Time & How You Should Use It

II Peter 3:1-9

Introduction: Ephesians 5:15-16

I. God Always Uses Time Wisely

A. The Lord C_____ at the perfect time - Mark 1:15; I Timothy 2:5-6 & Galatians 4:4-5.

B. The G_____ was presented at the perfect time - Titus 1:3.

C. The Lord is C_____A ____at the perfect time – Ephesians 1:9-10.

II. How You Might Use Your Time Unwisely

- A. By pretending that you have control over what happens to you. You don't!
 - 1. You B_____ about the future Proverbs 27:1.
 - 2. You plan for tomorrow's S_____ E_____ - Isaiah 56:12.
 - 3. You spend your time preparing only for your own
 - P_____ Luke 12:16-21.

- B. By not using your time with God's priorities in mind.
 - 1. W_____ E____ get in the way – Genesis 19:16.
 - 2. F_____ cares get in the way Matthew 8:21-22 & Luke 9:61-62.
 - 3. Personal C_____ gets in the way Acts 24:25.

III. How You Might Use Your Time Wisely

- A. By realizing the B______ of life.
 - 1. It's like a S______- Job 8:9 & 14:2; Psalm 102:11.
 - 2. It'd being a B______ Psalm 39:5.
 - 3. It's like a vanishing V______ James 4:14.
- B. By being a consistent E_____ before the world Colossians 4:5.
- C. By S_____ God while He may be found Psalm 32:6 & Il Corinthians 6:2.

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