

# HE KNOWS BETTER

*We act like Know-It-alls but there is only One who is. God's voice is trustworthy.  
His wisdom is matchless, incomparable, and unbeatable.*

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## SMARTY PANTS

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I am not sure what age I was when I decided "I knew it all". Maybe it was once I said goodbye to my teenage years. My parents might argue that it was way before that. Darn if they weren't right! Some of their advice that I insisted was wrong, if heeded, would've kept me from some heartache. Now that I am a momma, my heart breaks when I see my kiddos brushing off my life-learned lessons. It gives reason for pause.

Lord, Father of all mercy, does Your heart break when we decide the same?

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## STILL LEARNING

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"In his heart a man plans his course, but the Lord determines his steps." (Proverbs 16:9). Thank God that He is patient with me and lovingly draws me to His wisdom because I know-it-all. It came in a day when He gently the hawk take flight by spread its wings toward the south?" (Job 39:26) Whoa! What a pointed question and what a revealing answer. Clearly, I am not in charge of the birds of the air. God tells the hawk to fly south, He tells the sun where to rise and set. Entrusting myself to His wisdom is best. He truly is THE Know-It-All.

Driven by God's heart of wisdom, we can find direction. He knows the best course for our lives and He is delighted to share His insight.

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## GENTLE TUG

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I was out on a walk in the neighborhood and I passed a lady walking her dog. She gave him a firm tug and looked at me, saying, "I'm not hurting him, I am just trying to get him going in the right direction." The Lord often has to tell me things over and over. "Let me lead" is a popular message He repeats to me, and this lady and her dog were a good demonstration. It was obvious that she loved her four-legged child. It's obvious, Jesus loves me and you and only wants what is best for us. He gently asks us to come along. "Don't be like a horse that needs a bit and bridle." He assures us, "I'll guide you along the best pathway for your life." (Psalm 32:8, 9)

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## TRUST HIS NUDGE

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If you hear God's voice, don't harden your heart. He will be the trustworthy whisper of love, tenderly calling you to be restored and lay down any obstacle that is in the way, leading you into life.

His whisper is as close as the wind on our cheeks. "His unfailing love surrounds those who trust Him." (Psalm 32:10)