Kostya, I used different versions (highlighted) to avoid Christ being born. I do not know how to handle that in your versions.

**PROVERBS 8 WISDOM PERSONIFIED IN JESUS**

**Pro 8:1** Listen! Jesus is calling out. The Holy Spirit is making himself heard.

Pro 8:2 On the hilltops near the road and at the crossroads Jesus stands.

Pro 8:3 At the entrance to the city, beside the gates, Jesus calls:

Pro 8:4 "I, Jesus, appeal to all of you; I call to everyone on earth.

Pro 8:5 Are you immature? Learn to be mature. Are you foolish? Learn to have sense.

Pro 8:6 Listen to my excellent words; all I, Jesus, tell you is right.

Pro 8:7 What I say is the truth; lies are hateful to me.

Pro 8:8 Everything I, Jesus, say is true; nothing is false or misleading.

Pro 8:9 To those with insight, it is all clear; to the well-informed, it is all plain.

Pro 8:10 Choose my godly instruction instead of silver; choose spiritual knowledge rather than the finest gold.

Pro 8:11 "I am Jesus, I am better than jewels; nothing you want can compare with me.

Pro 8:12 I am Jesus, and I have insight; I have knowledge and sound judgment.

Pro 8:13 To honor the LORD Jesus is to hate evil; I hate pride and arrogance, evil ways and false words.

Pro 8:14 I, Jesus, make plans and carry them out. I have understanding, and I am strong.

Pro 8:15 I, Jesus, help kings to govern and rulers to make good laws.

Pro 8:16 Every ruler on earth governs with my help, officials and nobles alike.

Pro 8:17 I. Jesus, love those who love me; whoever looks for me can find me.

Pro 8:18 I Jesus have riches and honor to give, prosperity and success.

Pro 8:19 What you get from me, Jesus, is better than the finest gold, better than the purest silver.

Pro 8:20 I, Jesus, walk the way of righteousness; I follow the paths of justice,

Pro 8:21 giving wealth to those who love me, filling their houses with treasures.

nkjvPro 8:22 "The LORD possessed me at the beginning of His way, Before His works of old.

nkiyPro 8:23 I have been established from everlasting, From the beginning, before there was ever an earth.

AmplPro 8:23 I [*Wisdom*] was inaugurated and ordained from everlasting, from the beginning, before ever the earth existed. [*John 1:1; I Cor. 1:24.*]

msgPro 8:24 I arrived on the scene before Ocean, yes, even before Springs and Rivers and Lakes.

esvPro 8:24 When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water.

Pro 8:25 Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was brought forth,

[*Job 15:7, 8.*]

Pro 8:26 before God the Creator made the earth and its fields or even the first handful of soil.

Pro 8:27 I Jesus was there when he set the sky in place, when he stretched the horizon across the ocean,

Pro 8:28 when he placed the clouds in the sky, when he opened the springs of the ocean

Pro 8:29 and ordered the waters of the sea to rise no further than he said. I Jesus was there when he laid the earth's foundations.

Pro 8:30 I was beside him like an architect, I, Jesus, was his daily source of joy, always happy in his presence---

Pro 8:31 happy with the world and pleased with the human race.

Pro 8:32 "Now, young Baptist men, listen to me. Do as I say, and you will be happy.

Pro 8:33 Listen to what you are taught. Be wise; do not neglect it.

Pro 8:34 Those who listen to me will be happy--- those who stay at my door, the Bible, every day, waiting in praise and prayer at the entrance to my home.

Pro 8:35 Those who find me, Jesus. find life, and the LORD God will be pleased with them.

Pro 8:36 Those who do not find Jesus hurt themselves; anyone who hates Jesus loves death."