Jesus Is My Counselor

For unto us a Child is born [Jesus], Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6

The Immanuel Approach is unique in that the Counselor is Jesus Himself. Instead of the session being Coach centered, it is God centered. This fact makes Immanuel the safest, easiest, and most effective approach to inner healing.

Studies included in this article are: God Gives Counsel; God's Counsel Stands; We Can Reject His Counsel

For more information on this topic please see: "His Tender Care; "Jesus Is The Truth"; "Jesus Is The Light"; and "Restoration"; "Counsel Is Mine"

God Gives Counsel

- Psalm 16:7 I will bless **the LORD who has given me counsel**; My heart also instructs me in the night seasons.
- Psalm 37:23 The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD, And He delights in his way.
- Psalm 73:24 You will guide me with Your counsel, And afterward receive me to glory.
- Proverb 3:32 For the perverse person is an abomination to the LORD, But **His secret counsel is with the upright.**
- Proverb 8:14 Counsel is mine, and sound wisdom; I am understanding, I have strength.
- Proverb 16:3 Commit your works to the LORD, And your thoughts will be established.
- Proverb 16:9 A man's heart plans his way, But the LORD directs his steps.
- Isaiah 5:19 That say, "Let Him make speed and hasten His work, That we may see it; And let the counsel of the Holy One of Israel draw near and come, That we may know it."
- Isaiah 28:29 This also comes from the LORD of hosts, Who is wonderful in counsel and excellent in guidance.
- Jeremiah 32:19 You are great in counsel and mighty in work, for Your eyes are open to all the ways of the sons of men, to give everyone according to his ways and according to the fruit of his doings.

God's Counsel Stands

- Psalm 33:11 The counsel of the LORD stands forever, The plans of His heart to all generations.
- Proverb 19:21 There are many plans in a man's heart, Nevertheless the LORD'S counsel-that will stand.
- Proverb 21:30 There is no wisdom or understanding Or counsel against the LORD.
- Isaiah 14:24 The LORD of hosts has sworn, saying, "Surely, as I have thought, so it shall come to pass, And as I have purposed, so it shall stand.
- Isaiah 14:27 For **the LORD of hosts has purposed, And who will annul it?** His hand is stretched out, And who will turn it back?"
- Isaiah 19:17 And the land of Judah will be a terror to Egypt; everyone who makes mention of it will be afraid in himself, because of **the counsel of the LORD of hosts which He has determined** against it.
- Isaiah 46:11b Indeed I have spoken it; I will also bring it to pass. I have purposed it; I will also do it.
- Jeremiah 4:28b Because I have spoken. I have purposed and will not relent, Nor will I turn back from it.
- Lamentations 2:17a **The LORD has done what He purposed; He has fulfilled His word** Which He commanded in days of old.
- Ephesians 1:9 Having made known to us the mystery of His will, according to His good pleasure which He purposed in Himself.
- Ephesians 1:11 In Him also we have obtained an inheritance, **being predestined** according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will.
- Hebrews 6:17 **Thus God, determining** to show more abundantly to the heirs of promise **the immutability of His counsel,** confirmed it by an oath.

We Can Reject His Counsel

- Psalm 106:13 They soon forgot His works; They did not wait for His counsel.
- Psalm 106:43 Many times He delivered them; But **they rebelled in their counsel**, And were brought low for their iniquity.
- Psalm 107:11 Because they rebelled against the words of God, And despised the counsel of the Most High.
- Proverb 1:25 Because you disdained all my counsel, And would have none of my rebuke.
- Proverb 1:30 They would have none of my counsel And despised my every rebuke.

Jeremiah 23:22 But **if they had stood in My counsel**, And had caused My people to hear My words, Then they would have turned them from their evil way And from the evil of their doings.

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