

Faith Bible Baptist Church – Wednesday Bible Study  
Ecclesiastes 7:11-29 – July 13, 2005

Ecclesiastes 7:

<sup>11</sup>Wisdom is good with an inheritance: and by it there is profit to them that see the sun.

<sup>12</sup>For wisdom is a defence, and money is a defence: but the excellency of knowledge is, that wisdom giveth life to them that have it.

<sup>13</sup>Consider the work of God: for who can make that straight, which he hath made crooked?

<sup>14</sup>In the day of prosperity be joyful, but in the day of adversity consider: God also hath set the one over against the other, to the end that man should find nothing after him.

<sup>15</sup>All things have I seen in the days of my vanity: there is a just man that perisheth in his righteousness, and there is a wicked man that prolongeth his life in his wickedness.

<sup>16</sup>Be not righteous over much; neither make thyself over wise: why shouldest thou destroy thyself?

<sup>17</sup>Be not over much wicked, neither be thou foolish: why shouldest thou die before thy time?

<sup>18</sup>It is good that thou shouldest take hold of this; yea, also from this withdraw not thine hand: for he that feareth God shall come forth of them all.

<sup>19</sup>Wisdom strengtheneth the wise more than ten mighty men which are in the city.

<sup>20</sup>For there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good, and sinneth not.

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## Ecclesiastes 7:

<sup>21</sup>Also take no heed unto all words that are spoken; lest thou hear thy servant curse thee:

<sup>22</sup>For oftentimes also thine own heart knoweth that thou thyself likewise hast cursed others.

<sup>23</sup>All this have I proved by wisdom: I said, I will be wise; but it was far from me.

<sup>24</sup>That which is far off, and exceeding deep, who can find it out?

<sup>25</sup>I applied mine heart to know, and to search, and to seek out wisdom, and the reason of things, and to know the wickedness of folly, even of foolishness and madness:

<sup>26</sup>And I find more bitter than death the woman, whose heart is snares and nets, and her hands as bands: whoso pleaseth God shall escape from her; but the sinner shall be taken by her.

<sup>27</sup>Behold, this have I found, saith the preacher, counting one by one, to find out the account:

<sup>28</sup>Which yet my soul seeketh, but I find not: one man among a thousand have I found; but a woman among all those have I not found.

<sup>29</sup>Lo, this only have I found, that God hath made man upright; but they have sought out many inventions.

## Personal Notes: