ECCLESIASTES 3

ECCLESIASTES 3:1

1 ¶ To every *thing there is* a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven:

ECCLESIASTES 3:2

2 A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up *that which is* planted;

ECCLESIASTES 3:3

3 A time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up;

ECCLESIASTES 3:4

4 A time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance;

ECCLESIASTES 3:5

5 A time to cast away stones, and a time to gather stones together; a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing;

ECCLESIASTES 3:6

6 A time to get, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to cast away;

ECCLESIASTES 3:7

7 A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak;

ECCLESIASTES 3:8

8 A time to love, and a time to hate; a time of war, and a time of peace.

ECCLESIASTES 3:9

9 What profit hath he that worketh in that wherein he laboureth?

ECCLESIASTES 3:10

10 I have seen the travail, which God hath given to the sons of men to be exercised in it.

ECCLESIASTES 3:11

11 ¶ He hath made every *thing* beautiful in his time: also he hath set the world in their heart, so that no man can find out the work that God maketh from the beginning to the end.

ECCLESIASTES 3:12

12 I know that *there is* no good in them, but for *a man* to rejoice, and to do good in his life.

ECCLESIASTES 3:13

13 And also that every man should eat and drink, and enjoy the good of all his labour, it *is* the gift of God.

ECCLESIASTES 3:14

14 I know that, whatsoever God doeth, it shall be for ever: nothing can be put to it, nor any thing taken from it: and God doeth *it*, that *men* should fear before him.

ECCLESIASTES 3:15

15 That which hath been is now; and that which is to be hath already been; and God requireth that which is past.

ECCLESIASTES 3:16

16 ¶ And moreover I saw under the sun the place of judgment, *that* wickedness was there; and the place of righteousness, *that* iniquity was there.

ECCLESIASTES 3:17

17 I said in mine heart, God shall judge the righteous and the wicked: for *there is* a time there for every purpose and for every work.

ECCLESIASTES 3:18

18 I said in mine heart concerning the estate of the sons of men, that God might manifest them, and that they might see that they themselves are beasts.

ECCLESIASTES 3:19

19 For that which befalleth the sons of men befalleth beasts; even one thing befalleth them: as the one dieth, so dieth the other; yea, they have all one breath; so that a man hath no preeminence above a beast: for all *is* vanity.

ECCLESIASTES 3:20

20 All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again.

ECCLESIASTES 3:21

21 Who knoweth the spirit of man that goeth upward, and the spirit of the beast that goeth downward to the earth?

ECCLESIASTES 3:22

22 Wherefore I perceive that *there is* nothing better, than that a man should rejoice in his own works; for that *is* his portion: for who shall bring him to see what shall be after him?