

## Proverbs About Living In Society

**Pr 3:29** Do not plot harm against your neighbor, who lives trustfully near you.

**30** Do not accuse a man for no reason when he has done you no harm.

**Pr 6:1** My son, if you have put up security for your neighbor,

if you have struck hands in pledge for another,

**2** if you have been trapped by what you said, ensnared by the words of your mouth,

**3** then do this, my son, to free yourself, since you have fallen into your neighbor's hands:

Go and humble yourself;

press your plea with your neighbor!

**4** Allow no sleep to your eyes,

no slumber to your eyelids.

**5** Free yourself, like a gazelle from the hand of the hunter,

like a bird from the snare of the fowler.

**Pr 13:20** He who walks with the wise grows wise, but a companion of fools suffers harm.

**Pr 14:7** Stay away from a foolish man, for you will not find knowledge on his lips.

**Pr 14:21** He who despises his neighbor sins, but blessed is he who is kind to the needy.

**Pr 17:14** Starting a quarrel is like breaching a dam; so drop the matter before a dispute breaks out.

**Pr 17:17** A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.

**Pr 18:24** A man of many companions may come to ruin,

but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.

**Pr 20:19** A gossip betrays a confidence; so avoid a man who talks too much.

**Pr 22:24** Do not make friends with a hot-tempered man,

do not associate with one easily angered,

**25** or you may learn his ways and get yourself ensnared.

**Pr 24:1** Do not envy wicked men, do not desire their company.

**Pr 24:28** Do not testify against your neighbor without cause,

or use your lips to deceive.

**29** Do not say, "I'll do to him as he has done to me; I'll pay that man back for what he did."

**Pr 25:9** If you argue your case with a neighbor, do not betray another man's confidence,

**10** or he who hears it may shame you and you will never lose your bad reputation.

**Pr 25:17** Seldom set foot in your neighbor's house; too much of you, and he will hate you.

**Pr 25:21** If your enemy is hungry, give him food to eat;

if he is thirsty, give him water to drink.

**22** In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head,

and the LORD will reward you.

**Pr 26:17** Like one who seizes a dog by the ears is a passer-by who meddles in a quarrel not his own.

**Pr 26:18** Like a madman shooting firebrands or deadly arrows

**19** is a man who deceives his neighbor and says, "I was only joking!"

**Pr 26:21** As charcoal to embers and as wood to fire,

so is a quarrelsome man for kindling strife.

**Pr 27:6** Wounds from a friend can be trusted, but an enemy multiplies kisses.

**Pr 27:10** Do not forsake your friend and the friend of your father,

and do not go to your brother's house when disaster strikes you

better a neighbor nearby than a brother far away.

**Pr 27:17** As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.

**Pr 29:10** Bloodthirsty men hate a man of integrity and seek to kill the upright.

**Pr 29:27** The righteous detest the dishonest; the wicked detest the upright.