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LOVE IS FIRST

Sunday Sermon Notes: February 4, 2018

WISE UP ABOUT SIN - Proverbs 7:6-27

I. Sin is Deceptive - it disguises itself to deceive me – v. 6-13

If sin were honest with us, it wouldn't look so enticing.

II. Sin is Dishonest – It promises what it can never deliver v. 14-21

The REAL lie: Sin doesn't have consequences.

III. Sin is Destructive – It destroys those who give themselves to it v. 22-27

The joy of the moment is quickly lost as the pain of reality sets in.

IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE THAT WAY

I. If I'm wise, I'll guard my mind. Proverbs 4:23; Colossians 3:12-15

Live in the light of your calling.

II. If I'm wise, I'll keep away from settings and friends that tempt me to sin. Proverbs 2:21-22; Proverbs 13:6

Walking with wisdom means walking with the wise.

III. If I'm wise, I'll focus on the future and not just this moment – Proverbs 9:17-18

Today's thrill may lead to tomorrow's ruin.

IV. If I'm wise, I won't think I'm above temptation. Proverbs 10:9, 17; 1 Corinthians 10:12-13

The difference between those who fall and those who don't is nothing less than the grace of God.