

# Reality & Riches

Ecclesiastes 5:8-20

- ☐ **The Reality of \_\_\_\_\_ (Human)**
  - There will be \_\_\_\_\_
  - There will be \_\_\_\_\_
  - There will be \_\_\_\_\_

☞ *Don't be \_\_\_\_\_*  
☞ *Still \_\_\_\_\_ than anarchy (no order & no authority)*  
☞ *All still \_\_\_\_\_ before God*

- ☐ **The Reality of \_\_\_\_\_**
  - The more we have the more we \_\_\_\_\_ (5:10)
  - The more we have the more we \_\_\_\_\_ (5:11)
  - The more we have the more we \_\_\_\_\_ (5:12)
  - The more we have the more we \_\_\_\_\_ (5:13-14)
  - The more we have the more we \_\_\_\_\_ (5:15-17)

- “Myths of Money”*
- ✓ *It \_\_\_\_\_ & fulfills*
  - ✓ *It \_\_\_\_\_ every problem*
  - ✓ *It brings \_\_\_\_\_ of mind*
  - ✓ *It provides \_\_\_\_\_*

- ☐ **The Reality of W \_\_\_\_\_ & W \_\_\_\_\_**

*Find joy & satisfaction in...*

  - Working \_\_\_\_\_ and doing your \_\_\_\_\_ as God enables & directs
  - The \_\_\_\_\_ of your labor as God provides & blesses
  - Being a good & wise \_\_\_\_\_ with what God gives & entrusts. (Involves spending, saving, giving - properly, wisely, biblically)

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- ☐ **The Reality of Government (Human)**
  - There will be oppression
  - There will be corruption
  - There will be injustice

☞ *Don't be surprised*  
☞ *Still better than anarchy (no order & no authority)*  
☞ *All still accountable before God*

- ☐ **The Reality of Riches**
  - The more we have the more we want (5:10)
  - The more we have the more we spend (5:11)
  - The more we have the more we worry (5:12)
  - The more we have the more we hoard (5:13-14)
  - The more we have the more we leave (5:15-17)

- “Myths of Money”*
- ✓ *It satisfies & fulfills*
  - ✓ *It solves every problem*
  - ✓ *It brings peace of mind*
  - ✓ *It provides security*

- ☐ **The Reality of Work & Wealth**

Find joy & satisfaction...

  - In working hard and doing your best as God enables & directs
  - In the fruits of your labor as God provides & blesses
  - In being a good & wise steward with what God gives & entrusts. (Involves spending, saving, giving properly, wisely, biblically)

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