



Ecclesiastes

Word to the Wise

Community Group Discussion: 10.20 - 11.24

SERIES OVERVIEW

What matters in the end? What are we doing every day? Does it have any meaning or significance? What does God say is meaningful and significant?

"If we find in ourselves a desire that nothing in this world can satisfy, the most probable explanation is that we were made for another world." — C. S. Lewis

MAIN TEXT

Ecclesiastes 11-12, Psalm 119:129, Romans 8:1

GETTING STARTED

Who is the wisest person you know? Why?

DIGGING DEEPER

1. Read Ecclesiastes 11:1-2. Growth requires us to step outside of our comfort zone. How have you experienced this in the past? Are there areas where you're playing it safe rather than trusting God right now?
2. Read Ecclesiastes 11:4. Paralysis by analysis. What do you worry about most? What are you waiting on to happen before you can trust and obey God?
3. Read Ecclesiastes 11:8-9. What season of life are you currently in? How can you make the most of this season?
4. What older person has spoken the most wisdom into your life? What young person do you need to speak wisdom to?
5. Read Ecclesiastes 12:13-14. In your own words what does it mean to fear God?
6. Do you see God as more of a "red light" or "green light" Father? Why? In what ways can boundaries provide more freedom and joy than no boundaries?

NEXT STEPS

What is God saying to you through His word?
How and when will you respond?

WEEKLY BIBLE READING

Day One: *Ecclesiastes 11:1-6*

Day Two: *Ecclesiastes 11:7-10*

Day Three: *Ecclesiastes 12:1-7*

Day Four: *Ecclesiastes 12:8-12*

Day Five: *Ecclesiastes 12:13-14*

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