

# LUKE 252

## “Wisdom”

Luke 1:1-4

### Supplemental Scripture

Proverbs 9:10 1 Peter 1:18-20, 2:22-25 Genesis 3:7,21-22 Isaiah 53:5 Exodus 20:18-20 Genesis 22:11-18

### Discussion Questions for Personal Life and Community Gathering

Over the next three weeks we be using Luke 2:52 (*And Jesus increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man*) as a template for our study in godly parenting and family life. Please take this opportunity through group gatherings, family worship, and personal devotion to consider the importance of the gospel in your home and to analyze your effectiveness in making this a priority. Please do not let your walk of life limit you in this time of study. Regardless of whether you have no kids, many kids, or “gone out of the house” kids, there is great application to this series in all areas of your life.

1. **The Greatest Thing.** Spend some time thinking through the follow questions before gathering. Discuss your answers in your gathering time.

What is the greatest thing or things that you can give (or have given or will give) to your children?

What are you giving your children right now?

What would you like to give your children?

2. **Good vs. Gospel.** Think about the following statement: *“The enemy of Gospel parenting is good parenting.”*

In your own opinion, how would the world define a “good parent”? How would you define a “gospel parent”?

How is good parenting the enemy of gospel parenting?

What distinguishes gospel parenting from good parenting?

3. **Wisdom.** What would you consider to be some essentials of gospel parenting?

How is your family growing in wisdom? How are you growing in wisdom?

How do you see the gospel in your home? In your life? And how is your home leveraging the gospel in the world?

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