

## Message Based Discussion

### More Vanity

Ecclesiastes 6:7-12

What did you like about this message?  
What did you find hard to accept or understand?  
What does this message teach you about people?  
What does this message teach us about God? What does it teach about Jesus?  
What will you do now? Based on this message, how will your life change?  
How specifically are you going to live out today's lesson?  
Who will you tell? With whom will you have a conversation about this message?

“How often shall we have to tell people that the Bible is not a mere collection of separate sentences which they may tear from their context just as they please? We are not to treat the verses of the Bible as pigeons might treat a bushel of peas—picking out one here and another there, without any thought of the surroundings of that particular passage! No, this blessed Book was written for men to read right through—and if they are to understand the meaning of it, they must read each sentence in the connection in which it is found.”

~Charles Spurgeon

### Pray

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**Ecclesiastes 6:7-12**  
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**Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4**

1. Escaping the vanity (vs. 7-10)
  - Not through indulging the senses
  - Not through thoughtfulness & prudent behavior
  - Only through pious submission to God

## 2. Three real oppressions (vs. 11-12)

- Fruitless toil after happiness (11)
- Ignorance (12)
- Weakness (12)

## 3. Living Beyond the Sun

- Joy in toil
- Wisdom in ignorance
- Strength in weakness