

# What Have I Learned from Experience?

*Ecclesiastes 10:1-7*



Experience can be a great teacher. Observation, hard knocks, even failing can leave a lasting impression. But experience is not the greatest teacher. Actually, people can draw the wrong conclusions from experience. So, listen anew to the wisdom of the Teacher.



1. Mark the number of times you hear these words:

Wisdom –

Experience –

Fool(ish) –

2. What are fools apt to trust instead of God?

3. Lesson #1: You may have to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of fools and their \_\_\_\_\_

4. What is true of fools and foolishness?

5. How did King Saul reveal his foolishness?

6. Lesson #2: \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ to get adequately \_\_\_\_\_ for your job, especially if you are a \_\_\_\_\_

7. What is the problem with hurry?

8. What is the Peter Principle?

9. What will enable a nation to prosper?

10. Lesson #3: Be \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

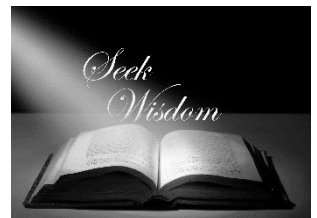
11. What kind of risks should we be willing to take?

12. What's the difference between gambling and investment?

13. What all do we need to be bold and generous with?

14. What realities did the Teacher's words remind us of this time?

15. What did Peter's experience on the Mount of Transfiguration teach him?



## Faith Talk, Faith Walk

*Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon*

**Faith Talk:** In your own words, define foolishness. And can a fool become wise? Explain.

**Faith Walk:** Tuck Solomon's wisdom in your heart and live wisely in a God-honoring way.

*If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!*

**Next Sunday AM Sermon – When is the Best Time to Seek God? (Ecclesiastes 12:1-8)**