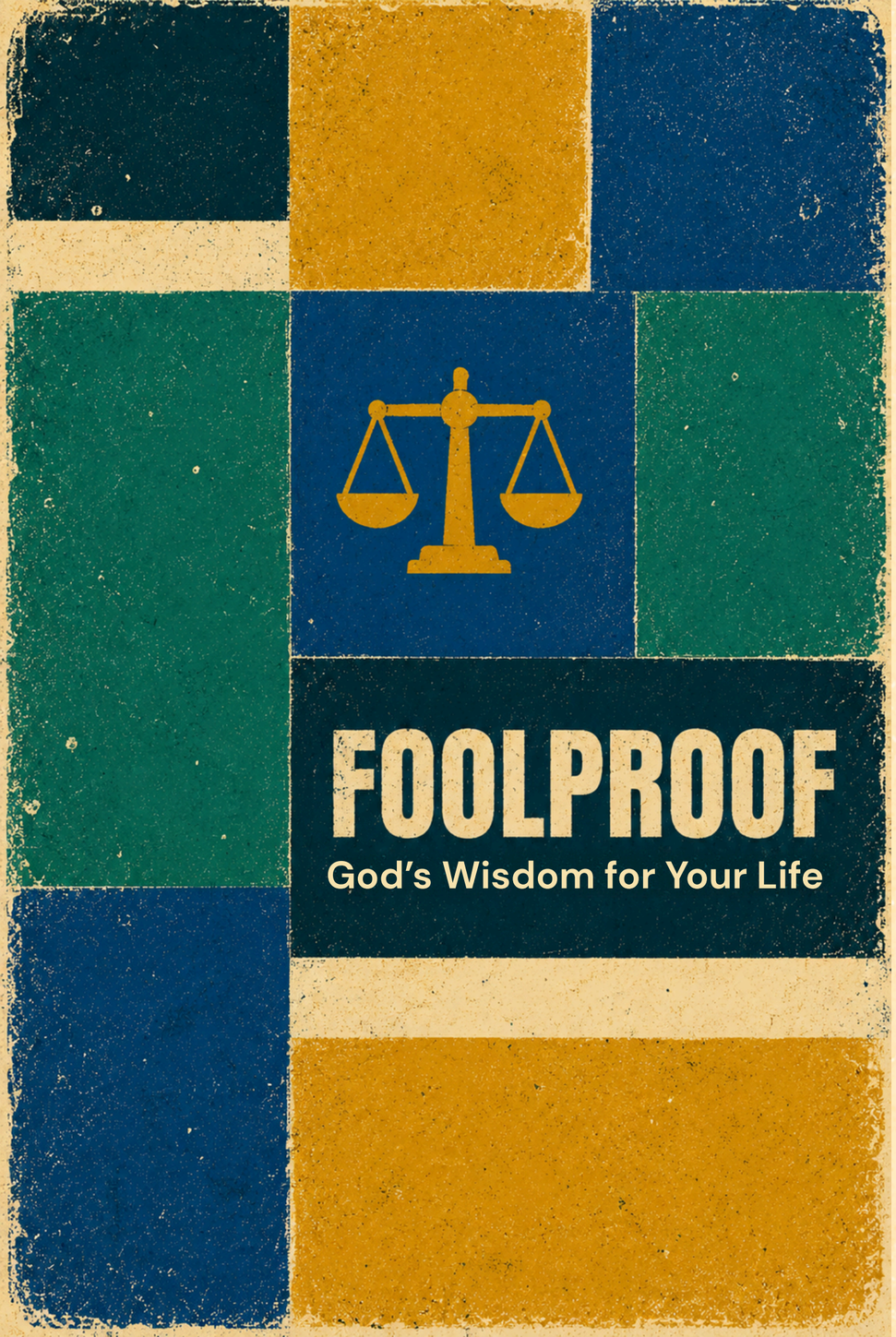

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SCRIPTURE READING

Proverbs 9:10

Proverbs 5

PREACHING TODAY

James Forsyth, Senior Pastor

The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom.

Proverbs 9:10

[1] My son, be attentive to my wisdom;
incline your ear to my understanding,
[2] that you may keep discretion, and your
lips may guard knowledge. [3] For the lips
of a forbidden woman drip honey, and
her speech is smoother than oil,

Proverbs 5

[4] but in the end she is bitter as wormwood, sharp as a two-edged sword. [5] Her feet go down to death; her steps follow the path to Sheol; [6] she does not ponder the path of life; her ways wander, and she does not know it.

Proverbs 5

[7] And now, O sons, listen to me, and do not depart from the words of my mouth. [8] Keep your way far from her, and do not go near the door of her house, [9] lest you give your honor to others and your years to the merciless,

Proverbs 5

[10] lest strangers take their fill of your strength, and your labors go to the house of a foreigner, [11] and at the end of your life you groan, when your flesh and body are consumed,

Proverbs 5

**12 and you say, “How I hated discipline,
and my heart despised reproof! 13 I did
not listen to the voice of my teachers or
incline my ear to my instructors. 14 I am
at the brink of utter ruin in the
assembled congregation.”**

Proverbs 5

[15] Drink water from your own cistern,
flowing water from your own well.
[16] Should your springs be scattered
abroad, streams of water in the streets?
[17] Let them be for yourself alone, and not
for strangers with you.

Proverbs 5

[18] Let your fountain be blessed, and rejoice in the wife of your youth, [19] a lovely deer, a graceful doe. Let her breasts fill you at all times with delight; be intoxicated always in her love.

Proverbs 5

[20] Why should you be intoxicated, my son, with a forbidden woman and embrace the bosom of an adulteress? [21] For a man’s ways are before the eyes of the Lord, and he ponders all his paths.

Proverbs 5

[22] The iniquities of the wicked ensnare him, and he is held fast in the cords of his sin. [23] He dies for lack of discipline, and because of his great folly he is led astray.

Proverbs 5


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WHAT DID YOU HEAR ABOUT SEX?



PARENTS



SCHOOL



CULTURE



CHURCH

WHY WE NEED TO TALK ABOUT IT

1. IT'S PART OF ALL OUR STORIES.
2. IT'S PART OF OUR CHILDREN'S WORLD.
3. GOD TALKS ABOUT IT.



THE GIFT

GOD'S DESIGN IS GOOD



WHO IS SEX FOR?

Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

Genesis 2:24

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Genesis 2:24

ONE MAN. ONE WOMAN. IN MARRIAGE.

WHAT IS SEX FOR?

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1. PURITY

Because of the temptation to sexual immorality, each man should have his own wife and each woman her own husband.

1 Corinthians 7:2

WHAT IS SEX FOR?

1. PURITY
2. PLEASURE

Let her breasts fill you at all times with delight.

Proverbs 5:19

WHAT IS SEX FOR?

1. PURITY
2. PLEASURE
3. CHILDREN

Children are a heritage from the Lord.

Psalm 127:3

WHAT IS SEX FOR?

1. PURITY
2. PLEASURE
3. CHILDREN
4. COVENANT

Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.

Genesis 2:24



THE GIFT

GOD'S DESIGN IS GOOD



THE DANGER

GOD'S WARNINGS ARE WISE



The lips of a forbidden woman drip honey… but in the end she is bitter as wormwood, sharp as a two-edged sword.

Proverbs 5:3-4

Can a man carry fire next to his chest and his clothes not be burned?

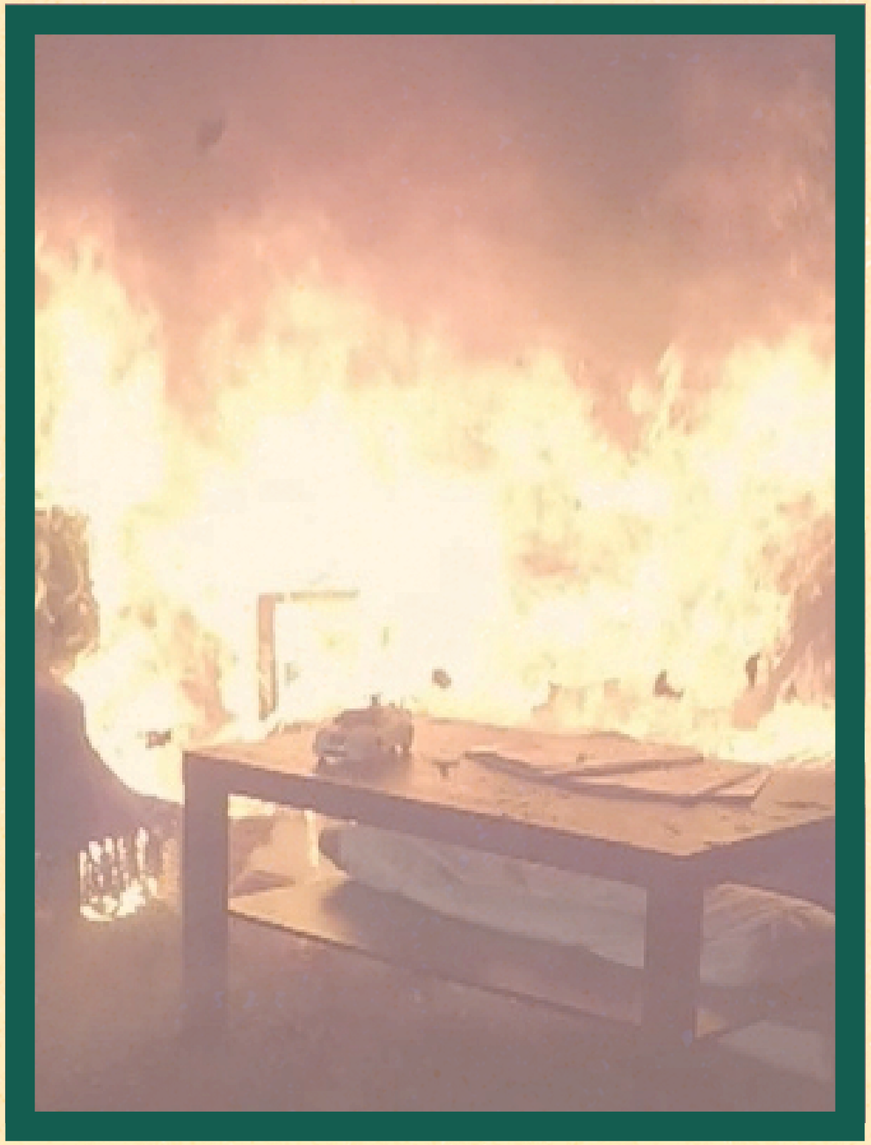
Proverbs 6:27

He who commits adultery lacks sense; he who does it destroys himself.

Proverbs 6:32



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HOW DO WE RESPOND?

Keep your way far from her, and do not go near the door of her house.

Proverbs 5:8

Flee from sexual immorality.

1 Corinthians 6:18

If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away.

Matthew 5:29

YOU CAN’T BE NEAR TO SIN AND SAFE FROM IT AT THE SAME TIME.

THE HOPE

GOD'S GRACE IS ENOUGH



HOPE FOR YOUR PAST.

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And such were some of you. But you were washed, you were sanctified, you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and by the Spirit of our God.

1 Corinthians 6:11

HOPE FOR
YOUR PAST.

HOPE FOR
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You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

PURSUE GOD'S GOOD DESIGN.

THE HOPE

GOD'S GRACE IS ENOUGH



CONVERSATIONS TO HAVE THIS WEEK



MARRIED

How are things really going?



SINGLE

Who knows how you're doing?



PARENTS

Where are your kids learning about this?

EVERYONE

What conversation have you been putting off?

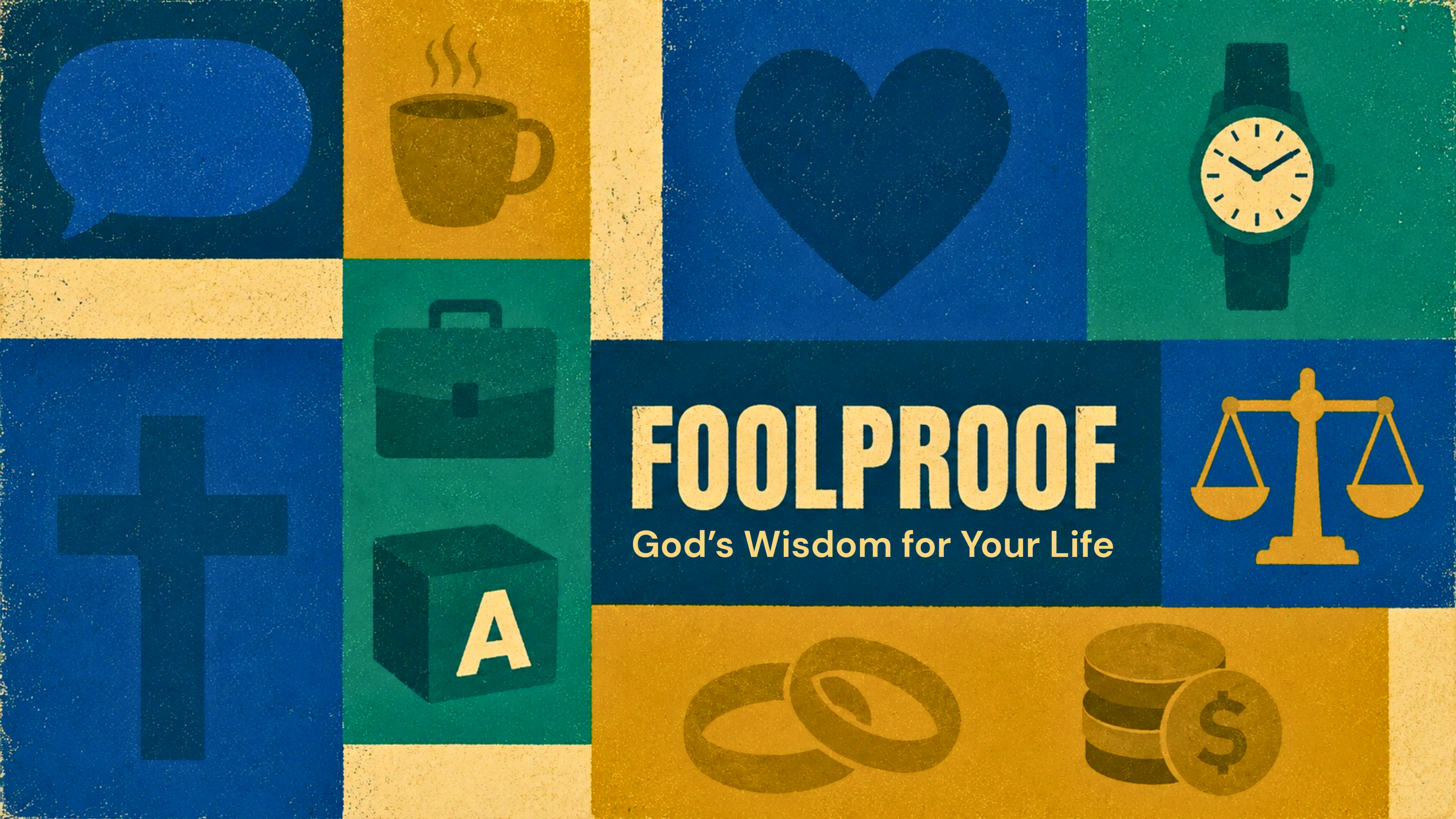
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