

# CHARTING THE SCRIPTURES

# ECCLESIASTES

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Ecclesiastes is from the Greek word: *ekklesia* (assembly) i.e., one who addresses an assembly

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'What profit hath a man of all his labour which he taketh under the sun?' 1. 3  
 'There is no new thing under the sun?' 1. 9  
 'I have seen all the works that are done profit under the sun; and, behold, all is vanity', 1. 14  
 'Then I looked on all the works that are done profit under the sun, and there was no profit under the sun', 2. 11  
 'Therefore I hated life; because it is grievous unto me', 2. 17  
 'And moreover I saw under the sun the place of judgment, that wickedness was there; that which walk under the sun', 3. 16  
 'There is a sore evil which I have seen under the sun, namely, riches kept for the owners thereof to their hurt', 5. 13

## Vanity of vanities; all is vanity UNDER THE SUN

*I have seen all the works that are done under the sun and behold all is vanity and vexation of spirit*

'This wisdom have I seen also under the sun, and it seemed great unto me', 9. 13  
 'I returned, and saw under the battle to the strong', 9. 11  
 'not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong', 9. 9  
 'Live joyfully with the wife whom thou louest all the days of under the work of God', 9. 12  
 'Then I beheld all the work of God, that is done under the sun', 8. 17  
 'Then a man cannot find the sun', 8. 15  
 'Then I beheld all the work of the sun, given thee to do under the sun', 8. 17  
 'Then I commended mirth, because a man that is done under the sun, than that is done under the sun', 8. 15  
 'Then I better thing, and to be merry, 8. 15  
 'hath no better to drink, and to eat, and to apply my heart unto the sun', 8. 9  
 'All this have I seen, and applied my heart unto the sun', 8. 9  
 'Wisdom is good with an inheritance: and by it there is profit to them that see the sun', 7. 11  
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 'for who can tell a man what shall be after him under the sun', 6. 12

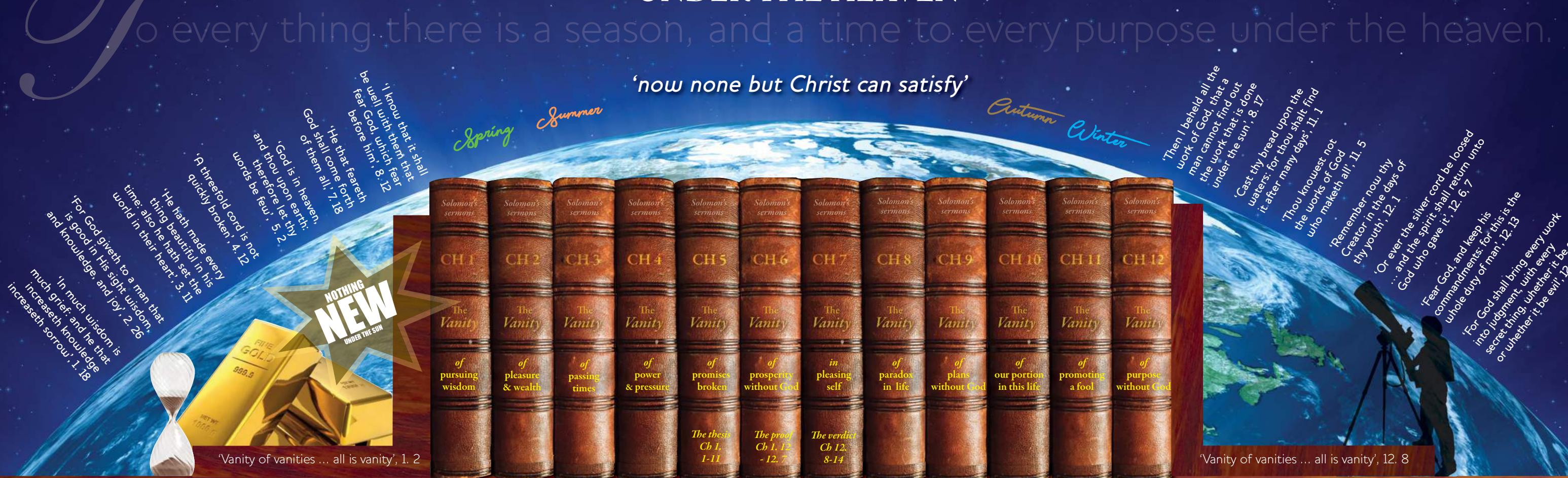
*I gave my heart to seek and search out by wisdom concerning all things that are done under heaven*

## Consider the work of God UNDER THE HEAVEN

BOOK OF PROVERBS

SONG OF SOLOMON

To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven.



'Of making many books there is no end; and much study is a weariness of the flesh. **Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter:** Fear God, and keep his commandments: for this is the whole duty of man', 12. 12, 13