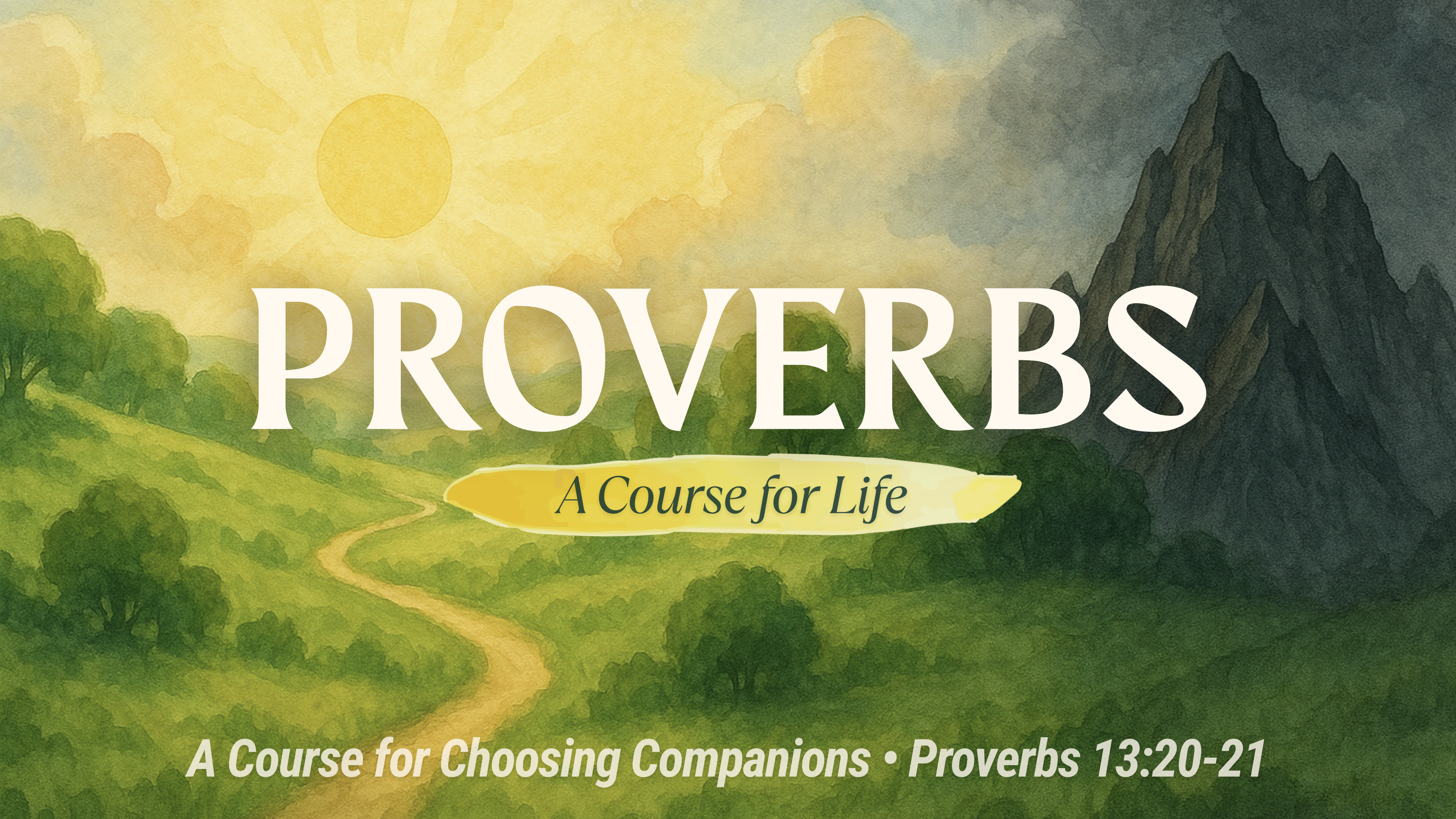




PROVERBS

A Course for Life

A Course for Choosing Companions • Proverbs 13:20-21



A wise son hears his father's
instruction
but a scoffer does not listen to
rebuke.

PROVERBS 13:1

**Whoever walks with the wise
becomes wise,
but the companion of fools will
suffer harm.**

PROVERBS 13:20

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**A WISE PERSON WILL
POINT YOU TO CHRIST**

The Characteristics of Wise Companions

- Unconditional love (Proverbs 17:17)

A friend loves at all times, and a brother is born for adversity.
PROVERBS 17:17

The Characteristics of Wise Companions

- Unconditional love (Proverbs 17:17)
- Steadfast Loyalty (Proverbs 18:24)

A man of many companions may come to ruin, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.

PROVERBS 18:24

The Characteristics of Wise Companions

- Unconditional love (Proverbs 17:17)
- Steadfast Loyalty (Proverbs 18:24)
- Honest advice (Proverbs 27:5,9)

Faithful are the wounds of a friend...the sweetness of a friend comes from his earnest counsel.

PROVERBS 27:5,9

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PROVERBS 13:20

COMPANION



רעה

RĀ'Â



verb

to associate with, be a friend of

רעה

RĀ'Â



verb

to tend, pasture, feed, graze, wander

The Damage of Foolish Companionships

- Emotional harm (Proverbs 22:24-25)

Make no friendship with a man given to anger... lest you learn his ways and entangle yourself in a snare.

PROVERBS 22:24-25

The Damage of Foolish Companionships

- Emotional harm (Proverbs 22:24-25)
- Relational harm (Proverbs 28:7)

The one who keeps the law is a son with understanding, but a companion of gluttons shames his father.

PROVERBS 28:7

The Damage of Foolish Companionships

- Emotional harm (Proverbs 22:24-25)
- Relational harm (Proverbs 28:7)
- Financial harm (Proverbs 29:3)

He who loves wisdom makes his father glad, but a companion of prostitutes squanders his wealth.

PROVERBS 29:3

HARM



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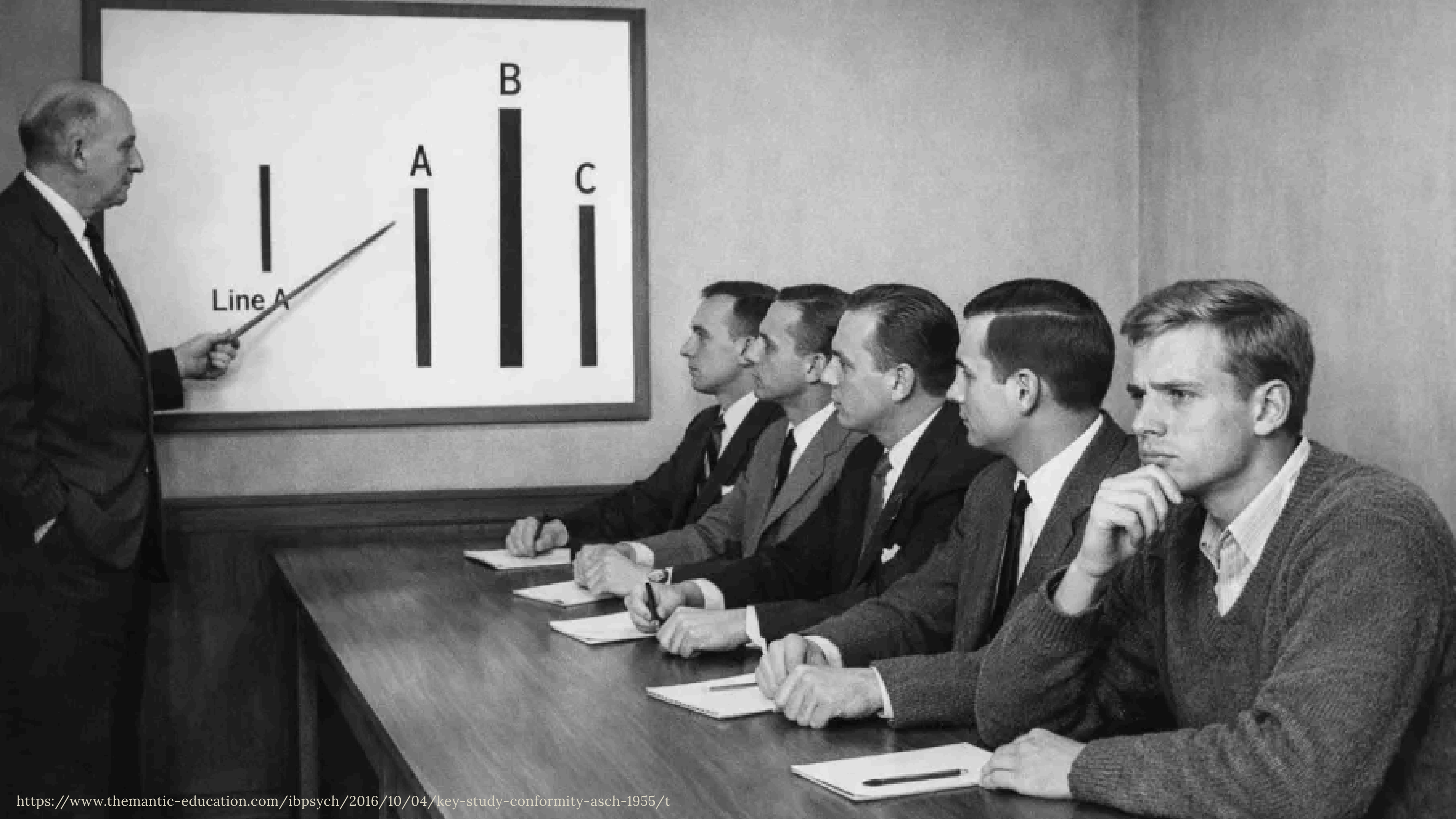
RŪA'



noun

Something dysfunctional, wrong, evil or
wicked





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**THOSE WHO MAKE
FRIENDS WITH FOOLS
BECOME FOOLS**

RELATIONSHIPS
ARE
TRANSFORMATIONAL

*Bad company corrupts
good morals.*

1 Corinthians 15:33

on Re:generation Commencement!

on Re:generation





WHO ARE YOU ALLOWING TO HAVE
INFLUENCE
OVER YOU?

Disaster pursues sinners,
but the righteous are rewarded
with good.

PROVERBS 13:21

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ONE FRIEND

can change your life

JESUS CHRIST
IS THE
ULTIMATE
COMPANION