


## "Straight Paths?"

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*Reflections on God's Faithfulness*  
Proverbs 3:5-6

*"Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit," says the Lord of hosts*  
(Zechariah 4:6)


"Trust in the Lord with all your heart,  
And do not lean on your own  
understanding.  
In all your ways acknowledge Him,  
And He will make your paths straight."  
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➤ the "straight paths" of the Lord may often appear crooked and filled with hazards from our perspective




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Three Imperatives:

- "trust in the Lord with all your heart"
- "do not lean on your own understanding"
- "in all your ways acknowledge Him"



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*"Unless the Lord builds the house,  
they labor in vain who build it"*  
(Psalm 127:1)



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God's faithful "building"

- greater product
- greater participation
- greater preparation

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