



## Ketouvim (hagiographes) - Proverbs

### Chapter 12

- 12,1 Whoso loveth knowledge loveth correction; but he that is brutish hateth reproof.
- 12,2 A good man shall obtain favour of the Lord; but a man of wicked devices will He condemn.
- 12,3 A man shall not be established by wickedness; but the root of the righteous shall never be moved.
- 12,4 A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband; but she that doeth shamefully is as rottenness in his bones.
- 12,5 The thoughts of the righteous are right; but the counsels of the wicked are deceit.
- 12,6 The words of the wicked are to lie in wait for blood; but the mouth of the upright shall deliver them.
- 12,7 The wicked are overthrown, and are not; but the house of the righteous shall stand.
- 12,8 A man shall be commended according to his intelligence; but he that is of a distorted understanding shall be despised.
- 12,9 Better is he that is lightly esteemed, and hath a servant, than he that playeth the man of rank, and lacketh bread.
- 12,10 A righteous man regardeth the life of his beast; but the tender mercies of the wicked are cruel.
- 12,11 He that tilleth his ground shall have plenty of bread; but he that followeth after vain things is void of understanding.
- 12,12 The wicked desireth the prey of evil men; but the root of the righteous yieldeth fruit.
- 12,13 In the transgression of the lips is a snare to the evil man; but the righteous cometh out of trouble.
- 12,14 A man shall be satisfied with good by the fruit of his mouth, and the doings of a man's hands shall be rendered unto him.
- 12,15 The way of a fool is straight in his own eyes; but he that is wise hearkeneth unto counsel.
- 12,16 A fool's vexation is presently known; but a prudent man concealeth shame.
- 12,17 He that breatheth forth truth uttereth righteousness; but a false witness deceit.
- 12,18 There is that speaketh like the piercings of a sword; but the tongue of the wise is health.
- 12,19 The lip of truth shall be established for ever; but a lying tongue is but for a moment.
- 12,20 Deceit is in the heart of them that devise evil; but to the counsellors of peace is joy.
- 12,21 There shall no mischief befall the righteous; but the wicked are filled with evil.
- 12,22 Lying lips are an abomination to the Lord; but they that deal truly are His delight.
- 12,23 A prudent man concealeth knowledge; but the heart of fools proclaimeth foolishness.
- 12,24 The hand of the diligent shall bear rule; but the slothful shall be under tribute.
- 12,25 Care in the heart of a man boweth it down; but a good word maketh it glad.
- 12,26 The righteous is guided by his friend; but the way of the wicked leadeth them astray.
- 12,27 The slothful man shall not hunt his prey; but the precious substance of men is to be diligent.
- 12,28 In the way of righteousness is life, and in the pathway thereof there is no death.