

Fair trade

Proverbs

Fashionable or foundational?

- Social conscience
- Honesty and generosity
- Trusting God (Matt 6:31-33; 7:11; Rom 8:31-32)

Honest scales (11:1; 16:11; 20:10, 23)

- Stealing from the boss
- Stealing from the client
- Stealing from the government

- Buying and selling at the right price (20:14)

Lending and borrowing

- Living in debt (22:7)
- Putting up security (6:1-5; 11:15; 17:18; 20:16; 22:26-27; 27:13)
- 'Get rich quick' (13:11; 14:23; 15:27; 16:8; 21:5; 28:8)

The way of wisdom

- Gospel-shaped honesty (10:2; 11:18; 16:13; cf. 1 Pet 2:9-12)
- Gospel-shaped generosity (11:24-26; cf. 2 Cor 8:9)