

## Not Receiving Instruction or Not Accepting Instruction

### Questions to explore the heart:

Is your attitude (*approach, manner, posture, and outlook*) showing respect for me and honoring Jesus?

Is it wise or foolish (*silly, unwise, imprudent, thoughtless*) for you to reject (*refuse, discard, deny*) my instructions?

### Comment(s) or Correction:

God's word tells us that if you listen to advice and accept instruction you will be wise.

### Scriptures to memorize:

Hold onto instruction; do not let it go; guard it well, for it is your life. Proverbs 4:13

Do not speak in the hearing of a fool, for he/she will despise the wisdom of your words. Proverbs 23:9

Listen to counsel and receive instruction, that you may be wise in your latter days. Proverbs 19:20

But whoever listens to me will dwell safely, and will be secure, without fear of evil." Proverbs 1:33

He/She who despises the word will be destroyed, but he/she who fears the commandment will be rewarded. Proverbs 13:13

A fool despises his father's instruction, but he/she who receives correction is prudent (*careful, cautious, sensible, practical, wise*). Proverbs 15:5

The heart of him who has understanding seeks knowledge, but the mouth of fools feeds on foolishness. Proverbs 15:14

### Words of Encouragement:

If you listen to advice and accept instruction you will be wise.