

'The prudent see danger and take refuge, but the simple keep going and suffer for it.' Proverbs 27:12 NIV

1. Prudent people take _____.

'The prudent see danger and take refuge.'

2. Simple people do _____.

'but the simple keep going and suffer for it.'

Which person am I?

'The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure. Who can understand it?' Jeremiah 17:9 NIV

'And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.'
John 8.32 NKJV



SMALL GROUP SERMON DISCUSSION

1. Do you know someone who's a good decision-maker? What makes you think that about them? Would you consider yourself a good decision-maker? Would other people consider you a good decision-maker?
2. Can you think of a decision you regret that could have been avoided if you had either asked more questions or seriously considered questions someone else asked you?
3. What makes the salesperson in your head so convincing? Why do you know better but don't decide better?
4. Read Proverbs 27:12.
 - What stands out to you?
 - Have you ever "seen trouble coming" but kept moving in that direction anyway?
 - Have you "seen trouble coming" and taken refuge? What made the difference?
5. We never know what or who hangs in the balance of the decisions we make. But we do know that our decisions determine the direction and quality of our life.
 - Do you agree or disagree with this statement. Why?
 - Give a personal example or of someone you know where you have seen this statement play out.

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