

Days Remembered

Job 29.1-5

1. The most treasured of things

- a. nothing as precious as that which is gone
- b. Carpe Diem - to appreciate the day and time while it is
- c. despair of waste

2. Bygone days

- a. **Job 29.2** - Oh that I were as in months past
- b. **Job 1.5** - Thus did Job continually
- c. **Job 3.26** - I was not in safety, neither had I rest
- d. **Eccl 5.18-20** - it is good ... to enjoy the good of all his labour
- e. **Eccl 11.9** - walk in the ways of thine heart
- f. **Lk 12.18-20** - thou fool

3. Goodness Remembered

- a. **Job 29.3-5** - when by his light I walked through darkness
- b. **Job 3.25** - for the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me
- c. **Psm 119.67** - Before I was afflicted I went astray
- d. **Lk 23.27-31** - what shall be done in the dry
- e. **Eccl 12.1** - when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them
- f. **Psm 20.7** - Some trust in chariots, and some in horses
- g. **Psm 77.9-10** - but I will remember the years of the right hand of the most High
- h. **Deut 8.2** - to know what was in thine heart

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2. Bygone days

Job 29.2 - Oh that I were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me;

Job 1.5 - And it was so, when the days of their feasting were gone about, that Job sent and sanctified them, and rose up early in the morning, and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all: for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned, and cursed God in their hearts. Thus did Job continually.

Job 3.26 - I was not in safety, neither had I rest, neither was I quiet; yet trouble came.

Eccl 5.18-20 - Behold that which I have seen: it is good and comely for one to eat and to drink, and to enjoy the good of all his labour that he taketh under the sun all the days of his life, which God giveth him: for it is his portion. 19: Every man also to whom God hath given riches and wealth, and hath given him power to eat thereof, and to take his portion, and to rejoice in his labour; this is the gift of God. 20: For he shall not much remember the days of his life; because God answereth him in the joy of his heart.

Eccl 11.9 - Rejoice, O young man, in thy youth; and let thy heart cheer thee in the days of thy youth, and walk in the ways of thine heart, and in the sight of thine eyes: but know thou, that for all these things God will bring thee into judgment.

Lk 12.18-20 - And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. 19: And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. 20: But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?

3. Remembered goodness

Job 29.3-5 - When his candle shined upon my head, and when by his light I walked through darkness; 4: As I was in the days of my youth, when the secret of God was upon my tabernacle; 5: When the Almighty was yet with me, when my children were about me;

Job 3.25 - For the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me, and that which I was afraid of is come unto me.

Psm 119.67 - Before I was afflicted I went astray: but now have I kept thy word.

Lk 23.27-31 - And there followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also

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bewailed and lamented him. 28: But Jesus turning unto them said, Daughters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and for your children. 29: For, behold, the days are coming, in the which they shall say, Blessed are the barren, and the wombs that never bare, and the paps which never gave suck. 30: Then shall they begin to say to the mountains, Fall on us; and to the hills, Cover us. 31: For if they do these things in a green tree, what shall be done in the dry?

Eccl 12.1 - Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them;

Psm 20.7 - Some trust in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God.

Psm 77.9-10 - Hath God forgotten to be gracious? hath he in anger shut up his tender mercies? Selah. 10: And I said, This is my infirmity: but I will remember the years of the right hand of the most High.

Deut 8.2 - And thou shalt remember all the way which the LORD thy God led thee these forty years in the wilderness, to humble thee, and to prove thee, to know what was in thine heart, whether thou wouldest keep his commandments, or no.

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