

Proverb of the Week

**Doing wrong is like a joke to a fool,
but wisdom is pleasure to a man of understanding.**

– *Proverbs 10:23 (ESV)*

In other words, the fool takes pleasure in doing that which results in injury, damage, or evil. Contrary to what we might expect from a fool, he does not do these things thoughtlessly, but plans them to cause damage. And though the harm caused may often be more grievous than was foreseen, that does nothing to make the action any the less wicked. In stark contrast, the man of understanding takes his pleasure in doing what is right in the sight of God, which reveals wisdom.