever corrects a mocker invites insults; whoever rebukes the wicked incurs abuse. Do not rebuke mockers or they will hate you; rebuke the wise and they will love you.
10:17	Whoever heeds discipline shows the way to life, but whoever ignores correction leads others astray.
12:1	Whoever loves discipline loves knowledge, but whoever hates correction is stupid.
13:1	A wise son heeds his father's instruction, but a mocker does not respond to rebukes.
13:8	A person's riches may ransom their life, but the poor cannot respond to threatening rebukes.
13:18	Whoever disregards discipline comes to poverty and shame, but whoever heeds correction is honoured.
15:5	A fool spurns a parent's discipline, but whoever heeds correction shows prudence.
15:10	Stern discipline awaits anyone who leaves the path; the one who hates correction will die.
15:12	Mockers resent correction, so they avoid the wise.
15:31-32	Whoever heeds life-giving correction will be at home among the wise. Those who disregard discipline despise themselves, but the one who heeds correction gains understanding.
17:10	A rebuke impresses a discerning person more than a hundred lashes a fool.
19:25	Flog a mocker, and the simple will learn prudence; rebuke the discerning, and they will gain knowledge.
25:12	Like an earring of gold or an ornament of fine gold is the rebuke of a wise judge to a listening ear.
27:5	Better is open rebuke than hidden love.
28:23	Whoever rebukes a person will in the end gain favour rather than one who has a flattering tongue.
29:1	Whoever remains stiff-necked after many rebukes will suddenly be destroyed – without remedy.

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Proverbs 13:8

The poor cannot respond
to **threatening** rebukes

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Proverbs 15:12


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Proverbs 15:31

Whoever heeds life-giving correction ...



heed

/hi:d/ 

verb

1. pay attention to; take notice of.

"he should have heeded the warnings"

synonyms: pay attention to, take notice of, take note of, pay heed to, be heedful of, attend to, listen to, **notice**, **note**, pay regard to, bear in mind, be mindful of, **mind**, **mark**, **consider**, take into account, take into consideration, be guided by, **follow**, **obey**, **keep**, keep to, adhere to, abide by, **observe**, take to heart, give ear to, be alert to;



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