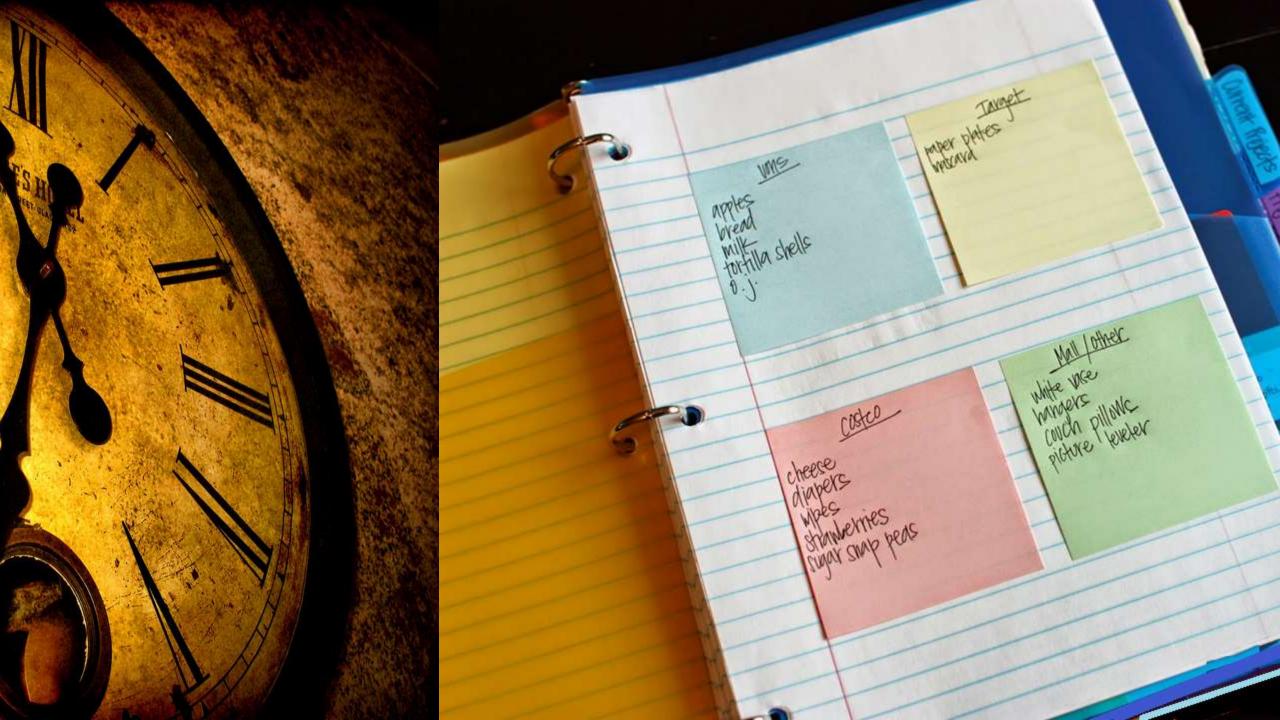


TIME

FOR

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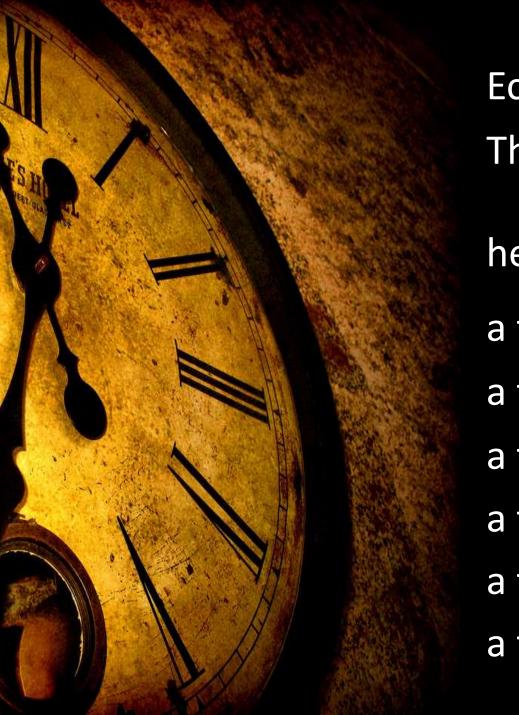
THING





<u>Ecclesiastes : The Seeker/Teacher</u> Solomon's pursuit of joy "under the sun" "meaningless" x37

- Experiments
 - Wisdom (1:13-14)
 - Wine (2:1)
 - Work (2:4-6)
 - Wealth (2:7-8)
 - Women (2:8)
- Observations



Ecclesiastes 3:1-11

There is a *time for everything*, and a season for every activity under the heavens:

a time to be *born* and a time to *die*, a time to *plant* and a time to *uproot*, a time to *kill* and a time to *heal*, a time to *tear down* and a time to *build*, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to *mourn* and a time to *dance*...



Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to *embrace* and a time to *refrain* from embracing, a time to search and a time to give up, a time to keep and a time to throw away a time to tear and a time to mend, a time to be *silent* and a time to *speak*...



Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 a time to love and a time to hate, a time for *War* and a time for *peace*. What do workers *profit* from their work? I have seen the burden God has laid on the human race. He has made everything beautiful in its time. He has also set *eternity* in the human heart; yet no one can fathom what God has done from beginning to end...

a precious commodity

how relate?

beyond control

"a time for everything"

for what?

"the perfect moment"



Romans 8:28-29, 31, 37

And we know that for those who love God *all things* work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to *be conformed* to the image of his Son...

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?

In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.

Psalm 23 The LORD is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

He makes me lie down in *green* pastures,

he leads me beside *quiet waters*,
he restores my soul.
He guides me along *the right paths* for his name's sake.



Psalm 23 Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.



Psalm 23 You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely your goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.





Psalm 34:14-16 But I trust in you, LORD; I say, "You are my God." *My times are in your hands*.



Ephesians 5:15-16

Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making *the best use of the time,* because the days are evil.

Redeem the time My times are in your hands THIN

