

**A LITTLE GOES A LONG WAY**  
**Ecclesiastes 10:1-11**

- I. **A little foolishness destroys value found in godly wisdom (1).**  
Proverbs 27:9: Ointment and perfume delight the heart, and **the sweetness of a man's friend gives delight by hearty counsel.**
- II. **A little foolishness destroys counsel found in godly wisdom (2-4).**  
Proverbs 14:8: The wisdom of the prudent is to understand his way, **but the folly of fools is deceit.**  
  
Proverbs 14:29: He who is slow to wrath has great understanding, **but he who is impulsive exalts folly.**
- III. **A little foolishness destroys social order found in godly wisdom (5-7).**  
Proverbs 18:12: **Before destruction the heart of a man is haughty,** and before honor *is* humility.  
  
Proverbs 13:16: Every prudent *man* acts with knowledge, **but a fool lays open *his* folly.**
- IV. **A little foolishness destroys safety found in godly wisdom (8-11).**  
Proverbs 11:14: Where there is no counsel, the people fall; **but in the multitude of counselors there is safety.**  
  
Proverbs 24:6: For **by wise counsel** you will wage your own war, **and in a multitude of counselors there is safety.**