Don't Let Go!

PROVERBS 4:1-27

"Get wisdom; get insight; do not forget, and do not turn away from the words of my mouth." (Proverbs 4:5, ESV)

Review the Sermon

Read Proverbs 4:1-27.

What is the significance of a grandfather's words being quoted for this "son" to hear? What does this say about the important role grandparents play in coming generations?

Why is it important to think of the whole span of life as a pathway leading in one of two directions?

What are some aspects of our life we must guard to ensure wisdom does not escape from our sight? (v21, 23-27)

Assess your Life

What kind of legacy (good or bad) have previous generations left for you?

When you think back to your earliest memories as a Christian, would you say you are more devoted to Christ now? Or has your walk with Christ grown more casual or cold over time?



What area of your life do you find hardest to guard? Your heart? Your tongue? Your eyes? Or your walk?

Apply the Truth

If you detect spiritual drift in your life, what steps can you take today to turn around and move toward regaining and guarding biblical wisdom?

How can you use your current position in life to affect the generations around you?

What boundaries can you establish today to maintain your guard on your heart, tongue, eyes, and feet?

Commit this Week

Will you commit to "guard[ing] the good deposit entrusted to you" (2 Tim. 1:14) for new generations who will live on after you're gone?

"Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life." (Proverbs 4:23, ESV)