Chapter 29

he man, that with ftiffe necke contemneth Loue to be corhim that rebuketh, foden deftruction shal come rected. vpon him: and health shal not folow him. ² In the multiplication of iuft men, the common Choofe godlie magiftrates. people shal reioyce: when the impious shal take princedom, the people shal mourne. ³ A man that loueth wifedom, maketh his father Loue wifdom. glad: but he that maintaineth harlots, shal deftroy his fubftance. ⁴ A iuft king fetteth vp the land, a couetous man Iuft and liberal magiftrates. shal deftrov it. ⁵ A man, that with fayre, and fayned wordes fpeakethSincere amitie. to his frend, fpreadeth a nette to his fteppes. ⁶ A fnare shal intangle the wicked man finning: Iuft iov of the wickeds fal. and the iuft shal praife and reiovce. ⁷ The iuft knoweth the caufe of the poore: the Compation of the poore. impious is ignorant of knowlege. ⁸ Peftilent men diffipate a citie: but the wife turne Care of common good. away furie. ⁹ A wife man, if he contend with a foole, whether Contend not he be angrie, or whether he laugh, shal not finde reft. with a foole. ¹⁰ Men of bloud hate the fimple: but iuft men Defend the iuft. feeke his foule. ¹¹ A foole vttereth al his fpirit: a wifeman differ-Difcretion in anger. reth, and referueth til afterward. ¹² A prince that gladly heareth wordes of lying, Deteftation of lying. hath al his feruants impious. ¹³ The pooreman and the creditour haue mette Contentment in ftate of life. one an other: our Lord is illuminatour of both. ¹⁴ The king, that iudgeth the poore in truth, his Equitie in iudgement. throne shal be replenished for euer. ¹⁵ Rod and rebuke geueth wifedom: but the childe, Chaftifment of youth. that is left to his owne wil, confoundeth his mother. ¹⁶ In the multiplication of the impious, wickednes God neuer permitteth al to be shal be multiplied, and the iuft shal fee the ruines of euil. them.

¹⁷ Nurter thy fonne, and he shal refresh thee, and shal geue delightes to thy foule.

¹⁸ When prophecie shal fayle, the people shal be diffipated: but he that keepeth the Law, is bleffed.

¹⁹ A feruant can not be taught by wordes: becaufe he vnderftandeth that which thou fayft, and contemneth to anfwer.

 $^{20}\,$ Haft thou feene a man fwifte to fpeake? follie is rather to be hoped, then his amendement.

²¹ He that nourisheth his feruant delicatly from his childhood, afterward shal feele him ftubburne.

²² An angrie man prouoketh brawles: and he that is eafie to indignation, shal be more prone to finne.

²³ Humiliation followeth the proude: and glorie shal receive the humble of fpirite.

²⁴ He that is partaker with a theefe, hateth his owne foule: he heareth one adjuring, and telleth not.

²⁵ He that feareth man, shal foone fal: he that trufteth in our Lord shal be lifted vp.

²⁶ Manie feeke after the face of the prince: & the iudgement of euerie one commeth forth from our Lord.

²⁷ The iuft abhorre an impious man: & the impious abhorre them that are in the right way.

The fonne that keepeth the word, shal be out of perdition.

Inftruct children.

Pray to haue good Paftors.

Compel the froward to obey.

Confideration in fpeaking.

Subdue the flefh to the fpirite. Meeknes.

Humilitie.

Participate not with finne.

Feare not men in Gods caufe remembring that God is Iudge of al. Hate al wickednes.

Obey fpiritual and temporal parents.