



# Proverbs 10:19

*Mishlei perek Yod, pasuk Yod-Tet*

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*Whoever restrains his speech is wise...*

מְשַׁכֵּיל	שְׂפָתָיו	וְחֹשֶׁךְ	יִחְדַּל-פְּשַׁע	לֹא	דְּבָרִים	בְּרַב
mas'-keel'	se'-fah-tahv'	ve'-choh-seik'	yech-dahl'-pah'-shah	loh	de'-vah-reem'	be'-rohv'
שָׁכַל - v "be wise, have insight" high partic ms מְשַׁכֵּיל - n wisdom psalm	שֵׁפֶת - n fpl "lips, speech" יָי - 3ms cstr sfx שָׁפָה - v "sweep"	וְ - pfx "but" חָשַׁךְ - v "stop, cease, withhold" חֹשֶׁךְ - v qal partic ms וְחֹשֶׁךְ	יִחְדַּל - v "stop, desist" qal impf 3ms פְּשַׁע - n ms "transgression, sin" פָּשַׁע - v "transgress, rebel, revolt"	לֹא - adv "no, not" negates verbal	דְּבָרִים - n mpl "words, things, matters" אֵי - mpl sfx דִּבֶּר - v "to speak"	בְּ - pfx "in, with" רַב - n ms "multitude" רָבַב - v "multiply"
but he who restrains his lips is wise			there is no lack of sin	in abundance of words		

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"In the abundance of words transgression is not lacking:  
but whoever restrains his lips is wise." (Prov. 10:19)

ἐκ πολυλογίας οὐκ ἐκφύζη ἁμαρτίαν φειδόμενος  
δὲ χειλέων νοσημάτων ἕση (LXX)

*Sefer Mishlei:*

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