

A low-angle, upward-looking photograph of several modern skyscrapers with glass facades. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds. A prominent red horizontal band stretches across the middle of the image, serving as a background for the text. Two thin white diagonal lines cross the image, one from the top left to the bottom right, and another from the top right to the bottom left.

# CHOOSE WISDOM

James 3:17



## James 3:13–17

<sup>13</sup> Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. <sup>14</sup> But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. <sup>15</sup> This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. <sup>16</sup> For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. <sup>17</sup> But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere.



**KEEPS MY INTENTIONS CLEAN** *(PURE)*

**PROMOTES PEACE IN ALL SITUATIONS**  
*(PEACEABLE)*

**HELPS ME THINK BEYOND MYSELF**  
*(REASONABLE)*

**UNDERSTAND MY PLACE WITH GOD** *(FUL OF  
MERCY)*

**GRACIOUS AS IT WORKS** *(GOOD FRUITS)*

**ANTI-DISCRIMINATION** *(IMPARTIAL)*

**HONEST** *(SINCERE)*

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**READ THROUGH PROVERBS.**  
*(wisdom - 39x)*

**CONNECT WITH SEASONED  
CHRISTIAN.**

**PRAY MORE OFTEN.**

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<sup>17</sup> But the **wisdom from above** is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere.

## John 3:3

<sup>3</sup> Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless none is **born again** he cannot see the kingdom of God."