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Ecclesiastes 10:1" Dead flies<sup>1</sup> are what cause the oil of the ointment maker to stink, to bubble forth. So a little foolishness does to one who is precious for wisdom and glory.

Footnote: Literally, Flies of death

[5] - References:

- And you must make it into an incense, a spice mixture, the work of an ointment maker, salted, pure, something holy. (Exodus 30:35)
- Later Yehowah said to Moses and Aaron; Because you did not show faith in me to sanctify me before the eyes of the sons of Israel, therefore you will not bring this congregation into the land that I shall certainly give them. (Numbers 20:12)
- Whereas you yourself acted in secret, I, for my part, shall do this thing in front of all Israel and in front of the sun. (2 Samuel 12:12)
  - And David's heart began to beat him after he had so numbered the people. Consequently David said to Yehowah; I have sinned very much in what I have done. And now, Yehowah, let your servant's error pass by, please, for I have acted very foolishly. (2 Samuel 24:10)
    - And I proceeded to give my heart to knowing wisdom and to knowing madness, and I have come to know folly, that this too is a striving after wind. (Ecclesiastes 1:17)