



Main point - Humbly receive and enjoy the peace that God's wisdom brings

- 1 - There is a "wisdom" from below
- 2 - God gives wisdom from above

#1 :

"Meekness comes not from cowardice or passivity but rather from trusting God and therefore being set free from anxious self-promotion"

Grant Osborne

#2 :

"There can be no wisdom apart from a quaking, fearful vision of God and our own contrasting littleness."

Kent Hughes

#3 :

"A humble man is willing to have his name and gifts eclipsed, so that God's glory may be increased. He is content to be outshone by others in gifts and esteem, so that the crown of Christ may shine the brighter. He is content to be laid aside if God has any other tools to work with which may bring him more glory."

Thomas Watson
Godly Man's Picture

#4 :

"God's work of giving wisdom is a means to his chosen end of restoring and perfecting the relationship between himself and human beings - the relationship for which he made them. For what is this wisdom that he gives? It is not a sharing in all his knowledge, but a disposition to confess that he is wise, and to cleave to him and live for him in the light of his Word through thick and thin."

J.I. Packer
Knowing God