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FOOLISH WISDOM

HEALTHY, WEALTHY AND WISE

A foolish word

For the **message of the cross is foolishness** to those **who are perishing**, but to us who are **being saved** it is the **power of God**. 1 Corinthians 1:18

APPEASEMENT vs TRANSFORMATION

Human wisdom is the most _____

and the least ______.

Jews demand signs and Greeks look for wisdom, but we preach Christ crucified: a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those whom God has called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. 1 Corinthians 1:22-24

For the **foolishness of God is wiser** than human wisdom, and the **weakness of God is stronger** than human strength. 1 Corinthians 1:25

WHEN WISDOM IS UNWISE

The danger of human wisdom

For it is written: "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise; the intelligence of the intelligent I will frustrate." Where is the **wise person?** Where is the **teacher of the law?** Where is the **philosopher of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world?** 1 Corinthians 1:19-20

The results of divine wisdom

For since in the **wisdom of God** the world through its wisdom **did not know him**, God was pleased through **the foolishness of what was preached to save** those **who believe**. 1 Corinthians 1:21

A "FOOLISH" LIFE, WORTH LIVING FULLY

Rebel through _____

But God chose the **foolish things** of the world to **shame the wise**; God chose the **weak things** of the world to **shame the strong**... so that no one may boast before him. 1 Corinthians 1:27-29

Rebel through _____

It is **because of him** that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us **wisdom from God**—that is, **our righteousness, holiness and redemption**. Therefore, as it is written: "Let the one who boasts boast in the Lord." 1 Corinthians 1:30-31