

CHASING THE WIND

WEEK 13
June 6, 2021

INTRODUCTION: _____

LIFE IS MEANINGLESS UNTIL WE FIND OUR SATISFACTION
AND CONTENTMENT IN GOD.

HOW TO MAKE YOUR LIFE COUNT FOR CHRIST:

1. REMEMBER YOUR _____. VS 1-12

Ecclesiastes 12:1-12

1 Remember your Creator in the days of your youth, before the days of trouble come and the years approach when you will say, “I find no pleasure in them”—

2 Before the sun and the light and the moon and the stars grow dark, and the clouds return after the rain;

3 When the keepers of the house tremble, and the strong men stoop, when the grinders cease because they are few, and those looking through the windows grow dim;

4 When the doors to the street are closed and the sound of grinding fades; when people rise up at the sound of birds, but all their songs grow faint;

5 When people are afraid of heights and of dangers in the streets; when the almond tree blossoms and the grasshopper drags itself along and desire no longer is stirred. Then people go to their eternal home and mourners go about the streets.

6 Remember him—before the silver cord is severed, and the golden bowl is broken; before the pitcher is shattered at the spring, and the wheel broken at the well,

7 And the dust returns to the ground it came from, and the spirit returns to God who gave it.

8 “Meaningless! Meaningless!” says the Teacher. “Everything is meaningless!”

9 Not only was the Teacher wise, but he also imparted knowledge to the people. He pondered and searched out and set in order many proverbs.

10 The Teacher searched to find just the right words, and what he wrote was upright and true.

11 The words of the wise are like goads, their collected sayings like firmly embedded nails—given by one shepherd.

12 Be warned, my son, of anything in addition to them. Of making many books there is no end, and much study wearies the body.

“LIFE IS LIKE A SCHOOL, EXCEPT THAT SOMETIMES YOU DON’T KNOW WHAT THE LESSONS ARE UNTIL YOU HAVE FAILED THE EXAM.” – UNKNOWN

“THE MEASURE OF A LIFE, AFTER ALL, IS NOT ITS DURATION, BUT ITS DONATION.” – CORRIE TEN BOOM

2. FEAR _____. VS 13

Ecclesiastes 12:13 Now all has been heard; here is the conclusion of the matter: Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the duty of all mankind.

“WHEN YOU FEAR GOD, YOU FEAR NOTHING ELSE; WHEREAS, IF YOU DO NOT FEAR GOD, YOU FEAR EVERYTHING ELSE.” – OSWALD CHAMBERS

3. KEEP HIS _____. VS 13

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“MAN IN HIS ENTIRETY, MUST BEGIN WITH GOD. THE WHOLE OF MAN, THE FEAR OF GOD.” – J CAMBELL MORGAN

4. PREPARE FOR FINAL _____. VS 14

Ecclesiastes 12:14 For God will bring every deed into judgment, including every hidden thing, whether it is good or evil.



CONCLUSION: _____



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