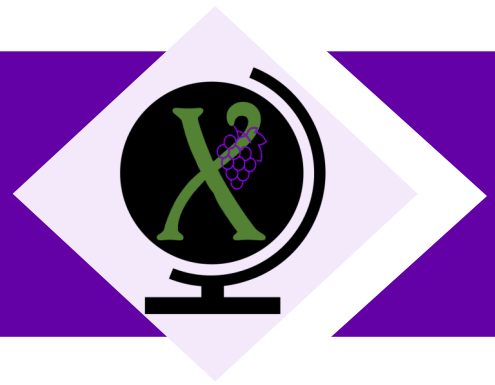


The Fear of the Lord in Your Leadership



The fear of the Lord ...

Benefit	Proof
Is the beginning of knowledge	Proverbs 1:7
Is hatred of evil	Proverbs 8:13
Is the beginning of wisdom that gives understanding	Psalm 111:10
Causes us to stand in awe of God	Psalm 33:8
Helps us to know God	Proverbs 2:5
Helps us to obey God	Ecclesiastes 12:13
Is life-giving	Proverbs 14:27
Invites God's mercy into our lives	Luke 1:50
Brings satisfaction to us	Proverbs 19:23
Protects us	Proverbs 19:23
Establishes friendship with the Lord	Psalm 25:14
Brings provision	Psalm 34:9
Guards us against deception	Psalm 86:11
Instills confidence in us	Proverbs 14:26
Is pure and enduring	Psalm 19:9
Keeps us from sinning	Exodus 20:20

Benefit	Proof
Provokes maturity	2 Corinthians 7:1
Positions us for God's blessings	Psalm 112:1
Helps us to honor and love others	1 Peter 2:17
Invites God's compassion	Psalm 103:13
Causes our children and generations after us to prosper	Deuteronomy 5:29
Makes it easier for us to sacrifice our own desires for His desires	Genesis 22:12
Brings a reward of riches, honor, and life	Proverbs 22:4
Helps us submit to one another in humility	Ephesians 5:21
Brings multiplication	Acts 9:31
Helps us to trust God in difficult times	Psalm 115:11
Causes us to be faithful as we serve	Joshua 24:14
Brings peace	Proverbs 15:16
Causes our desires to be fulfilled	Psalm 145:19
Compels us to do what we are called to do	2 Corinthians 5:11
Prolongs life	Proverbs 10:27