Proverbs 11 NKIY

- $\underline{\mathbf{1}}$ Dishonest scales *are* an abomination to the Lord, But a just weight *is* His delight.
- <u>3</u> The integrity of the upright will guide them, But the perversity of the unfaithful will destroy them.
- 4 Riches do not profit in the day of wrath, But righteousness delivers from death.
- 5 The righteousness of the blameless will direct his way aright, But the wicked will fall by his own wickedness.
- **<u>6</u>** The righteousness of the upright will deliver them, But the unfaithful will be caught by *their* lust.
- **7** When a wicked man dies, *his* expectation will perish, And the hope of the unjust perishes.
- 8 The righteous is delivered from trouble, And it comes to the wicked instead.
- **9** The hypocrite with *his* mouth destroys his neighbor, But through knowledge the righteous will be delivered.



10 When it goes well with the righteous, the city rejoices; And when the wicked perish, *there is* jubilation.

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- **11** By the blessing of the upright the city is exalted, But it is overthrown by the mouth of the wicked.
- **12** He who is devoid of wisdom despises his neighbor, But a man of understanding holds his peace.
- **13** A talebearer reveals secrets, But he who is of a faithful spirit conceals a matter.
- <u>14</u> Where *there is* no counsel, the people fall; But in the multitude of counselors *there is* safety.
- <u>15</u> He who is surety for a stranger will suffer, But one who hates being surety is secure.
- **16** A gracious woman retains honor, But ruthless *men* retain riches.
- 17 The merciful man does good for his own soul, But he who is cruel troubles his own flesh.

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- 18 The wicked *man* does deceptive work, But he who sows righteousness *will have* a sure reward.
- **19** As righteousness *leads* to life, So he who pursues evil *pursues it* to his own death.
- 20 Those who are of a perverse heart *are* an abomination to the Lord, But *the* blameless in their ways *are* His delight.
- <u>21</u> Though they join forces, the wicked will not go unpunished; But the posterity of the righteous will be delivered.
- **22** As a ring of gold in a swine's snout, So is a lovely woman who lacks discretion.
- 23 The desire of the righteous is only good, But the expectation of the wicked is wrath.
- **24** There is *one* who scatters, yet increases more; And there is *one* who withholds more than is right, But it *leads* to poverty.
- 25 The generous soul will be made rich, And he who waters will also be watered himself.
- **26** The people will curse him who withholds grain, But blessing will be on the head of him who sells it.
- **27** He who earnestly seeks good finds favor, But trouble will come to him who seeks *evil*.
- 28 He who trusts in his riches will fall, But the righteous will flourish like foliage.
- <u>29</u> He who troubles his own house will inherit the wind, And the fool *will be* servant to the wise of heart.
- 30 The fruit of the righteous *is a* tree of life, And he who wins souls *is* wise.
- <u>31</u> If the righteous will be recompensed on the earth, How much more the ungodly and the sinner.

