

A Study of the Wisdom Literature

(OT Survey Lesson 286—Warnings About Adultery)

Introduction:

Lesson aim:

2:16 To deliver you from the strange woman, From the adulteress who flatters with her words; 17 That leaves the companion of her youth, And forgets the covenant of her God; 18 For her house sinks down to death, And her tracks *lead* to the dead; 19 None who go to her return again, Nor do they reach the paths of life.

5:1-14

6:20-7:27

22:14 The mouth of an adulteress is a deep pit; He who is cursed of the LORD will fall into it.

23:26 Give me your heart, my son, And let your eyes delight in my ways. 27 For a harlot is a deep pit, And an adulterous woman is a narrow well. 28 Surely she lurks as a robber, And increases the faithless among men.

30:20 This is the way of an adulterous woman: She eats and wipes her mouth, And says, “I have done no wrong.”