

# **THE CAPTAIN'S GUIDE**

## **TO ATP 1 VOL 3 - THE BIBLE**



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Isaiah 5.23	Which justify the wicked for reward and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him!	
Ecclesiastes 12.8	(GNV) "Useless, useless" said the Philosopher, "it is all useless" (AV) "Vanity of vanity" said the Philosopher, "all is vanity"	
Ecclesiastes 9.10	Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might; for there is no work, nor device, nor knowledge, nor wisdom in the grave whither thou goest	
1 Peter 5.8	Be sober, be vigilant, for thy adversary the devil as a roaring lion walketh about seeking whom he may devour	
Ecclesiastes 6.9	Better is the sight of the eyes than the wandering of the desire. This is also vanity and vexation of the spirit	
Ruth 3.5	And she replied, "All that you say I will do"	Agree. Wilco.
Samuel 1.16	Do not regard your maidservant as a base woman for all along I have been speaking out of my great anxiety and vexation.	Apology after strong (unwise) signal
Isaiah 56.10	His watchmen are blind, they are all ignorant, they are all dumb dogs, they cannot bark; sleeping dogs lying down, loving to slumber.	Apology for bad lookout Junior ship being caught out
Acts 16.28	But Paul called in a loud voice, saying:" Do yourself no harm: for we are all here."	Arrival
Psalms 71.7	I am as a wonder unto many, but Thou art my strong refuge.	Blunder - after a faux-pas
Job 7.21	Why dost thou not pardon my transgression and take away my iniquity? For now I shall sleep in the dust; and thou shalt seek me in the morning but I shall not be.	Blunder - asking pardon for a mistake
Job 6.24	Teach me and I will hold my tongue; and cause me to understand wherein I have erred.	Blunder - asking pardon for a mistake
Proverbs 15.1	A soft answer turneth away wrath but grievous words stir up anger	Blunder - commiseration with one receiving a blast Blunder - reply to a blast
Proverbs 3.11-13	My son, despise not the chastening of the Lord, neither be weary of his correction. For whom the Lord loveth he correcteth; even as a father the son in whom he delighteth. Happy is the man that findeth thus wisdom and the man that getteth wisdom.	Blunder - commiseration with one who has received a blast Blunder - mild blast
Jeremiah 8.9	The wise men are ashamed, they are dismayed and taken: lo, they have rejected the word of the Lord; and what wisdom is in them?	Blunder - failure to carry out instructions
Hebrews 12.8	But if ye be without chastisement, wherefore all are partakers, then ye be bastards and no so.	Blunder - giving blast

Job 8.16	He is green before the sun and his branch shooteth forth in the garden	Blunder - junior's faux-pas
Psalms 69.5	God, thou knowest my foolishness, and my sins are not hid from thee.	Blunder - Mea culpa!
Ezekiel 7.9	And they that escape of you shall remember me among the nations whither they shall be carried captives, because I am broken with their whorish heart, and which have departed from me, and with their eyes which go a whoring after their idols; and they shall loathe themselves for the evils that they have committed in their abominations.	Blunder - violent for poor work
Acts 19.40	For we are in danger to be called in question for this day's uproar, there being no cause whereby we may give an account of this concourse.	Blunder - when it has all gone wrong
Acts 20.9b	And as Paul was long preaching, he sunk down with sleep and fell down from the third loft, and was taken up dead.	Boring lecture Sleep
Luke 12.27	Consider the lilies in the field, how they grow; they toil not, they spin not, yet as I say unto you that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these	Bright chap! To ship emerging from refit
Psalms 69.18	Come to me and save me; rescue me from my enemies.	Broken down (to ship coming to tow)
Matthew 11.16-17	But whereunto shall I liken this generation? It is like unto children sitting in the markets and calling unto their fellows and saying "We have piped unto you, and ye have not danced, we have mourned unto you and ye have not lamented."	Ceremonial - pipe not returned.
Ecclesiastes 9.8	Always look happy and cheerful	Commiseration
Job 32.15	They were amazed, they answered no more: they left off speaking	Communications - burbling on a voice net
Isaiah 42.18	Hear ye deaf, and look ye blind that ye may see	Communications - failing to establish comms
Matthew 11.15	He that hath ears to hear, let him hear	Communications - failing to establish comms
1 Corinthians 15.33	Be not deceived; evil communications corrupt good manners	Communications - poor
Ecclesiastes 10.13	He starts out with silly talk and ends up with pure madness	Communications - raspberry for unnecessary signal
1 Timothy 6.20	O Timothy, keep that which is committed to thy trust, avoiding profane and vain babblings, and the oppositions to science falsely so-called	Communications - raspberry for unnecessary signal
Job 34.16	If now thou hast understanding, hear this: hearken to the voice of my words.	Communications - signal reported not understood
Luke 2.50	And they understood not the saying which he spake unto them	Communications - unclear

Titus 3.9	But avoid foolish questions and genealogies, and contentions and strivings about the law for they are unprofitable and in vain.	Communications - unnecessary query
Jeremiah 7.8	Behold ye trust in lying words that cannot profit.	Communications - using the wrong reference
Job 8.2	Are you finally through with your windy speech? (GNV) How long wilt thou speak these things? and how long shall the winds of thy mouth be like a strong wind? (AV)	Communications - Verbosity
Romans 13.12	The night is far from spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness and let us put on the armour of light	Departure from a port
Job 18.3	Wherefore are we counted as beasts and reputed vile in your sight?	Disillusioned by harsh words
Romans 5.19	For as through the disobedience of one man many were placed in the position of sinners, so through the obedience of the One, many will be placed in the position of righteous ones.	Disobedience
Samuel 12.15	but if you will not hearken to the voice of the Lord, but rebel against the commandment of the Lord, then the hand of the Lord will be against you and your king.	Disobedience - failure to follow orders/instructions
Luke 13.24	Do your best to enter by the narrow door because many will try to get in but will not be able	Entering Drydock Confined anchorage
Acts 21.6	And when we had taken leave of one another, we took ship, and they returned home again.	Farewell Leaving station Paying off
Proverbs 24.15	Lay not wait, O wicked man, against the dwelling of the righteous; spoil not his resting place	Fouling a berth
Proverbs 25.17	Withdraw thy foot from thy neighbours house lest he be weary of thee and so hate thee	Fouling a berth Taking wrong anchorage
Proverbs 6.9	How long wilt thou sleep O sluggard? When wilt thou arise out of thy sleep?	Good Lookout Junior ship being caught short
Proverbs 25.25 Luke 12.35	Like cold water to a thirsty soul so is good news from a far country. Let your loins be girded about and your lamps burning	Good news! Illuminating ship. Nav lights not on.
1 Thessalonians 5.6	Therefore let us not sleep, as do others, but let us watch and be sober	Keep a good lookout
Job 16.2	I have heard many such things, miserable comforters are you all.	Lament
Psalms 71.1	Lord, I have come to you for protection, never let me be defeated (RSV)	Lament - Confusion (at wits end)

	In thee O Lord do I put my trust, let me never be put into confusion (AV)	Lament - To another vessel rendering assistance
Psalm 107.27	They stumbled and staggered like drunken men - all their skill was useless.	Lament - Confusion (at wits end) Lament - To another vessel rendering assistance
Genesis 4.13	And Cain said unto the Lord, "My punishment is greater than I can bear."	Lament - excessive punishment
Psalm 39.13	Spare me that I may recover strength before I go hence and be no more.	Lament - on receiving unfavourable duty/deployment Lament - Plea to be left alone
Psalms 55.6	And I said "O that I had wings like a dove, for then I would fly away and be at rest."	Lament - plea to be left alone
Psalm 69.14	Deliver me out of the mire and let me not sink: let me be delivered from them that hate me and out of the deep waters.	Lament - plea to be left alone Lament - having committed a faux pas and about to receive retribution
John 11.35	Jesus Wept	Lament - This could have a variety of uses!
Proverbs 23.29	Who has woe? Who has sorrow? Who has strife? Who has complaining? Who has wounds without cause? Who has redness of eyes?	Lament - when it has been a hard trip!
Romans 13.13	Let us conduct ourselves properly, as people who live in the light of day - no orgies or drunkenness, no immorality or indecency, no fighting or jealousy.	Libertymen
Psalms 16.1	Protect me, O God, I trust in you for safety.	Manoeuvring -
Proverbs 4.15	Avoid it, pass not by it, turn from it and pass away.	Manoeuvring - avoiding another ship
Psalms 32.8	I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way thou shalt go; I will guide thee with mine eyes.	Manoeuvring - making a wrong turn Manoeuvring - paying attention to signals
Proverbs 6.7	Which having no guide, overseer or ruler.	Manoeuvring - no guide flag showing
Proverbs 21.16	The man that wandereth out of the way of understanding shall remain in the congregation of the dead.	Manoeuvring - outside station
Psalms 5.8	Lord, I have so many enemies! Lead me to do your will, make your way plain for me to follow.	Manoeuvring - pilotage, being run aground etc
Proverbs 21.9	It is better to dwell in a corner of the house than to be with a brawling woman in a wide house.	Manoeuvring - poor station keeping
Ecclesiastes 9.11	I returned, and saw under the sun, that the race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong, nor yet bread to the wise, nor yet riches to men of understanding, nor yet favours to men of skill, but time and chance happeneth to them all.	Manoeuvring - reply to a faster ship Return from a good deployment
Proverbs 16.17	The highway of the upright is to depart from evil, he that keepeth his way preserveth his soul	Manoeuvring - ship off course

Proverbs 4.26-27	Ponder the paths of thy feet and let thy ways be established. Turn not to the right hand or the left; remove thy foot from evil.	Manoeuvring - ship out of station Manoeuvring - ship off course
Proverbs 10.26	As vinegar to the teeth, and as smoke to the eyes, is the sluggard to them that send him.	Manoeuvring - ship slow to respond or astern of station
James 3.4	Or think of a ship, big as it is, and driven by such strong winds, it can be steered by a rudder and it goes where the pilot wants it to go.	Manoeuvring ships
3 John 14	But I trust that I shall shortly see thee, and we shall speak face to face. Peace be to thee. Our friends salute thee. Greet the friends by name	Meeting later again
Job 18.5-6	Yea the lights of the wicked shall be put out, and the spark of his fire shall not shine. The light shall be dark in his tabernacle and his candle shall be put out with him.	Nav lights not working Boiler failure
Acts 27.28-29	And sounded, and found it twenty fathoms: and when they had gone a little further they sounded again and found it fifteen fathoms. Then fearing lest we should have fallen upon rocks, they cast out four anchors out of the stern and wished for the day	Navigation - running aground
Acts 27.26	Howbeit we must be cast upon a certain island	Navigation - running aground
Ecclesiastes 12.2	That is when the light of the sun, the moon, the stars will grow dim for you, and the rain clouds will never pass away.	Other ship making excessive funnel smoke
Exodus 13.21	During the day the Lord went before them in a pillar of cloud to show them the way, and at night he went in front of them in a pillar of light so that they could travel night and day.	Other ship making excessive funnel smoke Guide or senior ship making excessive funnel smoke
Psalms 75.6	For promotion cometh neither from the east nor from the west, nor from the south	Promotion or lack of it
Psalms 38.18	For I will declare mine iniquity, I will be sorry for my sin.	Regret
Ruth 3.12 Genesis 1.3	And now it is true that I am a near kinsman, yet there is a kinsman nearer than I And God said, let there be light, and there was light.	Rendezvous, other ship closer. Reply to being picked up for no nav lights
Psalms 6.2	I am worn out, O Lord, have pity on me! Give me strength for I am exhausted.	Request for leave.
Revelation 21.1	And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.	Retirement. Swallowing the anchor. Posted ashore.
Matthew 25.21	“Well done thou good and faithful servant!” said his master “You have been faithful in managing small amounts, so I will put you in charge of much.”	Social - congratulations on promotion Supply - thanks for arranging
2 Kings 4.19	And he said to his father, my head, my head. And he said to a lad, carry him to his mother.	Social - lament after run ashore

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Isaiah 5.22	Woe unto them that are mighty to drink wine, and men of strength to mingle strong drink	Social - lament after run ashore Social - no sympathy after run ashore
Proverbs 6.10	I'll just take a short nap, fold my hands and rest a while	Social - MRU (too tired)
Isaiah 56.12	Let's get some wine these drunkards say, and drink all we can hold. Tomorrow will be even better than today.	Social - RPC
Matthew 25.3-4	The foolish ones took their lamps but did not take any oil with them, but the wise ones took containers full of oil for their lamps	Supply - running short of stores Supply - having resupplied another who had run short
Proverbs 3.10	So shall thy barns be full with plenty and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.	Supply - storing ship Replenishment at Sea
Mark 6.42	And they did eat and were filled.	Supply - thanks for replenishment or re-supply. Social - thanks for dinner
Luke 20.46	Beware of the scribes which desire to walk in long robes and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues and the chief rooms at feasts.	Supply Officer - put down or blast
Acts 2.2-3	And suddenly there came down a great sound from heaven as of a rushing wind and it filled the house wherein they were sitting.	Tactical - Air raid
1 Kings 5.9	My servants shall bring them down from Lebanon to the sea; and I shall convey them by sea in floats unto the place that thou shall appoint me, and I shall cause them to be discharged there, and thou shalt received them; and thou shalt accomplish my desire in giving food to my household.	Tactical - assembly of a convoy
Job 7.9-10	As the cloud is consumed and vanisheth away, so he that goeth down to the grave shall come up no more. He shall return no more to his house, neither shall his place know him any more.	Tactical - destruction of the enemy
Job 5.12-15	He disappointeth the devices of the crafty so that their hands cannot perform their enterprise. He taketh the wise in their own craftiness; and the counsel of the forward is carried headlong. They meet in the darkness of the daytime and grope in the noonday as in the night. But he saveth the poor from the sword, from their mouth and from the hands of the mighty.	Tactical - submarine attack results unknown
Ecclesiastes 12.8 (GNV)	Useless, useless said the Philosopher, it is all useless (NB 'Good News version' must be specified)	Useless
Acts 27.15	And when the ship was caught and could not bear up into the wind, we let her drive	Weather - after experiencing bad weather
Acts 27.10	And said unto them "Sirs, I perceive that this voyage will be with hurt and much damage, not only of the lading and ship but of our lives	Weather - bad weather expected on passage

Ecclesiastes 1.6

The wind goeth towards the south, and turneth about unto the north; it whirleth about continually, and the wind returneth again according to his circuits

Weather - the wind

Job 42.5

Heretofore I had heard of thee by the hearing of the ear, but now my eye sees thee.

Welcome - new ship, overseas ship, home after long absence

Proverbs 21:20

The wise man saves for the future, but the foolish man spends whatever he gets.