



Ketouvim (hagiographes) - Proverbs

Chapter 14

- 14,1 Every wise woman buildeth her house; but the foolish plucketh it down with her hands.
- 14,2 He that walketh in his uprightness feareth the Lord; but he that is perverse in his ways despiseth Him.
- 14,3 In the mouth of the foolish is a rod of pride; but the lips of the wise shall preserve them.
- 14,4 Where no oxen are, the crib is clean; but much increase is by the strength of the ox.
- 14,5 A faithful witness will not lie; but a false witness breatheth forth lies.
- 14,6 A scorner seeketh wisdom, and findeth it not; but knowledge is easy unto him that hath discernment.
- 14,7 Go from the presence of a foolish man, for thou wilt not perceive the lips of knowledge.
- 14,8 The wisdom of the prudent is to look well to his way; but the folly of fools is deceit.
- 14,9 Amends pleadeth for fools; but among the upright there is good will.
- 14,10 The heart knoweth its own bitterness; and with its joy no stranger can intermeddle.
- 14,11 The house of the wicked shall be overthrown; but the tent of the upright shall flourish.
- 14,12 There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death.
- 14,13 Even in laughter the heart acheth; and the end of mirth is heaviness.
- 14,14 The dissembler in heart shall have his fill from his own ways; and a good man shall be satisfied from himself.
- 14,15 The thoughtless believeth every word; but the prudent man looketh well to his going.
- 14,16 A wise man feareth, and departeth from evil; but the fool behaveth overbearingly, and is confident.
- 14,17 He that is soon angry dealeth foolishly; and a man of wicked devices is hated.
- 14,18 The thoughtless come into possession of folly; but the prudent are crowned with knowledge.
- 14,19 The evil bow before the good, and the wicked at the gates of the righteous.
- 14,20 The poor is hated even of his own neighbour; but the rich hath many friends.
- 14,21 He that despiseth his neighbour sinneth; but he that is gracious unto the humble, happy is he.
- 14,22 Shall they not go astray that devise evil? But mercy and truth shall be for them that devise good.
- 14,23 In all labour there is profit; but the talk of the lips tendeth only to penury.
- 14,24 The crown of the wise is their riches; but the folly of fools remaineth folly.
- 14,25 A true witness delivereth souls; but he that breatheth forth lies is all deceit.
- 14,26 In the fear of the Lord a man hath strong confidence; and his children shall have a place of refuge.
- 14,27 The fear of the Lord is a fountain of life, to depart from the snares of death.
- 14,28 In the multitude of people is the king's glory; but in the want of people is the ruin of the prince.
- 14,29 He that is slow to anger is of great understanding; but he that is hasty of spirit exalteth folly.
- 14,30 A tranquil heart is the life of the flesh; but envy is the rottenness of the bones.
- 14,31 He that oppresseth the poor blasphemeth his Maker; but he that is gracious unto the needy honoureth Him.
- 14,32 The wicked is thrust down in his misfortune; but the righteous, even when he is brought to death, hath hope.
- 14,33 In the heart of him that hath discernment wisdom resteth; but in the inward part of fools it maketh itself known.



14,34 Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people.

14,35 The king's favour is toward a servant that dealeth wisely; but his wrath striketh him that dealeth shamefully.