

THE END OF THE MATTER | ECCLESIASTES 12:1-14

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How are Christians to follow God and live as His people in an under-the-sun world?

Review - Take wise risks and rejoice in all the years God gives you.

1. Remember (12:1-8)

Ecclesiastes 12:9-12 offers a brief digression on the book's source and authority, as well as wisdom for our own communication of God's truth.

Questions to Consider	
1.	What biblical truths that you know are you prone to forget in the midst of trials and temptations?
2.	How are we to "remember" God?
3.	What are some of the pictures in Ecclesiastes 12:3-4, and to what are they pointing?
4.	Looking at Ecclesiastes 12:8, in what way is all vanity?
5.	What can we learn from Ecclesiastes 12:9-10 about how to communicate God's truth and wisdom to others?
6.	How is God's truth like a goad or a firmly-fixed nail (12:11)?
7.	What can we learn from the warning in 12:12?
8.	How does Ecclesiastes 12:14 serve as an incentive to live ALL of life in a meaningful and godly way?

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2. Respond (12:13-14)