

When The Going Gets Tough
Ecclesiastes 7:5-14

Foolish Responses To Adversity.

1. _____ is a foolish response (vs .7).
 - We should be more concerned about God's eternal acceptance than man's _____ approval.
2. _____ is a foolish response (vs. 8).
 - Impatience is not a mark of power, but of _____.
3. _____ is a foolish response (vs. 9)
 - We often tolerate sin; however, God _____ tolerates sin.
4. _____ is a foolish response (vs. 10).
 - Nostalgia will do nothing to get you out of the _____ that you are facing.

Wise Responses To Adversity

1. We need to recognize that there is _____ in our adversity (vs 13).
 - Adversity gets our _____.
2. We need to recognize to not resist what God is _____ us in our adversity (vs. 13).
 - Adversity often provides us with greater opportunities to have a _____ example.
3. We need to recognize that we should not _____ in lacking the knowledge of God's plan for our lives when adversity strikes (vs. 14)
 - It is our responsibility to _____ God through the good and bad times in life.