

bold honesty

the vanity of life under the sun

Part 4: *The Centrality Of Relationships*



“Ecclesiastes is the book we moderns fear more than any other. For it is a mirror that shows us a great hole, a black spot, where our heart ought to be.”

~ Peter Kreeft, *Philosopher*

Introduction – What It All Comes Down To

Matthew 6:28-30

The Biblical Perspective On Relationships

Genesis 2:18

- *We were designed to thrive in _____ relationships.*

1 John 4:16

- *Relationship is the core of _____, because _____ is at the core of reality.*

Genesis 3:8-12

- *Today, we invest more energy in _____ ourselves than in _____ ourselves.*

Solomon’s Insights – The Value Of Relationships

Ecclesiastes 4:7-12

1) _____ (v. 9)

2) _____ (v. 10)

3) _____ (v. 11)

4) _____ (v. 12)

Modern Roadblocks To Relationship

1) _____.

2) _____.

3) _____.

Conclusion – Just Say “Yes”

Hebrews 11:6