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Eccl 11:9-10
God will bring you into judgment

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Review

1. To grow in our knowledge and wisdom
2. Grow deeper in our understanding of the works of God
3. To be more diligent in work
4. To thank God for the days of good
5. To have a steadfast heart in trusting the Lord

Facing judgment

1. Days of youth

"Rejoice, O young man, in your youth, and let your heart cheer you in the days of your youth; Walk in the ways of your heart, and in the sight of your eyes;" Eccl 11:9

- a) Times of joy
- b) Carefree days
- c) Walk according to the heart
- d) Live according to the eyes

2. Vanity

"For childhood and youth are vanity." Eccl 11:10

- a) Nothing wrong with enjoying childhood and youth
- b) But they do not last

3. Judgment of God

"But know that for all these God will bring you into judgment." Eccl 11:9

- a) Need to bring in God
- b) He will bring about judgment
- c) Accountability to God

4. Eccl 3:15

"That which is has already been, and what is to be has already been; and God requires an account of what is past." Eccl 3:15

The sorrow of the heart

"Therefore remove sorrow from your heart," Eccl 11:10

1. The sorrow found in the heart
2. Not easy to deal with sorrow
3. The challenge is to remove sorrow

Psalm 13

1. Raising of questions

"How long, O Lord? Will You forget me forever? How long will You hide Your face from me? How long shall I take counsel in my soul, having sorrow in my heart daily? How long will my enemy be exalted over me?" Ps 13:1-2

2. Prayer for enlightenment

"Consider and hear me, O Lord my God; enlighten my eyes, lest I sleep the sleep of death; Lest my enemy say, 'I have prevailed against him.' Lest those who trouble me rejoice when I am moved." Ps 13:3-4

3. Applying faith

"But I have trusted in Your mercy; my heart shall rejoice in Your salvation. I will sing to the Lord, because He has dealt bountifully with me." Ps 13:5-6

Put away evil from the flesh

"And put away evil from your flesh," Eccl 11:10

1. Evil can affect us adversely
2. Wise to put away evil

Lessons to be learned

1. Appreciate how life can be temporal
2. To be accountable to God, who brings about His judgment to all
3. Remove sorrow from the heart
4. To fill the heart with joy
5. Put away evil