

God's Wisdom for Unbelievers

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How can Scripture be more accessible to all?

Our different settings

Church-based, Not licensed

Professional group, Licensed

Our common understanding

About ourselves

We serve best as the Word and Spirit capture our hearts

We hope to be sages: our literature, our roles

About unbelievers

We are all God's creatures, designed to be like him

Unbelievers see "under the sun"

Unbelievers have a law within (Rom 1), a conscience

God's wisdom in therapy: Slow down, consider your ways, get help

1. Anxiety

What we know – God is with you, attend to today

What pieces from Scripture can help

Anxiety lives in tomorrow, come back to the present

Consider your mission now

2. Anger and how relationships work

What we know (Matt 18:23-35, Jam 4:1-10)

Anger is more directly demonic

It is blind

Anger can give more than one message

What pieces from Scripture can help

Jesus and anger

Anger is a destroyer – it stands over

Get under – listen

Ask forgiveness

Go to a funeral – love and reconciliation beats pride

3. Depression

What we know

Depression has a story

Suffering and loss – wilderness, exile, loss

Guilt, failure (weight), anger, fear, shame

Death, hell, nothing, empty

Pour out your heart to the Lord

Take courage to persevere – do one thing
What pieces from Scripture can help