

Making Spiritual Commitments Psalms 101

#### Poetic Device—Synonymous

The two poetic lines parallel.

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A wise man will hear, and will increase learning; and a man of understanding shall attain unto wise counsels: Prov 1:5

Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you: Mat 7:7

#### Poetic Device—Antithetical

The two poetic lines contrast.

### Poetic Device—Antithetical

A wise son maketh a glad father: but a foolish son is the heaviness of his mother. Proverbs 10:1

The wicked flee when no man pursueth: but the righteous are bold as a lion. Prov 28:1

## Poetic Device—Synthetic

The second line unpacks the first.

## Poetic Device—Synthetic

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. Ps 23:1

Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies. Prov 31:10

# 1. I will sing.

- 2. I will act wisely.
- 3. I will not admire evil.
- 4. I will avoid close relationship with evil people.

- 5. I will avoid gossips.
- 6. I will make godly friends.
- 7. I will avoid liars.
- 8. I will remove the wicked for the sake of worship.

Which commitments do you need to make?