

*Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions*

**Study Aid for the Sermon from September 29, 2019**  
**Solomon's Experiment**  
**Ecclesiastes 1:12-18**

**Observing the text**

What did Solomon seek to do?

Why do you think he calls man's business unhappy?

How did Solomon test the pursuit of pleasure?

What was Solomon's conclusion to his pursuit?

What other Scriptures might help us on the subject of indulgence and pleasure?

**Applying the sermon**

What earthly experiences do you see dominating the lives of those in the world?

What earthly experiences are you tempted to treasure more than Christ?

How do you protect yourself from the vanity of mankind's solutions for mankind's problems?

What earthly knowledge do you see consuming the lives of those in the world?

What earthly knowledge are you tempted to trust more than Christ?