

The Words of the Preacher: ECCLESIASTES

Life Under the Sun

Wisdom's Weakness

Ecclesiastes 2:12-17

PASTOR'S PRAYER

Almighty Father God, Maker of heaven and earth. You are wise, good and worthy of our praise and devotion this morning. Turn our hearts to consider your grace and your gospel this morning, LORD. We confess our attempts to either flee from all things that bring us discomfort or join in the folly and madness of this world. Grant us your Spirit that we might see our great hope not in this world of the ambitions of it. But instead to look to Jesus and see in Him our joy and hope this morning. Amen & Amen

OUTLINE

1. Consideration: Wisdom and Madding Folly (v. 12)
2. Investigation: What is to Be Gained? (vv. 13-14)
3. Observation: The Wise & the Fool Dies (vv. 15-16)
4. Resolution: So I Hated Life!! (v. 17)

Central Textual Truth

The Preacher proves wisdom nor folly is unable to remove vanity.

Central Sermon Aim

I want SGBC to cling to Christ by faith, our great wisdom and fullness of life.