

Are Drugs Righteous?

Jubilees 10:10, 12

10. And one of us He commanded that we should teach Noah all their medicines; for He knew that they would not walk in uprightness, nor strive in righteousness.

12. And we explained to Noah all the medicines of their diseases, together with their seductions, how he might heal them with herbs of the earth.

Sir 38:4

The Lord hath created medicines out of the earth; and he that is wise will not abhor them.

Sirach 39:26

The principal things for the whole use of man's life are water, fire, iron, and salt, flour wheat, honey, milk, and the blood of grape, and oil, and clothing.

Sir 37:29

Be not unsatiable in any dainty thing, nor too greedy upon meats:

Sir 37:30

For excess of meats bringeth sickness, and surfeiting will turn into choler.

Sir 31:19-20

A very little is sufficient for a man well nurtured, and he fetcheth not his wind short upon his bed.

Sir 31:20

Sound sleep cometh of moderate eating: he riseth early, and his wits are with him: but the pain of watching, and choler, and pangs of the belly, are with an unsatiable man.

Pro 25:16

Hast thou found honey? eat so much as is sufficient for thee, lest thou be filled therewith, and vomit it.

1Ti 5:23

Drink no longer water, but use a little wine for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities.

Sir 31:27-28

Wine is as good as life to a man, if it be drunk moderately: what life is then to a man that is without wine? for it was made to make men glad.

Sir 31:28

Wine measurably drunk and in season bringeth gladness of the heart, and cheerfulness of the mind:

Pro 31:6-7

Give strong drink unto him that is ready to perish, and wine unto those that be of heavy hearts.

Pro 31:7



Let him drink, and forget his poverty, and remember his misery no more.

Sir 31:29-30

But wine drunken with excess maketh bitterness of the mind, with brawling and quarrelling.

Sir 31:30

Drunkenness increaseth the rage of a fool till he offend: it diminisheth strength, and maketh wounds.

1Co 6:10

Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of Alahayim.

Testament of Judah 13:7

7 For much discretion needeth the man who drinketh wine, my children; and herein is discretion in drinking wine a man 8 may drink so long as he preserveth modesty. But if he go beyond this limit the spirit of deceit attacketh his mind, and it maketh the drunkard to talk filthily, and to transgress and not to be ashamed, but even to glory in his shame, and to account himself honourable.

13:1

1 And now, my children, I say unto you, be not drunk with wine; 13:3-7

3 For if a man drink wine to drunkenness, it disturbeth the mind with filthy thoughts leading to fornication, and heateth the body to carnal union; and if the occasion of the lust be 4 present, he worketh the sin, and is not ashamed. Such is the inebriated man, my children; for he 5 who is drunken reverenceth no man. For, lo, it made me also to err, so that I was not ashamed of the multitude in the city, in that before the eyes of all I turned aside unto Tamar, and I wrought 6 a great sin, and I uncovered the covering of my sons' shame. After I had drunk wine I reverenced 7 not the commandment of Alahavim, and I took a woman of Canaan to wife.

13:2

for wine turneth the mind away from the truth, and inspires the passion of lust, and leadeth the eyes into error. For the spirit of fornication hath wine as a minister to give pleasure to the mind; for these two also take away the mind of man.

Sir 37:27

My son, prove thy soul in thy life, and see what is evil for it, and give not that unto it.

Hermas vision 3

9[17]:7 Now therefore I say unto you that are rulers of the Church, and that occupy the chief seats; be not ye like unto the sorcerers. The sorcerers indeed carry their drugs in boxes, but ye carry your drug and your poison in your heart.



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φαρμακεύς pharmakeus far-mak-yoos'

From φάρμακον pharmakon (a *drug*, that is, spell giving *potion*); a *druggist*("pharmacist") or *poisoner*, that is, (by extension) a *magician:* - sorcerer

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φαρμακεία pharmakeia

far-mak-i'-ah

From G5332; *medication* ("pharmacy"), that is, (by extension) *magic* (literal or figurative): - sorcery, witchcraft

Rev 21:8

But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and **sorcerers G5332**, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death

Jubilees 10:9

10. And one of us He commanded that we should teach Noah all their medicines; for He knew that they would not walk in uprightness, nor strive in righteousness.

Tob 12:7

It is good to keep close the secret of a king, but it is honourable to reveal the works of Alahayim. Do that which is good, and no evil shall touch you.