

Being Young

Psalm 119.1-9

1. The experience of inexperience

- a. **Psm 119.9** - wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way
- b. **Eccl 11.9** - but know thou that for all these things
- c. **Psm 25.7** - remember not the sins of my youth
- d. **Job 13.24-26** - the iniquities of my youth
- e. **Eccl 12.1** - remember thy creator in the days of thy youth
- f. **Titus 2.6** - young men exhort to be sober

2. The need for guidance

- a. **Psm 71.5** - thou art my trust from my youth
- b. **1 Pet 5.5** - younger submit yourselves unto the elder
- c. **1 John 2.13** - ye have overcome the wicked one
- d. **Psm 71.17** - thou hast taught me from my youth
- e. **Prov 30.17** - the eye that mocketh at his father
- f. **Prov 1.1-4** - to give knowledge and discretion
- g. **2 Tim 3.14-15** - that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures

3. The need for value & meaning

- a. **Prov 20.29** - the glory of young men
- b. **1 Tim 4.12** - let no man despise thy youth
- c. **Psm 148.7-12** - Both young men and maidens; old men and children
- d. **2 Tim 2.22** - flee also youthful lusts but follow righteousness ...

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1. The experience of inexperience

Psm 119.9 - Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? by taking heed thereto according to thy word.

Eccl 11.9 - Rejoice, O young man, in thy youth; and let thy heart cheer thee in the days of thy youth, and walk in the ways of thine heart, and in the sight of thine eyes: but know thou, that for all these things God will bring thee into judgment.

Psm 25.7 - Remember not the sins of my youth, nor my transgressions: according to thy mercy remember thou me for thy goodness' sake, O LORD.

Job 13.24-26 - Wherefore hidest thou thy face, and holdest me for thine enemy? 25: Wilt thou break a leaf driven to and fro? and wilt thou pursue the dry stubble? 26: For thou writest bitter things against me, and makest me to possess the iniquities of my youth.

Eccl 12.1 - Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them;

Titus 2.6 - Young men likewise exhort to be sober minded.

2. The need for guidance

Psm 71.5 - For thou art my hope, O Lord GOD: thou art my trust from my youth.

1 Pet 5.5 - Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble.

1 John 2.13 - I write unto you, fathers, because ye have known him that is from the beginning. I write unto you, young men, because ye have overcome the wicked one. I write unto you, little children, because ye have known the Father.

Psm 71.17 - O God, thou hast taught me from my youth: and hitherto have I declared thy wondrous works.

Prov 30.17 - The eye that mocketh at his father, and despiseth to obey his mother, the ravens of the valley shall pick it out, and the young eagles shall eat it.

Prov 1.1-4 - The proverbs of Solomon the son of David, king of Israel; 2: To know wisdom and

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instruction; to perceive the words of understanding; 3: To receive the instruction of wisdom, justice, and judgment, and equity; 4: To give subtilty to the simple, to the young man knowledge and discretion.

2 Tim 3.14-15 - But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them; 15: And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

3. The need for value & meaning

Prov 20.29 - The glory of young men is their strength: and the beauty of old men is the gray head.

1 Tim 4.12 - Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

Psm 148.7-12 - Praise the LORD from the earth, ye dragons, and all deeps: 8: Fire, and hail; snow, and vapour; stormy wind fulfilling his word: 9: Mountains, and all hills; fruitful trees, and all cedars: 10: Beasts, and all cattle; creeping things, and flying fowl: 11: Kings of the earth, and all people; princes, and all judges of the earth: 12: Both young men, and maidens; old men, and children:

2 Tim 2.22 - Flee also youthful lusts: but follow righteousness, faith, charity, peace, with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart.

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