# **Group Meeting 5**

### for Lessons 9-11

## The Evil Way & Forbidden Woman

#### Looking back (last week):

- Ask, "What are your main "takeaways" from the lessons this last week?"
- ≈ Go over the completed Quiz or give it as an open-book test.
- 𝗞 Go over the stage setup as found on pages 44 & 45
- Ask, "Do you have any illustrations of someone who got distracted and walked down the Way of Evil – like Solomon?" (page 47)
- Ask if anyone has thoughts to share about the Self-Evaluation (Controlling Direction in Life) on page 48.
- > Discuss how, in the past, child abuse wasn't generally mentioned in church
- Discuss Cynthia Garrett's testimony (activity on page 56)
- ✤ Discuss the Bonus activity on page 56.

#### Looking forward (this week):

Pillar 2 (*Proverbs 3*) is given to tell us how to be happy. We'll spend four weeks in this great chapter.

> Copy the next page and cut into strips of paper. Give everyone the list.

- 1. I die young.
- 2. Very few people like me.
- 3. I live an aimless life.
- 4. I am constantly suffering from poor health.
- 5. I always have difficulty paying my bills.
- 6. I'm known for my lack of self-discipline.
- Say to the class, "Pretend you are 20 years old, and you are told one of the things on the list must happen to you, but you get to choose which one. Which one would you choose?"

"Now choose one you absolutely don't want to happen in your life."

> The lessons over the next two weeks will deal with how to avoid all of them.

#### Quiz

Hand out Quiz 6 if it is being used as a "study guide" in preparation for Group Meeting 6.

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