

21 Days of Prayer

Day 8:

Scripture:

Let no man deceive himself. If any man among you thinks he is wise in this age, he must become foolish, so that he may become wise. For the wisdom of this world is foolishness before God. For it is written, "He is the one who catches the wise in their craftiness." 1 Corinthians 3:18-19 NASB

Devotional:

This verse is not meant to discourage us from pursuing knowledge but is a warning that if worldly wisdom holds us back from God, it is not wisdom at all. God's way of thinking is more valuable, even though it may seem foolish to the world. We are constantly bombarded with the values, opinions, and wisdom of the world through our excessive exposure to all forms of media. We must put on our "God-filters" and avoid thinking that we can become wiser before Him with the world's standards!

Prayer:

Thank You, Lord for creating us to be seekers of knowledge and to grow in wisdom. As the world around us presses in and pressures us more and more, help us to remain vigilant in filtering through all the information, help us to avoid its foolishness and be foolish only for Your will, ways and wisdom!