



“Life Happens”

Ecclesiastes 3

Message Series: “The Search for Satisfaction”

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Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

¹For everything there is a season, and a time
for every matter under heaven:

²a time to be born, and a time to die;
a time to plant, and a time to pluck up what is planted;

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

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

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

⁶a time to seek, and a time to lose;
a time to keep, and a time to cast away;

⁷a time to tear, and a time to sew;
a time to keep silence, and a time to speak;

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

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Ecclesiastes 3 points out two breakthrough realities that RAID our hearts and lives of meaning and satisfaction:

1. A lack of awareness of God's sovereignty. (vv. 1-8)

2. A lack of certainty regarding eternity. (vv. 9-22)

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