

**Sermon Application/Discussion Questions – 8/20/2017**  
**Sunday Message – Andrew Kalvelage**  
**Wisdom and Relationships – Proverbs 13:20**

1. In our pursuit to grow in wisdom, we are not called to walk out our lives alone, but rather, we look to live life with a diversity of friends who fear the Lord and are becoming mature in Christ. What characterizes the kinds of people that you are currently choosing to associate with? In what ways are you growing or not growing in Christ because of these relationships?
2. Our desire to be a godly companion to someone should be stronger than our expectation of having one. What kinds of expectations do you tend to have in your relationships? What kind of influence do you perceive that you have on others? What would other people say is your influence on them? To become a better influence, what things might need to change in your attitude and behavior, and why would those changes matter?
3. God is the perfect example of a true companion and has extended his friendship to us by choosing us as his friends, by merit of our relationship with Jesus Christ. How does this reality help you in your pursuit of godly relationships?