

# ATTENTIVENESS

..... vs. Unconcern  
Showing the worth of a person by giving undivided attention to his words and emotions

Hebrews 2:1



The white-tailed deer constantly listens to what takes place around it. It has extremely acute hearing. Even while grazing, it remains attentive to its surroundings and is on the lookout for danger.

Unlike brown bears, the black bear usually refrains from confrontation. Even when other bears enter its territory, it avoids conflict whenever possible. During harsh winters when food is scarce, the black bear can go without eating for up to seven months.



# SELF-CONTROL

..... vs. Self-indulgence  
Instant obedience to the initial promptings of God's Spirit

Galatians 5:24-25

# OBEDIENCE

..... vs. Willfulness  
Quickly and cheerfully carrying out the wise direction of those who are responsible for me

II Corinthians 10:5



Wood ducks are attentive to their parents' voices even before they hatch. Twenty-four hours after hatching, they must obey their mother by jumping from their high nest, or they will be left behind.

