

THE VALUE OF TIME. Eph. 6:5:15,16; Col. 4:5.

1. What Time Is: Measured duration. Time is not eternity: Time is measured. Eternity is without limits: immeasurable.
Time: Minutes, hours, days, weeks, months, years ETC. This arrangement assists in the distribution of our affairs.
 1. Three score years and ten. What are they? James 4:14; 1 Pet.1:24; Job 7:7.
 2. How we spend time: 1. Ten years of childhood and folly; 2. One third of the remaining sixty passes over in sleep.
3. That leave forty years during which we can do something.
2. How did you use the time of this year that is now closing?
 1. Did you do anything that contributed to your own spiritual welfare? 1Pet.2:1-3. 2 Pet.3:18; 2 Thess 1:3.
 2. Did you do anything that contributed to the growth and progress of the church? Psalms 1:1-3; Psalms 92:12-14.
3. The course Recommended: "Redeeming the time Eccl. 9:10. When the rope floats by the drowning he must seize it or he dies.
4. Why Redeem the Time? The Motive: "Because the days are evil. They are evil because:
 1. They are uncertain in number. Ps. 39:4;
 2. They are days of temptation and sin. 20:10-12
(Opposition, Snare, Attractions)
 3. They are apt to be interrupted by infirmity and sickness.

1. When the days of infirmity and sickness have come:

1. Then your opportunities, and means, and powers of exertion will be gone.

THEN:

You will be called upon to suffer, not to fight; To bear, not to do the will of God.