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This side of eternity, life is a breath. We do the same things over and over again in a world repeating itself over and over again, and then we die, only to be followed by our children who will do the same things in the same way and then meet the same end. Being a Christian doesn't stop this being true. Rather, it should make us the first to stop pretending it isn't true.
David Gibson, Living Life Backward

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    B. Find Your Satisfaction in the Lord
    C. Enjoy Life as a Gift from God
    D. Live Faithfully in Obedience to God’s Word