

Who Is Wise And Will Observe These Things?

I. Introduction:

- A. The wicked do not consider the works of the Lord (**Psalms 28:1-5**).
 - 1. Their ignorance is because of the blindness of their heart (**Ephesians 4:17-19**).
 - 2. They are not seekers (**Psalms 119:155**).
- B. On the other hand, the wise are observant and desire to know (**Proverbs 1:1-7**, **Proverbs 9:9**, **Proverbs 12:1**, and **Proverbs 18:15**).

II. Body: **Psalms 107:1-43**

- A. The knowledge to be thankful for the goodness of God (**Psalms 118:1**).
 - 1. Those of old for physical redemption, us for spiritual (**Colossians 1:12-14**).
 - 2. Those of old for deliverance from their woes and enemies, us for eternal deliverance from the wrath to come (**I Thessalonians 1:10**).
- B. For God allowing repentance (**II Chronicles 7:14**, **Colossians 2:10-13**, and **James 4:6-10**).
- C. To know the true and living God who can work wonders (**Exodus 15:11**).
 - 1. Knowing that the greatest wonder is yet to come (**I Thessalonians 4:13-18**).
 - 2. Taking hold of that lively hope of salvation in the end after we have endured whatever this life throws at us (**I Peter 1:3-9**).

III. Conclusion: **Hosea 14:9**