## Proverbs 17

Englische King James Version von 1611/1769 mit Strongs



1 Better<sup>H2896</sup> is a dry<sup>H2720</sup> morsel<sup>H6595</sup>, and quietness<sup>H7962</sup> therewith, than an house<sup>H1004</sup> full<sup>H4392</sup> of sacrifices<sup>H2077</sup> with strife<sup>H7379</sup>.<sup>1</sup>

**2** A wise<sup>H7919</sup> servant<sup>H5650</sup> shall have rule<sup>H4910</sup> over a son<sup>H1121</sup> that causeth shame<sup>H954</sup>, and shall have part<sup>H2505</sup> of the inheritance<sup>H5159</sup> among<sup>H8432</sup> the brethren<sup>H251</sup>.

**3** The fining pot<sup>H4715</sup> is for silver<sup>H3701</sup>, and the furnace<sup>H3564</sup> for gold<sup>H2091</sup>: but the LORD<sup>H3068</sup> trieth<sup>H974</sup> the hearts<sup>H3826</sup>.

4 A wicked doer<sup>H7489</sup> giveth heed<sup>H7181</sup> to false<sup>H205</sup> lips<sup>H8193</sup>; and a liar<sup>H8267</sup> giveth ear<sup>H238</sup> to a naughty<sup>H1942</sup> tongue<sup>H3956</sup>.

5 Whoso mocketh<sup>H3932</sup> the poor<sup>H7326</sup> reproacheth<sup>H2778</sup> his Maker<sup>H6213</sup>: and he that is glad<sup>H8056</sup> at calamities<sup>H343</sup> shall not be unpunished<sup>H5352</sup>.<sup>2</sup>

6 Children's<sup>H1121</sup> children<sup>H1121</sup> are the crown<sup>H5850</sup> of old men<sup>H2205</sup>; and the glory<sup>H8597</sup> of children<sup>H1121</sup> are their fathers<sup>H1</sup>.

7 Excellent<sup>H3499</sup> speech<sup>H8193</sup> becometh<sup>H5000</sup> not a fool<sup>H5036</sup>: much less do lying<sup>H8267</sup> lips<sup>H8193</sup> a prince<sup>H5081</sup>.<sup>34</sup>

**8** A gift<sup>H7810</sup> is as a precious<sup>H2580</sup> stone<sup>H68</sup> in the eyes<sup>H5869</sup> of him that hath<sup>H1167</sup> it: whithersoever it turneth<sup>H6437</sup>, it prospereth<sup>H7919.5</sup>

**9** He that covereth<sup>H3680</sup> a transgression<sup>H6588</sup> seeketh<sup>H1245</sup> love<sup>H160</sup>; but he that repeateth<sup>H8138</sup> a matter<sup>H1697</sup> separateth<sup>H6504</sup> very friends<sup>H441</sup>.<sup>6</sup>

**10** A reproof<sup>H1606</sup> entereth<sup>H5181</sup> more into a wise man<sup>H995</sup> than an hundred<sup>H3967</sup> stripes<sup>H5221</sup> into a fool<sup>H3684</sup>.7

**11** An evil<sup>H7451</sup> man seeketh<sup>H1245</sup> only rebellion<sup>H4805</sup>: therefore a cruel<sup>H394</sup> messenger<sup>H4397</sup> shall be sent<sup>H7971</sup> against him.

**12** Let a bear<sup>H1677</sup> robbed<sup>H7909</sup> of her whelps meet<sup>H6298</sup> a man<sup>H376</sup>, rather than<sup>H408</sup> a fool<sup>H3684</sup> in his folly<sup>H200</sup>.

**13** Whoso rewardeth<sup>H7725</sup> evil<sup>H7451</sup> for good<sup>H2896</sup>, evil<sup>H7451</sup> shall not depart<sup>H4185 H4185</sup> from his house<sup>H1004</sup>.

**14** The beginning<sup>H7225</sup> of strife<sup>H4066</sup> is as when one letteth out<sup>H6362</sup> water<sup>H4325</sup>: therefore leave off<sup>H5203</sup> contention<sup>H7379</sup>, before<sup>H6440</sup> it be meddled<sup>H1566</sup> with.

**15** He that justifieth<sup>H6663</sup> the wicked<sup>H7563</sup>, and he that condemneth<sup>H7561</sup> the just<sup>H6662</sup>, even they both<sup>H8147</sup> are abomination<sup>H8441</sup> to the LORD<sup>H3068</sup>.

**16** Wherefore is there a price  $^{H4242}$  in the hand  $^{H3027}$  of a fool  $^{H3684}$  to get  $^{H7069}$  wisdom  $^{H2451}$ , seeing he hath no heart  $^{H3820}$  to it?

**17** A friend<sup>H7453</sup> loveth<sup>H157</sup> at all times<sup>H6256</sup>, and a brother<sup>H251</sup> is born<sup>H3205</sup> for adversity<sup>H6869</sup>.

**18** A man<sup>H120</sup> void<sup>H2638</sup> of understanding<sup>H3820</sup> striketh<sup>H8628</sup> hands<sup>H3709</sup>, and becometh<sup>H6148</sup> surety<sup>H6161</sup> in the presence<sup>H6440</sup> of his friend<sup>H7453</sup>.<sup>8</sup>

**19** He loveth<sup>H157</sup> transgression<sup>H6588</sup> that loveth<sup>H157</sup> strife<sup>H4683</sup>: and he that exalteth<sup>H1361</sup> his gate<sup>H6607</sup> seeketh<sup>H1245</sup> destruction<sup>H7667</sup>.

**20** He that hath a froward<sup>H6141</sup> heart<sup>H3820</sup> findeth<sup>H4672</sup> no good<sup>H2896</sup>: and he that hath a perverse<sup>H2015</sup> tongue<sup>H3956</sup> falleth<sup>H5307</sup> into mischief<sup>H7451,9</sup>

21 He that begetteth<sup>H3205</sup> a fool<sup>H3684</sup> doeth it to his sorrow<sup>H8424</sup>: and the father<sup>H1</sup> of a fool<sup>H5036</sup> hath no joy<sup>H8055</sup>.

**22** A merry<sup>H8056</sup> heart<sup>H3820</sup> doeth good<sup>H3190</sup> like a medicine<sup>H1456</sup>: but a broken<sup>H5218</sup> spirit<sup>H7307</sup> drieth<sup>H3001</sup> the bones<sup>H1634</sup>.<sup>10</sup>

23 A wicked<sup>H7563</sup> man taketh<sup>H3947</sup> a gift<sup>H7810</sup> out of the bosom<sup>H2436</sup> to pervert<sup>H5186</sup> the ways<sup>H734</sup> of judgment<sup>H4941</sup>.

**24** Wisdom<sup>H2451</sup> is before him that hath understanding<sup>H6440 H995</sup>; but the eyes<sup>H5869</sup> of a fool<sup>H3684</sup> are in the ends<sup>H7097</sup> of the earth<sup>H776</sup>.

**25** A foolish<sup>H3684</sup> son<sup>H1121</sup> is a grief<sup>H3708</sup> to his father<sup>H1</sup>, and bitterness<sup>H4470</sup> to her that bare<sup>H3205</sup> him.

26 Also to punish<sup>H6064</sup> the just<sup>H6662</sup> is not good<sup>H2896</sup>, nor to strike<sup>H5221</sup> princes<sup>H5081</sup> for equity<sup>H3476</sup>.

**27** He that hath<sup>H3045</sup> knowledge<sup>H1847</sup> spareth<sup>H2820</sup> his words<sup>H561</sup>: and a man<sup>H376</sup> of understanding<sup>H8394</sup> is of an excellent<sup>H3368 H7119</sup> spirit<sup>H7307</sup>.<sup>11</sup> **28** Even a fool<sup>H191</sup>, when he holdeth his peace<sup>H2790</sup>, is counted<sup>H2803</sup> wise<sup>H2450</sup>: and he that shutteth<sup>H331</sup> his lips<sup>H8193</sup> is esteemed a man of understanding<sup>H995</sup>.

## Fußnoten

## 1. sacrifices: or, good cheer

- 2. unpunished: Heb. held innocent
- 3. Excellent...: Heb. A lip of excellency
- 4. lying ...: Heb. a lip of lying
- 5. a precious...: Heb. a stone of grace
- 6. seeketh: or, procureth
- 7. entereth...: or, aweth more a wise man, than to strike a fool an hundred times
- 8. understanding: Heb. heart
- 9. He that hath a froward...: Heb. The froward of heart
- 10. like: or, to
- 11. an...: or, a cool